

## ENVIRECOVER COMMUNITY LIAISON GROUP

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2019, 17:00

EnviRecover, Hartlebury Trading Estate, Hartlebury, DY10 4JD



### Present:

Worcestershire County Council	Richard Woodward (RW) Vincent Conor (VC) Steven Aldridge (SA) Mark Bishop (MB)
Wychavon District Council	Cllr Nigel Dowty (Chair) (ND)
Hartlebury Parish Council Representatives	Graham Hipkins (GH) Peter Townley (PT)
Severn Waste Services	Fernando Capelastegui (FC) Paddy Kelly (PK)

### Item

#### 1.0 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Ian Hutchinson (IH), Tim Cupper (TC) HPC representatives; John Jordan (JJ), O&DPC representative; Sarah Dennis (SD), Environment Agency

- 1.1 Standing invitations remain open to Nicolas Wright (NW, Elmley Lovett Parish Council), James Homer (JH, Elmley Lovett Parish Council) and Judy Goodman (JG, Ombersley and Doverdale Parish Council).

#### 2.0 Minutes from the previous meeting, Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018

- 2.1 The minutes were agreed to be a true and accurate record of the meeting held.

### 3.0 Actions from last meeting

Meeting date	Owner	Action	Update	Status at start of this meeting
11/02/2019	PK / RW	Arrange an open day for visitors from Herefordshire		
11/02/2019	PK	Share details of filter bag materials with GH		

### 4.0 Operational update from Severn Waste Services

**PK** Facility is continuing to perform well and finished 2018 with availability just below 90% and circa 130,000MW exported. The facility ran at reduced load throughout Q2&3 due to the permit limit and finished the year with just over 200,000 tonnes delivered and 196,000 tonnes processed.

**PK** Since the New Year the facility has also performed well with minimal disruption.

**PK** The warranty will come to an end in March

**GH** Can you use other service providers after this?

**PK** Yes, if there is a benefit to doing so.

### 5.0 Briefing on proposed permit and planning variations

**PK** Planning committee members to visit on 25<sup>th</sup> March, and the committee itself is scheduled for the 26<sup>th</sup> March. Environmental Permit variation has been duly made and will be determined within 3 months. Not considered a high public interest variation so no public comment available

**SA** Two planning objections submitted, one noise related which is unsubstantiated, one related to traffic / litter.

**PT** Oxides of nitrogen are monitored on the Crown Lane / A449 roundabout and this has spiked at times during the year.

**SA** That is transport-related and is covered by Worcester Regulatory Services.

**PK** Dispersal from the stack generally moves north of the estate and has minimal impact at ground level due to the height of the stack. The modelling was submitted along with the variation request.

### 6.0 Feedback from Severn Waste Services on public queries and action

#### 6.1 Complaints: -

- Horse rider spooked by litter and a jogger in hi-viz as an SWS vehicle was passing. Dash cam footage reviewed and the driver showed appropriate courtesy, but following vehicle did not.
- Noise complaint received for an issue which was proven not to be coming from EnviRecover a couple of years ago.

**7.0 AOB**

- **GH** Please can you let me know the materials used for the Bag House Filter bags?  
**PK** Yes, I will share that with you.
- **PT** I have a question, but it's technical and too difficult to discuss now.  
**PK** If you can write it down in an email I will do what I can to get you an answer.

**8.0 The next meeting is scheduled for 17:00 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at EnviRecover.**

**9.0 The Meeting closed at 1740**