

1st Liaison meeting with Anglian Water, 16 January 2017, 5pm, Cowley Road site.

Attendees

AB, SWebster, KWhite, SHarris, HSmith, JCoston, Steve Boulton, Tactical support manager Essex and Cambs, Ceri Williams (Treatmentwater Manager, Cambridge 187,000 houses equiv - 34 sites) Emma Knight SCDC,
Cycling Manager 330 in Essex and Cambridge

Introductions AB
20 people on site

EK Site is in Cambridge City
Not regulated by an Authority other than
Environmental permit for water emissions

Impact statements:

KW - wind and odour affects residents and how we use our properties

K runs village log - ports of odour incidents

Residents report to log and EA

Action from EA has led to reduction. In odour.

Landfill had not realised affect on residents

Reporting has been difficult

SW 15 years - git a lot better but more problems recently

Tesco car park ongoing

Affected using facilities in the village - authorities look at impact on residents

Affects commenting by bike along cycle route affects transport choice

HS up until Sep OK until then

AW Needs to look at Kay,s dats to correlate with something going on

Hotline arrangement before because AW system is quite slow.

Pump stations in Milton - whEre

JC Rsidnts had complained but AW said they had not received reports

Smelly when JC came over today.

SH - CSLT - written report

SH works from home

- very specifically located opposite the storm water lagoon - orchard, sun clock, bike track, pretty much every day. On a bad day it reaches the Visitor Centre, on a really bad day it reaches Coles Road entrance of Country Park. On lead dog area. Major event for Parklife 17 July and Autumn Festival Sunday 27 Sep check. Very food oriented.

- people pleased that things have improved

- we're waiting to see if it would improve

- hasn't - it's affecting our reputation

- people believing water sports water is affected but the water is clean and regularly tested

- public saying is that smell the water - anxious not to let their children swim in the water

- being reported incorrectly in the press.

- social media blowing things up out of proportion - 30 comments are saying that the country park is being affected by effluent
- only takes one Press story for it to get blown up - against CSLT
- SH as a volunteer - phoned up AW Reporting line - too long winded
- Rangers are reporting the smell whenever they encounter it
- CSLT are reporting odour when it affects 9/22 days in December and 5/15 in January.
- affecting the business with couples asking to get married in TH eOrchard because of the odour risk, would be a great source of income, open cinema in the sun clock. Want to keep events in S area so they can keep park for wildlife and nature. Losing bookings
- reputation, questions over water quality,
- duty of care for members of staff. Elite swimming and Griunds cafe share the site - the staff are affected when they have their breaks
- air quality is vital for the green lung of Ca,bridge

AW - explain.

Treats sewage from Cott, histfen ditton, Cambridge to Teversham and Histon

Fully Aeration treatment now, should produce less odour than tickle filters

Also treat sludges on site and it sludge

Burn

Problem with gas holder

Gas holder - big grey thing with AW in the site

Serious leaks of Methane gas

Temporary unit does not have same storage was installed in December

Need to inspect to see if repair is needed.

Boilers are using as much gas as possible - Methane plus hydrogen sulphide.

CM 67 PC Methane, do not burn it, cannot burn it because its the temporary holder.

Having to vent it

Cost and time cAW

Stopped taking notes as iPad keypad started to obscure writing – very annoying.

AB 16/01/2017