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SCRUTINY REVIEW WORKING PARTY – WALLEY'S QUARRY

QUESTIONS FOR STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Are you aware of any highways safety issues arising from Walley's Quarry landfill site eg queuing vehicles causing obstructions, parking on local roads. Are there any measures that can be introduced that could address any such issues.

We are aware of queuing vehicles waiting to get onto the site; queuing through the traffic lights and along cemetery road, however because this generally occurs early morning (between 0500-0700) there are very few commuters/residents that are affected by this.

Are there any issues caused by vehicles parked and waiting to enter the site such as littering etc?

I am aware of a single police incident in May 2019 whereby a substantial amount of rubbish was dumped on Silverdale Road causing a hazard to road users. It was described as household rubbish however it is impossible to establish whether this was discarded by a vehicle on its way to Walleys Quarry or whether it was fly-tipping from another source.

3 Has the Police Service had any issues reported that relate to Walley's Quarry specifically?

Whilst on patrol, local PCSO's are often approached by residents about the smell that is produced by the quarry, especially in Silverdale village.

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