

## Local stakeholder update February – March 2017

Outlined below is a summary of progress on site in February, and a look ahead to activity due to take place during March:

### FEBRUARY

- Staircases and walkways were installed within the anaerobic digestion facility building.
- Some additional piling took place for the foundations of the gasification building. 78 concrete piles were sunk from 21 February to 27 February. Residents nearest the site were informed of the piling works in advance by letter.
- Work began to install the first equipment for the gasification facility.
- Work continued on:
  - Installing mechanical equipment for the anaerobic digestion facility.
  - Installing electrical, water and heating services for the anaerobic digestion facility building.
  - Erecting the steel frames of the gasification facility and the office and education centre.
  - Concrete pours to form the floor slabs for the gasification facility.
  - Installing fire walls around the refuse derived fuel bunker in the gasification facility.

### MARCH

- Work will begin to clad the walls and roof of the gasification facility building and to install steel frames within the building to support the gasification modules.
- Works are due to begin at the site entrance to install underground cabling and pipework, and to construct the new site road layout, which includes a new roundabout. The access arrangements for the recycling centre may alter at times during these works, and we will put measures in place to minimise disruption and manage traffic during these works.
- Work will continue on:
  - Installing mechanical equipment for the anaerobic digestion facility.
  - Erecting the steel frames of the gasification facility and the office and education centre.
  - Concrete pours to form the floor slabs for the gasification facility.
  - Installing equipment for the gasification facility.
- Floodlights are in temporary use on site during the darker winter months for the health and safety of construction workers and staff operating the bulking facility.
- The layout of the community recycling centre continues to be restricted. As a result, waiting times are affected at busy times. The works taking place at the rear of the recycling centre are nearing completion and all parking spaces in this area will be available again later this month.