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Your ref:

Date: 22 August 2014

Dear Resident

Odour incident reports from AB Produce

I'm very sorry that you're experiencing odour problems from the AB Produce site. We are working with the company and North West Leicestershire District Council (NWLDC) to resolve the problems.

Your reports are very important to us and we record every one. The note attached explains how we would like you to contact us so that we can continue to assess the impacts on residents. It is not necessary to make reports to both us and NWLDC as we are already sharing information in order to manage the site effectively.

I'm aware that the smells have been worse this week. This is because the company are now removing the sludge from their lagoons. The sludge has been the cause of recent odour problems and has to be dealt with. We've agreed with the council and the company that it's the right thing to do in order to address the longer term problem.

Longer term we will be pressing AB Produce to have a more robust plan to prevent and manage odours on their site. Our note explains how we would like to keep you informed of the work we are doing and the progress we are making in reducing the number of incident reports we receive. I will be at the meeting requested by the Measham CATS group next Thursday 28 at 7pm and I'll be happy to answer any questions that you may have.

Yours sincerely



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