

Greatmoor EfW – Community Liaison Group

9th October 2023 @ 18:00hrs- 19:15hrs
(and via Teams)

Attendees:

Attending in person:

Steve Rawlinson (SR)	FCC
Jez Elkin (JE)	FCC

Via Teams:

Adam Mears (AM)	FCC
Jamie Lister (JL)	FCC Calvert Landfill
Paula Axtell	FCC Calvert Landfill
Sharon Dolling	FCC (Minuting)
Frank Mahon (Cllr) (FM)	BC - Chairman
Cameron Curran	BC
Phil Gaskin	Calvert Green PC
Susan Cooper-Evans (SCE)	Middle Claydon PC
Tom Morrison (TM)	Hogshaw PC
Sue Faccenda	Hillesden PC
Nick Payne	Woodham PC
Phil Gaskin (PG)	Calvert Green PC
David Russell (DR)	Calvert PC
Robert Webster	Edgcott PC
Steve Terry	Waddesdon PC

Apologies for Absence:

A Curtis	Twyford PC
Rae Sloan	Twyford PC
David Evershed	Marsh Gibbon PC
Kim Moloney	Grendon Underwood PC

Distribution:

All Attendees + listed.

Rosanna Fitt	BC
Connor Ferguson	BC
Roger Seed	BC
Stuart Mitchell	FCC
John Knox	Quainton PC
Ian Smith	Kingswood PC

Actions Arising:

Action	Description
1.	Ecology Management Plan – Calvert/Greatmoor EMP Meeting held on 26 September, Minutes to be published on Greatmoor website with current mitigation plan attached.
2.	Cllr Frank Mahon will have a conversation with Deputy Leader, Gareth Williams at next Council Meeting regarding help with farmers from the Energy Windfall Tax. Absent from meeting so update on next meeting.
3.	JL to supply plan of proposed allotments to DR & PC via email.
4.	Item 5. Carbon Offset to be removed from this meeting/agenda as not pertinent to this meeting aims.
5.	JL to discuss 'Noisy behaviours' with contractors using Brackley Lane entrance.

Item	Minutes
	GREATMOOR CLG
1.	Minutes of Previous Meeting FM – all agreed minutes true reflection of last meeting. No comments.
2.	Matters Arising None.
3	Operational Update – Calvert Landfill See Appendix B – run through by JL. Main Activities and Secondary Activities items advised see slide. Leachate Treatment – new plant to treat leachate on site less tanker requirements in and out of site. Non-hazardous soil imports by road. Bottom Ash treatment continues. Permanent Capping – programme to complete 20,000m ² of permanent capping on Pit 5 Landfill underway. Scheduled to be completed by end of 2023. Environmental Permit Compliance 100% compliant. EA Inspection on 8 th August – no non-compliances reported. Solar Park approved. SCE Asked how many acres this will take up? JL will send this information to SCE asap. <i>Response from JL – The area within the current design solar array is 48 acres.</i> BC has application for a Solar Farm on Claydon Estate Land (submitted by EDF Renewables) - This is a hot topic at the moment. TM – Verney Estate, Claydon Estate dispute of sq.m of solar farm. FM – area advised 2100 acres advised by EDF. DR – two sections where the solar panels will be sited. A space in between where the cabling will be sited. Substation may hold the batteries. Overall area is 2100 acres. FM advised - Meeting in Calvert about Rose Hill Farm to be taken out of this meeting.

