



Good Neighbours Group Meeting

Minutes of the 7th meeting held on the 24th October 2019

Present		Abbreviations
Paul Carey	Managing Director MEB	PC
Peter Knapp	Head of Operations	PK
Rob Bramhill	Senior Site Manager	RB
Pete Lawrence	Contract Manager MEB	PL
Oliver Kautz	Project Director MEB	OK
Janet Wade	Principal Officer, Waste Policy, DCC	JW
Allan Melville	Good Neighbours Group (Hawick Drive Area)	AMel
Christina Roberts	Bailie for City Council, DCC	CR
Mimi Mwasame	Community Liaison Manager, MEB	MM
Tracey Curie	Waste Incineration and PPC Specialist	TC
Jackie McKay	Good Neighbours Group (Friends of the Earth Tayside)	JM
Steve Anderson	Murroes and Wellbank CC	SA

Apologies		
Mike Turner	Managing Director MEB	MT
Yvonne Tosh	Good Neighbours Group (Balmoral Tenants and Residents Association)	YT
Garvie Jamieson	Balmoral Residents and Tenants Association	GJ
		Good neighbours -GN

Item		Action
1	Review of the last meetings' minutes	
	Minutes of 20 th June were approved.	
2	Discussions	
	PL – Presented a report on the operations activity of the current facility. See attached appendix <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PL noted that the 2018/19 plant availability is the best on record - The autumn outage was carried out on time - We've had a QHSE intern for the past 3 months - No reportable accidents and incidents RB – Showed a drone video of the construction progress. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On 8th October, we achieved a very significant process milestone i.e. the successful completion of the Boiler Pressure Test - We are anticipating the achievement of another major civil works milestone i.e. the completion of the Waste bunker works by 25th October - Attenuation tank / surface water drainage system works are currently ongoing for the next 8 weeks - Flue gas treatment is at 90% complete. The remaining works will be carried during night shift from 11th November for 11 nights. DCC has approved this MM – see attached appendix on community benefits activities	



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The LoCHER project has been shortlisted for the 2019 Health and Safety Innovation awards - We delivered a £200 cheque to Monifieth High in recognition of their work and dedication to the MEB Health and Safety week - We are pleased to report we have had 6 project-initiated apprentices and 5 work placements students from Dundee - We were delighted to host members of the Good Neighbours who came to sign the last stack of the chimney - The trees and shrubs along the flood mitigation area have grown and the area looks very tidy - We were shortlisted alongside Arbroath Academy for our excellent work in the 'Award for Curriculum Input' category 	
3	AOB	
	<p>MM recognised the presence of Steve Anderson who had a few queries as noted below</p> <p>SA - What is the construction completion date?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RB provided the following key dates; construction will end by March 2020 paving way for the beginning of commissioning. 1st delivery of waste will be in April 2020 and the 1st firing waste will be in May 2020. - SA requested a copy of the completion program. PL noted that he will investigate on how to distribute a program that can be shared communally <p>SA – Queried transportation waste vehicle routes on Angus road.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PL assured SA that none of our non-Angus/Dundee council waste vehicles would utilise rural roads to access our facility. He further urged SA to take note and report if any EIS, A&M Smith or Taylors Industrial Services vehicles are seen. - JW stated that waste management routes are the sole responsibilities of the councils thus this issue would be best addressed by Angus Council. <p>AMel – enquired if operation of lines 1 and 2 would be stopped after completion of construction of the new facility</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PC confirmed that we are in the process of submitting applications to Dundee City Council to extend the lives of line 1 and 2. This will enable us to hire more people rather than the initial plan of firing employees. - AMel alleged to have submitted nearly 5 odour complaints since the last Good Neighbours meeting. - TC confirmed that the total number of complaints received this year is 5 to date. <p>Next meeting will be held on the 19th December at 1.00pm at the site construction offices.</p>	



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Presentation to Good Neighbours Group
Baldovie, 24 October 2019

