

BUILD IT BACK GREEN WEBSITE UP AND RUNNING THE SITE IS, VERY GREEN AND EASY TO USE

Green Cross Australia has launched its 'Build it Back Green' website – www.builditbackgreen.org

The site has been designed to help Victorian communities recovering from the Black Saturday bushfires to rebuild their homes in an affordable and sustainable manner.

The goal of the site is to showcase the lowest cost green rebuilding techniques, focusing on energy efficiency, water savings and indoor air quality, as well as share stories from those who are already undertaking the rebuilding process sustainably.

The site also features information about green building products and Government rebates.

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Stage two of the Build It Back Green website is planned to be launched in 2011 and will feature an interactive tour through a sustainable house.