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	FCC Calvert New Location New office and weighbridge in place at the Greatmoor-end of the Calvert site. Limited use of the Brackley Lane entrance. Limited FCC contractor use of Brackley Lane Gates.
	Operational Update – Greatmoor Slides shown. H&S slide explained by SR. 5 events resulting in damage to property – Scaffolders damaged a plasterboard Wall. Waste crane rope got caught on a supporting rail on a cleaning rig. Contract driver left site GUA03 bridge hit on access road 4.5M restriction re-iterated to drivers. Contractors failing to sign-in and sign-out of site. False fire alarms due to overly sensitive detectors and pressure drops on the fire main (road sweeper using hydrant), Safety Conversations new system now being used so less near misses recorded due to this. Availability: 2 incidents see slide. Marked from A-G and explained by SR. Grate damage from slag build up on side of the boiler can weigh up to 5 tonnes. 5.5 days offline. Access Road Repair: repaired by contractor that laid road. This is the area just off roundabout entering Creighton Road. Ecological Mitigation Areas: EMP meeting held. Work ongoing on turtle dove conservation area. Pond A near old Calvert Sports Ground to encourage in GCN population. Maintain established habitat. HS2 slide shown – Traffic Management Proposals – Traffic Lights HS2/Greatmoor Compound: will be used as storage only.
4.	Carbon Offset SR – Remove as not part of this meeting. FM advised he will bring this up at tomorrow's 10/10/23 Parish Green Meeting. SR to provide meeting Aims (as detailed in Greatmoor EfW contract) as an Annex to the minutes.
5.	Visitors Information Slides shown and explained by JE. Since last meeting July 3rd – very quiet due to summer holidays, and JE annual leave. See slides. From now to Mid-November busy. Outreach visits planned – 7.
6.	Environmental Headlines Slides shown. AM – no issues since last meeting. EA classified as Band A for site. BREF – New Permit issued on 16th March. Report submitted to EA and approved. Abatement of NOx trailing dose of ammonia. Brominated Dioxin monitoring already started sampling of metals.

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	New Management Plan for start up and shutdown and Abnormal Operations. EA finalising in next few weeks. 3rd December 2023 date for submission for Greatmoor. No problem with this. Calibration of CO2 achieved last year. So, all good. Permit Compliance: Full AST (Annual Surveillance Test) in May. Additional voluntary monitoring. CEMS Emissions Year to date – all low and compliant. See slide. HCL level exceeding 8mg/m3 trigger in late June early July and early August. Ammonia slip – Nox abatement trial noted in yellow. Very low readings. 2nd Stack testing results not back yet. All compliant. Improvement conditions are progressing to EA.
7.	AOB
	PG – complained about traffic to Brackley entrance vans/contractors’ vehicles tooting horns and getting people to open the gates. JL responded – we have only just moved 2 weeks ago. Only Jones Brothers using over the weekend. The code unique to them. JL will speak to the Engineering contractor about this.
	TM – Rosefield Solar Farm, is there any connection with the Calvert Solar Farm? JL responded - No nothing to do with FCC.
	FM – What is the plan for permanent access road to Landfill that is being proposed? JL - This is to mitigate loss of access as a result of HS2. This will run around Pit 6 and to the Landfill Road all internal within FCC land boundaries – no impact on local houses. As are the ponds we have spoken about.
	DR – allotments JL to forward proposed areas for these via email to DR and copy PG on this.
8.	<i>Date of Next Meeting Monday 15th January 2024 @ 18:00 – 19:15 hrs – on Teams/Greatmoor</i>

APPENDIX A

Community Liaison Group Meeting – Greatmoor EfW

Venue: Greatmoor (also remotely “Teams”)

Date: 9th October 2023 @ 6-7.15pm

Agenda:

Greatmoor CLG

1. Minutes of previous meeting
2. Matters arising
3. Operational Update
 - a. Greatmoor EfW
 - b. Calvert landfill
4. Carbon Offset – not relevant to this meeting (remove for next meeting)
5. Environmental Performance - Greatmoor
6. Visitor Information - Greatmoor
7. Any Other Business
8. Date of Next Meeting

APPENDIX B

Calvert Landfill Liaison Committee

Operations – Landfill Slides shown:

1. Main Activities
2. Secondary Activities
3. Quarry Backfill (Pit 6)
4. Permanent Capping
5. Environmental Permit Compliance
6. EA Inspections
7. Developments