

CERC COMMUNITY FORUM  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**Present:**

From CERC: Elliot Millar (EfW Operations Manager), Lisa Thompson (Senior Community Liaison Manager), Sarah Cotton (SUEZ Education and Community Officer)  
From St Dennis PC: Julia Clarke (Chair), Sharron Kelsey  
From St Stephen-in-Branell PC: Paul Wadley  
From Cornwall Council: Jackie Ward, Head of Waste  
Dick Cole, Cornwall Councillor

Key points since last meeting:

January to April – planning for outage in May, staff on various training courses  
May and June – Line 1 offline from 9<sup>th</sup> May to 27<sup>th</sup> May, Line 2 back up running on 10<sup>th</sup> June. Work included camera survey, line cleaning by grit blasting, tube thickness checks etc  
Operations and administration apprentice recruitment on-going.

Waste received: January to June 113,797 tonnes (contract 74,730t, balance is non-contract eg commercial waste) with 106,077t processed. Annual allowance is 240,000 tonnes.

Operations: no breaches of emission limits, emissions lower on Line 2 due to new control system.

Health and safety: 3 small injuries and some minor property damage to bollards, kerbs etc. Some near misses eg car parked over walkway, procedures not being followed

Visitor centre and community engagement:

Took part in Truro College's STEM event to highlight career opportunities in Suez  
Stall at Royal Cornwall Show  
445 visitors including school groups such as St Dennis Academy and adult interest groups  
Various beach cleans – next one at Perranporth on 7<sup>th</sup> October 11am-2pm plus free pasty  
Volunteering days at Claytawc, Cornwall Wildlife Trust, litter picking with St Dennis Parish Council

St Dennis and Nanpean Community Trust Fund

Report from Julia Clarke. Current bank balance is approx £435,000 of which £100,000 is earmarked. To date £1,062,000 provided in grants and 75 groups supported. AGM on 27<sup>th</sup> July.

Public questions: questions from a member of the public received by email responded to

Next meeting: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 6pm at the CERC.

SHARRON KELSEY