



Transforming Britain's Landscapes

## Success at Business in the Community Awards 2009

Marshalls gained a Business in the Community Big Tick in the Bank of America Climate Change Award for its work on carbon labelling and for the company's approach to minimising carbon impact.



As well as being recognised for its carbon impact approach, Marshalls was also re-accredited in the Supply Chain category for its work on ethical supply chain management in India, and in the Eco-Efficiency category for biodiversity and environmental management.

*“Getting a Big Tick from BITC is a proud achievement for Marshalls, particularly because this Big Tick recognises our efforts in cutting our carbon emissions and taking big steps towards a low carbon approach to our business,”* says Chris Harrop, Marshalls' Group Marketing Director. *“Through a range of different approaches, Marshalls has taken positive action to reduce our carbon impact. Whether it's developing innovative low carbon products or labelling our entire range of domestic paving, we are demonstrating that businesses really can tackle climate change.”*

The awards were established by BITC to recognise and celebrate those companies who have shown innovation, creativity and a sustained commitment to corporate responsibility.

Stephen Howard, Chief Executive, Business in the Community said: *“I congratulate all the winners of a Big Tick this year. In the current economic climate, it is fantastic to see so many strong examples of businesses that recognise the benefits, both social, environmental and to their bottom line, of being a responsible business. Those who achieve the Big Tick are leading companies. They know that they cannot build a successful sustainable business without constantly showing their commitment to being a better business.”*