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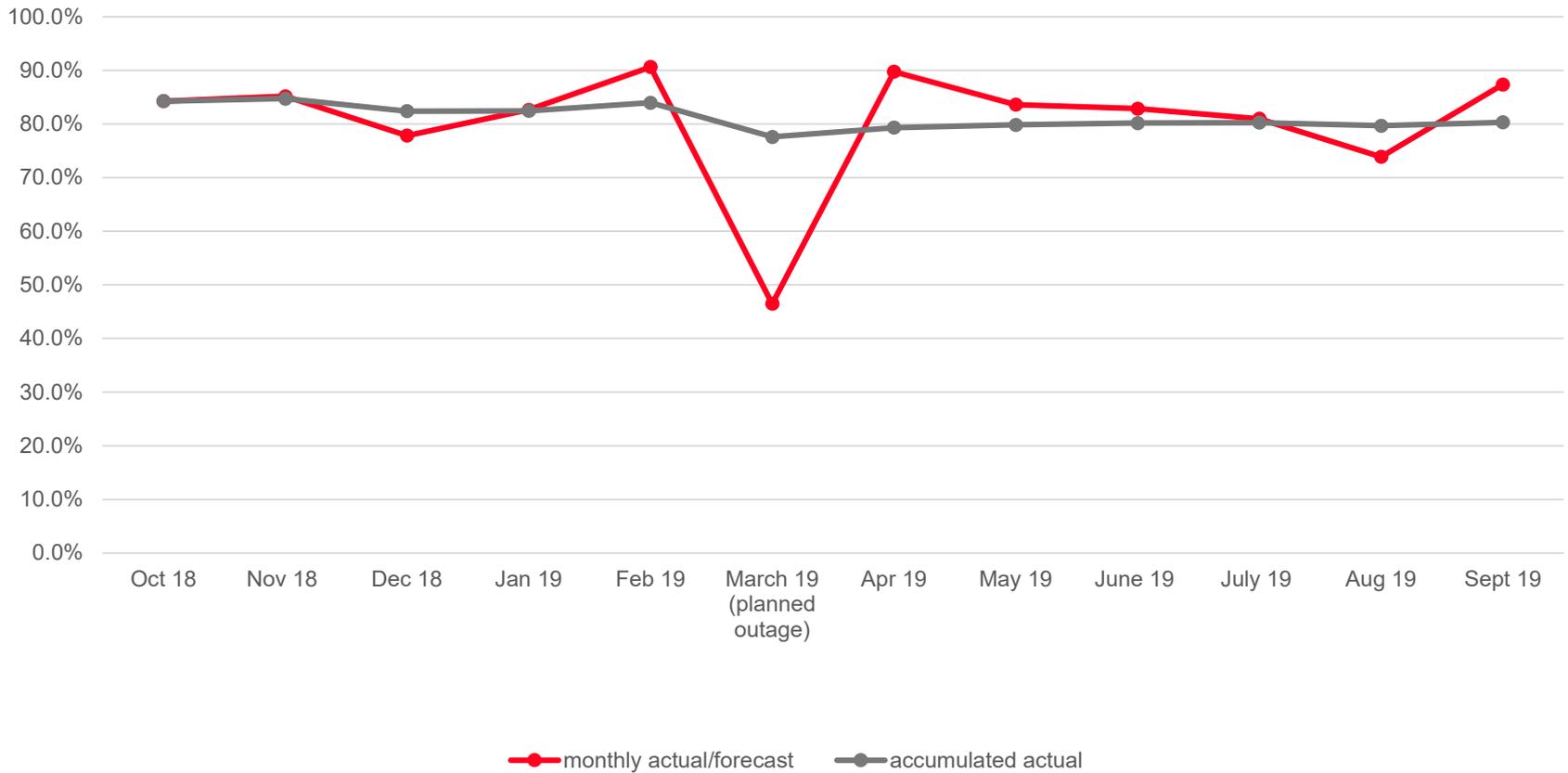
Progress since the last meeting

- 2018/19 plant availability is the best on record.
- Autumn outage carried out on time
- Plant performance has been very good
- Positive site inspections by SEPA, insurers and fire risk assessors
- QHSE intern has been with us for three months
- No reportable accidents or incidents



Plant Performance

MEB Availability B1+2 BY 2018/19





LOcHER Project

- The LoCHER project has been shortlisted for the 2019 Innovation Awards.
- MEBs QHSE manager will present it at the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents (RoSPA) headquarters in November
- Posters have been rolled out group wide.



