# MINUTES OF THE KETTON LIAISON COMMITTEE TEAMS MEETING WEDNESDAY 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Present; S Urhan Hanson Cement

T Fox Hanson Cement A Colas Hanson Cement J St Prix Hanson Cement T Mitchell Hanson Cement

**S Rogers Ketton Parish Council** M Cade **Ketton Parish Council** M Warrington **Ketton Parish Council K** Payne **Rutland County Council Rutland County Council** G Brown **Rutland County Council** N Hodgett **K** Burton **Environment Agency Tinwell Parish Council D** Jarvis **Tinwell Parish Council B** Yule

# 1.0 APOLOGES FOR ABSENCE

R Kelly (TPC), M Page (Hanson)

### 2.0 <u>ACTION POINTS/MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING</u>

Minutes agreed

## 3.0 UPDATE

#### **Health & Safety**

SU presented a selection of slides on H & S points, Near Hits, with an explanation of Lost Time Incidents (LTI's) and actions/procedures resulting from the LTI going forward

## **Quality/Environment**

Noise complaints from Wheatland's Close in November, investigations are ongoing. All particulates remain low and within permits. Blast Furnace Slag transport issues have resolved. Hydrogen trial has been completed, report to be completed and sent to EA, the electrolysis equipment will to the Ribblesdale plant

for their trial. Emissions remain low and with specified levels. During the January shutdown the Kiln 8 bag filter had 3240 bags replaced at a cost of £226,800. Discussions ensued regarding the increased energy costs for the plant and how the Ukraine situation is affecting the industry – some plants in Europe have closed temporarily and certain materials may run low due to demand.

New Cement product CEM11 ALL expected to be certified in July 2022, this product will have 6% more limestone than the product it is replacing.

#### **Community Donations**

Stamford Welland Academy – World Book Day prize Evergreen Care Trust – materials for a new shed base Stamford Hospital – materials for a new garden area for staff Ketton Green Space – new rakes for litter picking

#### **Quarry Future Plans**

MP reported that work continues the plans to seek long term quarry extension in 2 area, namely the Northwest land and Field 14. Both these areas will be worked contiguously to provide limestone and clay. By extending into these 2 areas will extend the life of the cement works by approx. 25 yrs. All technical consultants have been instructed to progress baseline survey assessments covering a range of topics such as landscape, ecology, dust/air quality, noise, archaeology, hydrology, and hydrogeology. The intention is to submit full planning application by end of 2022/early 2023

# 4.0 Environmental Agency

KB reported that monitoring of pollution via the stack and water source continue, but air particulates remained low and monitors on the main stack measuring pollutants didn't reach the permit limits. There were several breaches over the last year which sit on band C. The EA would like to see a significant improvement in this and are expecting to see plans put in place for this. KB stated that the cement blowing lines and Tanks and Bunds work to be completed in a set time frame and has expectations on a change of culture from the company regarding housekeeping and waste management

#### 5.0 **Rutland County Council**

RCC will start work on a new Local Plan which is expected to take 3 years, there have been further building applications for new developments in Ketton and declined applications are also being re submitted

#### 6.0 Ketton Parish Council

SR mentioned that the outside lights at the Church were not working – Hanson to send a contractor to investigate this issue and report back. The footbath at the Quarry that merges into a bridlepath is being churned up by cyclists is it possible signage be installed to deter this. Speeding through the village remains an issue, Speedwatch will take place on Stamford road during June/July. KPC thanked AC/MP/JSP for the installation of a traffic mirror at the Pit Lane junction to help with the increased footfall on Pit Lane. MC to send AC information on leaving the grass verges on Pit Lane to grow longer to encourage wildflowers and attract wildlife. Ketton Green Space to select an area of the permissive footpath that will be suitable to plant an edible hedge. TM to arrange a Quarry visit for everyone.

Action TM

## 7.0 <u>Tinwell Parish Council</u>

DJ introduced new member Bryan Yule, reported an increase in building work in the village, no other issues

# 8.0 **Any other business**

Dates for Meetings in 2022: 27<sup>th</sup> July 30<sup>th</sup> November

All meeting will take place on a Wednesday at 10.30am, in the Visitor Centre