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Minutes for Alyn Works liaison committee meeting

Held on Monday November 18

In attendance

Dr Gerald Drakesmith

Councillor Andrea Mearns

Kevin Jones, Synthite

Kevin Bardsley, TS Resins

Sue Wild, TS Resins

David Humphreys, Outwrite

Apologies

Apologies were received from Councillor Brian Lloyd and Sian McGregor-Andrew

Matters arising

There were no matters arising

Company news

Synthite

Kevin Jones said that for year to date, there had been improved levels of sales across areas of the business and as a consequence, improved profitability.

Methanol prices are down to €270, a number Kevin Jones expects to stay throughout 2020.

The company has taken delivery of two new tanker barrels. A further two are on their way with four more outstanding.

TS Resins

Kevin Bardsley advised that sales had been a little slower in the second half of the year. He said December could be really quite quiet and as a consequence, the business is a little behind where it is expected.

Other news

Kevin Jones said only one complaint had been received, from a member of the public off Denbigh Road regarding smells from the lagoon.

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He advised that when trying to establish more information from the complainant, they did not respond but some steps had been taken to try and alleviate the problem.

Gerald Drakesmith asked if aeration was possible.

Kevin Jones replied that problems would still arise from such a method.

Any other business

Andrea Mearns asked about the environmental area crossing over the river and a designated public right of way. It was queried if Synthite would provide stepping-stones?

Kevin Jones replied that he would be happy to make a contribution towards them.

Andrea Mearns indicated she would contact Flintshire County Council to indicate next steps.

Meeting times were raised by Kevin Jones and it was suggested that a later starting time of 5.30pm for the next meeting was proposed to allow other committee members to attend.

Date of next meeting

Monday May 11 in the TS Resins meeting room. At the new time of 5.30pm.