



Meeting Notes Noise Liaison Group Meeting No.45



7 May 2015, 10:00 to 11:30

Venue: FRC Project Office, Rosyth

Attendees:

David Climie	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT) (Chair)
Steven Brown	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Andrew Mackay	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Martin Butterfield	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Euan Scott	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Andy Butler	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Dermot Connolly	City of Edinburgh Council (CEC)
David Redden	Fife Council (FC)
Liam Soden	Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors (FCBC)
Ewen MacDonnell	Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors (FCBC)

Apologies for Absence:

Richard Greer	FRC Employer's Delivery Team (EDT)
Colin Goodsir	Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors (FCBC)
Marcos Gonzalez	Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors (FCBC)
Lindsay McIntyre	Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors (FCBC)
Tracy Wyllie	Fife Council (FC)
David Brewster	West Lothian Council (WLC)
Brian Carmichael	West Lothian Council (WLC)
Mike Bland	Marine Scotland (MS)
Fiona MacKintosh	Marine Scotland (MS)
Niall Corbet	Scottish Natural Heritage (SNH)
Carolyn Clark	Scottish Natural Heritage (SNH)

Item	Subject	Description	Action
1	Introductions and Apologies	EDT welcomed all parties to the meeting. Apologies were received from those parties listed above.	
2	Safety Procedures	All present were advised regarding safety and evacuation procedures.	
3	Minutes and Actions from Previous Meeting	The minutes of Meeting No.44 held on 2 April 2015 were agreed. Actions from the previous meeting are as noted below.	
4	Principal Contract	<u>Actions from Previous Meeting No. 44</u>	
	(i)	Actions were discussed under the separate agenda items below.	
		<u>Plans for Control of Noise and Vibration</u>	
	(ii)	FCBC advised that the following PCNVs had been approved in the period: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 008 Mod 16 – South Works Area – ESQ9 & ESQ10 enabling works • 008 Mod 17 – South Works Areas – ESQ 10 Hydro-demolition works 	

		<p>The following PCNVs had been submitted in the period – PCNV 0021 Mod 27 – South Works Areas – B800 Surfacing Works.</p> <p>The following PCNVs are due for submission over the next couple of months -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PCNV 0029 –Rev 00 – Construction of Cable Stay Structure • PCNV 0008 –Mod 18 – South Works Areas – ESQ09 and ESQ10 works. • PCN 0008 Mod 19 –South Works Area B800 Bridge Demolition • Revisions to PCNVs 08, 21 and 22 	Note
	(iii)	<p>PCNV 008 Mod 19 – B800 Bridge Demolition.</p> <p>FCBC provided an update on the plan for demolition of the B800 (ESQ04) bridge. It is expected that the works will be carried out in two halves over two weekends. Further details will be presented at later NLG meetings as the planning progresses.</p>	FCBC
		<u>Monitoring</u>	
	(iv)	<p>FCBC advised that noise monitoring had been undertaken at the properties adjacent to ESQ10 (Standingstone Road Bridge) during daytime pressure washing and repair works. Levels were shown to be well within Contract requirements. It was also noted that one of the further phases will now be undertaken during the day. It was initially expected that Network Rail restrictions would apply due to the location.</p> <p>Exceedances had been recorded at the Scotstoun Monitor on a number of occasions in the period. These had all been as a result of the works being carried out immediately adjacent to the monitor. No specific actions were required by the NLG in relation to the exceedences.</p>	
		<u>Community Engagement</u>	
	(v)	<p>FCBC advised that one enquiry had been received during the period. This was from a resident of Dundas. The resident reported that a bedroom window had been rattling in the morning around 8.00 to 8.15 for about a week. FCBC placed a vibration monitor adjacent to the window for a period of 5 days with attended monitoring on the second day. It was noted that no vibration inducing plant was in use at that time of the morning and that the residents had not heard any plant noise. FCBC presented the results gathered for the monitoring period and noted that the measurements were very low compared to the Contract threshold limits (Max recorded 0.28ppv against a threshold of 5ppv). These results had been presented to the resident who advised that no further disturbance had been noted.</p>	
5	Next Meeting	The next meeting (No.46) will be held on 4 th June 2015, 10am at the Ferrytoll site office.	
6	Any Other Business	A visit to the South Works area was arranged to follow on after the meeting	