

Minutes

Community Meeting

Date: September 10, 2008

Location: Stoney Trail Scale House
12411 - 85th Street NW
Calgary, AB

Meeting Time: 10:00 AM

Attendees:

AT

Nino DeLaurentiis
Lorne Milz

BLV

Travis Coates
Wes Koyzan

Calgary Young Offenders Centre
Kurt Zinkan

South Rock

Rodney MacDonald

UPDATE SINCE LAST MEETING

- Third monitoring station still on order. Parts delayed out of the US.
- Alarm levels on 2nd monitoring station included as part of reports. Brief write up also posted on BLV webpage.
- Draft report on dust and silica provided by Sven Nielsen (Nielsen Consulting). Report was based on dust collection at 2nd monitoring station (south of current operating area). The report shows that silica should not be an issue as a health concern for works and inmates at the YOC who are outside.
- Lorne Milz followed up with the City of Calgary about sweeping along 85th street.
- No communication to be posted on Stoney Trail webpage from AT related to actions taken related to the South Rock asphalt plant (ie switching it to diesel).

GENERAL

- Have received a couple of complaints over the past month related to noise. Some related to crusher noise and some to the operation of the asphalt plant. Discussion about the recent completion of stripping activities and the arrival of R-Bee crusher back in the pit.
 - CRUSHERS - For a month and a half there were no nighttime operations and now R-Bee is operating during the night again (people are likely noticing the difference). Also, discussion about their rock trucks climbing the hill to the stockpile area and what can be done to mitigate the noise from them as much as possible.
 - ASPHALT PLANT - Residents noticed that one pile southeast of the asphalt plant has been removed. Discussion about the true affects this would have on residents that are located southwest of the asphalt plant. The pile was an old one and it was concluded that it could not be replaced due to the fact that the area is too small to build up a “new” pile to a height that would be any higher than the existing berm. This was due to the fact that the old pile was originally part of a larger pile that allowed it to be stockpiled to a greater height than would be possible in the area now available. (The main pile south of the asphalt plant is still in place)

YOUNG OFFENDERS CENTER

- Still concerned with dust at facility for employees, offenders, and guests.
- YOC happy to see action on the silica issue. New plan will be to wait for installation of monitors at the YOC and then use the results from those monitors to produce a final report on silica (as a health risk) with results that are site specific.
- Discussion about 3rd monitor. Was expected to be in place by this time, but still not in. Waiting on parts from the US.
- Discussion about upcoming winter season and the affects it will have on dust generation. BLV to apply calcium to roads before freeze up to allow dust control on roads while it isn't safe to apply water with the water truck. Sweeping activities at the entrance will be possible throughout the winter as no water is used in that process.
- YOC anticipating dust impact on their skating rink once again. Dust build up is affecting their ability to use the rink as it has to be cleared off all the time in order to keep the ice usable.
- Discussion about chipped and broken windshields.

ACTIONS

- BLV to notify everyone once timeline on 3rd monitoring station is finalized.
 - BLV to finalize report from Sven Nielsen and provide electronic copy to YOC.
 - BLV to work with R-Bee crusher. Speed on rock trucks to be reduced as much as possible while descending from stockpile area. This should minimize any bouncing and keep the empty truck boxes from banging against the frame. BLV also to investigate the possibility of keeping the boxes raised slightly in order to keep a gap between the boxes and the frames so that they can't impact one another. Haul road to be maintained as much as is feasible. When impact hammers start up, will schedule use for daylight hours as much as possible.
 - BLV to discuss tent enclosure for YOC.
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- **NEXT MEETING Oct 15th at 10 AM**

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:00 AM.

Travis Coates recorded the above minutes. It is believed that these minutes accurately represent the proceedings of the meeting. Should there be any errors or omissions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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