

Noise Monitoring Steering Group

Site – 1st May 2013
2pm – 4pm

Present:

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| • John Wade | Construction Director, MVV |
| • Jurgen Folz | Site Manager, Envi-Con |
| • Gregg Portass | Public Protection Service, PCC |
| • Graham Hooper | Public Protection Service, PCC |
| • Daniel Ellis | URS |
| • Jane Ford | Community Liaison Manager, MVV
(minutes) |
| • Caroline Leatherdale | Environmental Manager, Kier/MVV |

Apologies:

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| • Nicola Horne | Public Protection Service, PCC |
| • Sarah Taylor | Environment Agency |
| • Alf Maneylaws | URS |
| • David Mudge | Environment Agency |

ITEM		ACTION
1.	Introductions, present and apologies	
	As above	
2.	Confirmation of agenda	
	Agenda was agreed	
3.	Minutes of last meeting	
	Minutes of last meeting have been discussed and agreed <u>Actions arising</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TR circulated supplementary noise monitoring data to JF. Distributed to NMSG - MVV to review accuracy of complaints record. This was clarified. 	
4.	Noise monitoring report	
	Monitoring since the last meeting was carried out on the following dates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3rd April 2013 - 18th April 2013 - 24th April 2013 - 1st May 2013 Noise levels varied between 47 and 63dB New activities on site are piling in the area of the new bridge	

	<p>and pre-assembly of bag filter units. 12 piles are being installed and this work is likely to last for approximately two weeks. Assembly of bag filter units is likely to last for a further three weeks.</p> <p>Most recent monitoring captured the new activities and noise levels were found to be still within agreed limits.</p> <p>Monitoring to be continued on the following dates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 15/16th May 2013 - 29/30th May 2013 - 12/13th June 2013 - 26/27th June 2013 	
5.	Site actions and updates	
	<p>Limited excavation works around piles and foundations.</p> <p>Construction works for floor slabs and walls - Ongoing.</p> <p>Preassembly of bag filters - ongoing (see above).</p> <p>Minor steel work installation is anticipated to begin in middle of May 2013. Major steel work installation is scheduled to start in middle of June 2013.</p> <p>Details of additional mitigation measures issued 01/05/13 to LPA.</p> <p>Acoustic screens have been placed prior to the start of piling. Noise monitoring has been carried out.</p> <p>It was noted that the larger, mobile screens were not appropriate in this position due to access restrictions, however insulated screens have been deployed on top of a spoil batter closest to the piling rigs. The building concrete structures are also beginning to provide some additional mitigation.</p>	
6.	Complaints	
	<p>One noise complaint received by MVV since the last noise monitoring meeting. This related to reversing alarms on vehicles on Saturday 20th April. Site management have confirmed that all of the vehicles for which this is possible have been fitted with 'white noise' reversing alarms instead.</p>	MVV

7.	AOB	
	Date of next meeting: 4 th June 2013 @ 10:00	