

HILL AND MOOR COMMUNITY LIAISON GROUP
Monday 16 July 2018, 18:00
Hill & Moor, Landfill Site Office

Present:

Worcestershire County Council	Cllr Liz Tucker (Chair) Vincent Connor Andrew Davies
Severn Waste Services	Michael Hornby Ana Gonzalez
Hill and Moor Parish Council	Tony Betteridge
Wyre Piddle Parish Council	John Paul Misan McFarland
Bishampton and Throckmorton Parish Council	Malcolm Argyle
Pinvin Parish Council	Alan Wilson
Environment Agency	Emma Musgrove

Item	Action
1.0 Apologies for absence	
1.1 Apologies were received from Charles Tucker (Bishampton and Throckmorton Parish Council), Richard Woodward (Worcestershire County Council) and Fernando Capelastegui (Severn Waste Services).	
2.0 Minutes from the previous meeting, 13 March 2018	
2.1 The minutes were agreed to be a true and accurate record of the meeting held.	
3.0 Matters arising	
3.1 The landfill fire on 15 June 2018 will be discussed under the Severn Waste Services Report	
4.0 Severn Waste Services Report	
4.1 A copy of the Severn Waste Services (SWS) Operational Report March 2018 – June 2018 was distributed to the group. Ana Gonzalez presented the SWS report, advising the following:	
4.2 Landfilling activities continued in Cell 5.3 throughout the reporting period.	
4.3 It is envisaged that Cell 5.3 will not be completed until late 2018.	

- 4.4 The construction of Cell 5.4 commenced on 11 June, with the works expected to be finished in early August.

There have been three schedule 5 notifications during the above period:

- 4.5 30 April 2018 – Breach of carbon dioxide limit in BH108 (along the northern ditch). A level of 12% was detected against the limit of 4.8%.
- 4.6 Cllr Liz Tucker and Michael Hornby explained to Misan McFarland that this is a historically engineered landfill site boundary which is intersected by a water course.
- 4.7 15 June 2018 – Fire on an active area of Cell 5.3 at 21:30. This was a relatively small area and was brought under control using site based plant and the assistance of the fire service. Once extinguished, it was saturated with water. Part of the area flared up again on 17 June 2018 at approximately 04:00. It is now been temporarily covered.
- 4.8 CLG members advised that the area of waste alight looked significant from the highway.
- 4.9 Michael Hornby advised that it was a small area of active waste that was on fire. Site based plant assisted by blading over the area alight.
- 4.10 29 June 2018 – Breach of CO2 and methane limits in boreholes BH102 and BH8 (monitoring boreholes along northern ditch).
- 4.11 Incinerator Bottom Ash (IBA) which had been stockpiled on site since May 2017 was processed between 21 March and 22 May 2018.
- 4.12 Vincent Connor will re-invite Cllr Tucker and CLG members to view the IBA screening by *RockSolid* when they mobilise next.
- 4.13 Michael Hornby advised Alan Wilson that approximately 4% to 4.5% of metals are recovered by *RockSolid*.
- 4.14 The metals separated by the process were removed off site throughout the above period. The Incinerator Bottom Ash aggregate has been stockpiled on site whilst SWS continue to look into the options of transferring the material into the aggregate market place.
- 4.15 Emma Musgrove advised that a national decision/statement by the Environment Agency will be made regarding IBAA end of waste criteria towards the end of August 2018.
- 4.16 Vincent Connor explained that residual waste is firstly recovered for energy, followed by metal extraction and finally end of waste criteria is being sought for the Incinerator Bottom Ash aggregate for use in the market place.
- 4.17 John Paul queried the Hill and Moor Household Recycling Centre 2018 tonnages, questioning why the percentage was less than previous years.

- 4.18 Michael Hornby explained that the percentage recycling rate will fluctuate during the year as waste types change during the seasons.

5.0 Environment Agency Report

- 5.1 Emma Musgrove attended Hill & Moor on 5 July 2018 and inspected the landfill site.
- 5.2 Complaints have been received from a neighbouring business.
- 5.3 A Compliance Assessment Report was completed with an advisory to lightly cover over the current tipping cell.
- 5.4 Schedule 5 notifications in relation to the Environmental Permit have been reported and received as expected.
- 5.5 Tony Betteridge suggested battery powered CCTV to monitor the active cell to identify the cause of fires that start on site.
- 5.6 Emma Musgrove confirmed to Misan McFarland that the Incinerator Bottom Ash from EnviRecover (Energy from Waste facility) in Hartlebury is regularly independently tested.

The Environment Agency is satisfied with operations at EnviRecover.

- 5.7 The next shut down of the Energy from Waste facility is scheduled for September 2018.
- 5.8 The planning permission allows 200,000 tonnes of waste per annum to be delivered into EnviRecover for recovery.

6.0 AOB

- 6.1 Michael Hornby clarified to Cllr Tucker the details of the proposed changes to EnviroSort current Planning Permission, including;
- Operating the MRF with 3 of the doors on the south west façade open to enable the loading of separated recyclables onto large HGVs, particularly those with walking floor trailers
 - sheeted metal containers with glass and rejects to be stored outside of the MRF building temporarily, awaiting collection on either the same or next working day. The storage area would be between building and weighbridge
 - In the same storage area as above, permitting baled plastics and metals, up to 2 bales high, to be stored for up to 25 days in any one calendar year;

7.0 The next meeting is scheduled for 18:00 Monday 29 October 2018.

8.0 The Meeting closed at 18:40