Community Benefits

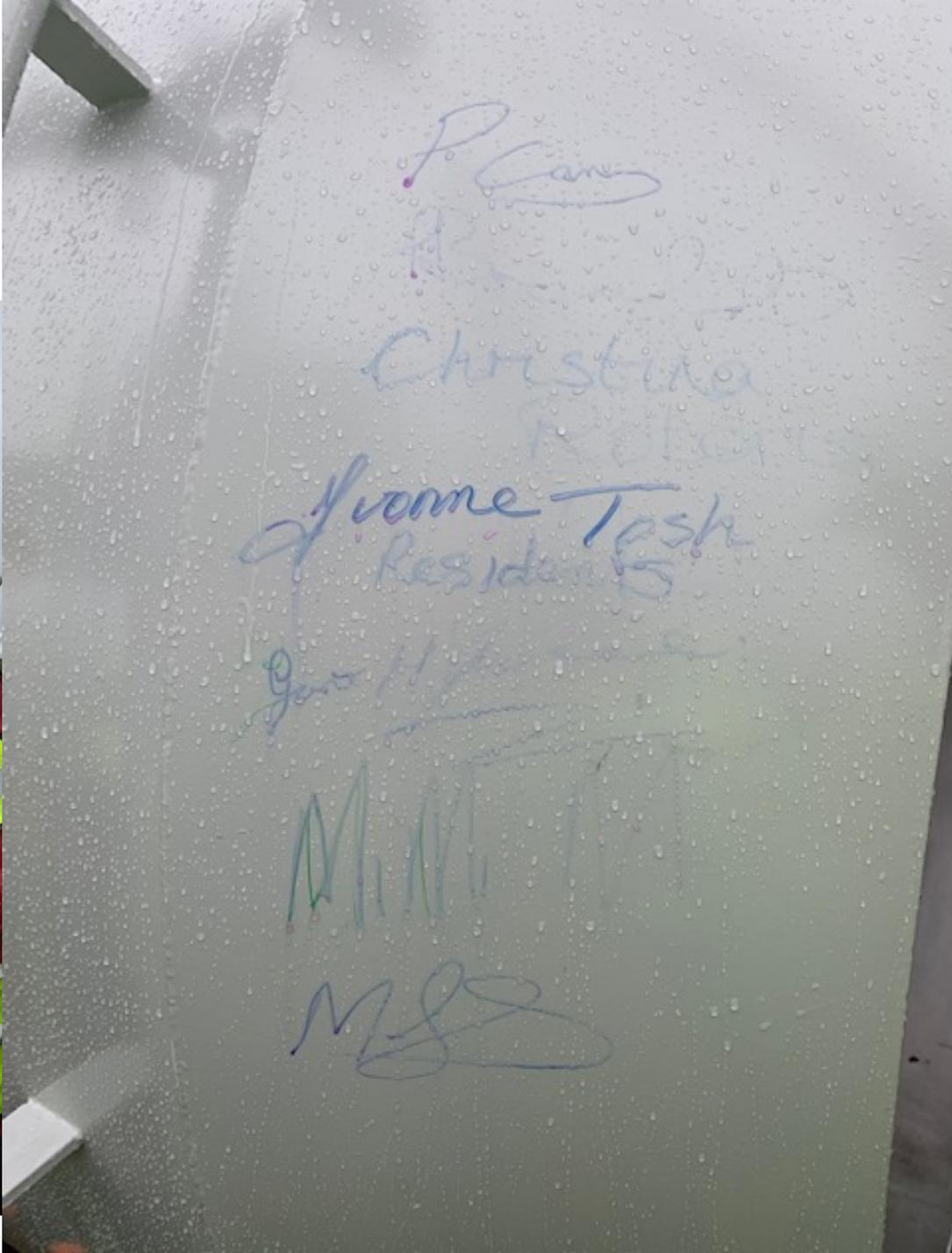
- Spoke to students at Arbroath Academy at their 'Languages in the work place event'
- We provided a £200 cheque to Monifieth High for their work and dedication to the MEB Health and Safety Week
- Challenge Fund awards ceremony was held on 24th June
- Apprenticeships, Internships and work placements
- Considerate Constructor – 4 star
- Chimney erection
- Schools; Longhaugh Primary School, Braeview Academy, Monifieth



Challenge Fund 2019



Chimney Ere



Flood mitigation area

Before



After





**Developing the Young Workforce
Dundee and Angus**

Recognition Award

This certificate is presented to

*Arbroath Academy and MVV
Environment Baldovie Ltd*

Shortlisted for their excellent work in the category

Award for Curriculum Input

H Roberts

Hilary Roberts
Developing the Young Workforce Dundee & Angus
Regional Manager

20th June 2019

Date



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