

WALLEYS QUARRY

PRESS INFORMATION

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Title: Drilling and Posi-shell Update

Scheduled drilling works

The current scheduled drilling works, undertaken between September and October 2021 have concluded successfully as planned. This was done in a safe and compliant manner with no impact on the surrounding area. We have now installed 27 additional wells in the central and eastern sections of the site which are progressively being connected in the site's gas management infrastructure. We have held on installing a final 28th well, due to the intended area of the site not currently being accessible. We will be installing this at a later date when it is possible to access the area safely.

“Crack” in the Posi-Shell

We have seen social media conversation about a “crack” in the Posi-Shell. The crack is due to two reasons. Firstly, over the past few weeks, we had to access the western section of the capping in order to install on one of the additional wells. Clay has since been used to cover this area. The eastern section of the site was accessed in order to monitor the leachate extraction points. These works will be concluded this week and clay will be subsequently applied to cover this area.

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Notes to editors:

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About Walleys Quarry:

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