



**Dolyhir, Strinds and Gore Quarries
Liaison Committee Meeting Minutes
Held at Dolyhir Quarry on the 15th May 2019**

0) Minutes were available and issued at the meeting, These meetings were accepted by the meeting.

1) Attendance: Dan Sylvester (Dolyhir Quarry Manager)
Michael Jones (Cllr and Chair)
Evan Jones (Cllr)
Keith Morgan (Planning Officer)

2) Apologies:
Trevor Bell - Old Radnor Community Council
Malcolm Lawer - Tarmac estates manager
Lewis Jenkins Quarry Manager Gore quarry
Richard Burden (Cllr)
Nesta Cooke - Local Residents Representative

3) Quarry Manager's Report.

Dolyhir.

Dan explained to the meeting that the HSE had been to site following a complaint on managing dust and that the quarry had started a program of up-dating dust control measures and new techniques were being introduced to the site. Dan also explained that it was not to do with the control of dust on roads but this was part of it. It was the dust that is in the plant buildings through the process of crushing. Dan also went on to tell the meeting that there were two sets of contract crush teams working in Dolyhir Quarry; one producing 20/5 any agg and one producing grit stone single sizes.

Gore,

Dan Went through Gore as Lewis was unable to attend. Dan explained that Gore had been offline for a week with a break down and that Lewis was looking to complete a back shift for a few weeks to make up production. Dan also told the meeting that the re surfacing works at the Gore will be completed on the weekend of the 18th and 19th of May.

4) Estates Report Dolyhir extension and stripping 2019.

Dolyhir

Dan Explained to the meeting about the upcoming stripping works that will be starting at Dolyhir this summer, Dan explained that there were some trial pits and archeology works that were taking place in early June and then the new road and drainage ditch will be completed before the main strip starts. Dan went on to explain about the work that was on going with the public footpaths and the diversions and new routes that were being created.

Gore

Dan explained that the stripping works on the Gore hill were being done in house and should be finished over the next few weeks.

Dan also explained that Gore were working with Powys CC on diversion of the footpath that crosses the hill which Evan also commented on and explained from his side what was being planned. The meeting was also shown a map and a plan of the area where the new diverted footpath would be located.

5) Complaints.

- 1) One complaint was brought up regarding overhanging trees on the old road that runs past Upper Sunnybank and down to the old quarry. Dan said that he would speak to Lewis and get the overhangs looked at and removed. .

6) Matters arising.

Dan Asked if there were any outstanding actions that the quarry were to look at and nothing was brought up.

Dan told the meeting that through the summer the road sweeper will go through the village of Old Radnor and sweep and that if there is any cleaning to be done in the church like we did last year happy to help.

Evan Jones asked about the long-term plan for Clems house which is next to the Gore and Dan said he would pass this comment to Malcolm Lawer to look into.

Keith asked Dan about break ins and if the quarry were targeted Dan told the meeting that there is no problem with people on the site that should not be and that we have not had any theft this year. Dan told the meeting that we have CCTV in operation.

7) Any other business.

Dan Explained that Dolyhir was washing dust for the resurfacing of Silverstone race track and that there is an increase of lorry movement in and out of the site currently.

Evan brought up about the attitude that some drivers in Tarmac colours cause in the local area normally not having the time to sit and try to push other road users along. Dan said he would talk to Lisa Powell transport manager to speak to all drivers regarding the way the drive in the local area,

8) Date of next meeting:

13/11/2019 at Dolyhir Quarry office at 18:00