

PRESS INFORMATION

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Title: Progression of Posi-shell

The application of Posi-shell temporary capping is at an advanced stage and our specialists continue to apply it to the Western and Eastern flanks of the site. In line with regulatory requirements external independent consultant engineers have been in attendance at site to sign off and approve the quality of the emplacement work.

The scheduled drilling works commenced this week, with plans to install up to 28 wells across the central and eastern sections of site. This work is conducted through the Construction Quality Assurance (CQA) process whereby a specification is produced through consulting engineers and agreed with the Environment Agency, prior to works commencing. Initially, works are focussed on an area within the central section of site adjacent to the permanent capping completed in April. The drilling rig has a bespoke system to contain and scrub any off gas produced, during the works. There has been no impact to date on landfill gas produced through the drilling process. This work is undertaken in conjunction with our landfill gas management contractor, CLP Envirogas.

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