

<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Community Consultative Committee</b>	<b>No.</b>	26
<b>Project</b>	Lynwood Quarry	<b>Date</b>	Friday 26 November 2021
<b>Venue</b>	Onsite at Lynwood Quarry	<b>Time</b>	12.00pm – 1.15pm
<b>Chaired by</b>	Brendan Blakeley	<b>Recorded by</b>	Jacinta Spies
<b>Purpose</b>	To provide an update on the Holcim Lynwood Quarry project.		

Attendees

<b>Wayne Beattie</b>	Holcim	<b>David Humphries</b>	Marulan Region Chamber of Commerce
<b>Fred Adams</b>	Holcim	<b>John Nicastri</b>	Marulan Progress Association
<b>Dave Manning</b>	Holcim	<b>Peter Simpson</b>	Site neighbour
<b>Brendan Blakeley</b>	Elton Consulting		
<b>Jacinta Spies</b>	Elton Consulting		

Apologies

<b>Warwick Bennett</b>	General Manager, Goulburn Mulwaree Council	<b>Rosemary Turner</b>	Marulan and District Historical Society
<b>Susan Pearson</b>	Towrang Valley Progress Group	<b>Rebecca McLean</b>	Holcim

**Discussion points**

**1 Welcome and introduction**

Brendan Blakeley welcomed CCC members and acknowledged the traditional custodians of the land Lynwood is located upon.

Apologies were noted including Jacinta Spies’ online attendance to minute the meeting.

The meeting's agenda was briefly outlined.

Brendan took the group through the actions from the last CCC meeting noting Rebecca had liaised with Rosemary.

*David Humphries acknowledged Holcim’s support towards the Kite Festival. Due to COVID restrictions and its cancellation over the past two years, David noted there was permission for Holcim to transfer the money to the Christmas street party.*

- Fred noted the importance of documentation for the Holcim executive general manager to approve the money transferral.

**Actions**

- David Humphries to send Holcim documentation for money transferral from the Kite Festival to the Christmas street party.

**2 Site operations update**

Wayne Beattie Hewson updated the committee on site operations (see presentation attached). The main points

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discussed were as follows:

- Wayne Beattie was formally introduced to the community consultative committee, after starting at Lynwood Quarry as the new Lynwood Quarry Manager in June this year.
- Holcim is currently accepting applications for NSW/ACT Area Manager in replacement of Peter Hewson.
- Rebecca McLean will start maternity leave after the Christmas break. Wayne Beattie and David Manning will be taking on her role.
- Internal staff roles have been simplified to allow for single lines of reporting.
- Consultation was undertaken with the team on site to determine appropriate job roles.
- Planned conversion of 15 casual labour positions to full time permanent positions.

*Peter Simpson asked why? Is the position conversion because there is more work?*

- Wayne said Holcim is looking at the Sydney market and wants to grow, noting the casual positions should have initially been permanent. There will still be a small number of casual workers in the business.
- During COVID-19 restrictions Holcim was able to maintain their workforce. Rooty Hill Regional Distribution Centre had to shut down for a period of time and due to the construction close, six weeks of revenue was lost.
- Since the CCC meeting in May, production is on budget and hitting its target and sales are down by about 400,000.

*Brendan Blakeley asked what are some of the big projects Holcim is working on?*

- Fred mentioned Holcim is working on the Western Sydney Airport, West Connex, M12, M9, M6 as well as an increase in housing and residential jobs.

*David Humphries mentioned Holcim was on the news regarding their net zero targets.*

- Fred said Holcim attended the COP26 conference in Glasgow and acknowledged there are several targets set to increase their sustainability.

*Brendan Blakeley asked if these targets include low carbon concrete?*

- Fred acknowledged Holcim is also looking at products and several ways to achieve their targets.
- Wayne added Holcim has recently updated several working machines and trucks with reburn facilities to lower emissions.

*David Humphries asked if this was only on Holcim's trucks?*

- Wayne said it also included some on site machines. Holcim is working with different types of fuel to improve truck and machine efficiency.
- Since the CCC meeting in May there have been no reportable incidents.
- The Primary Scalping Circuit was upgraded in June.
- The Christmas market is looking strong, and work is likely to ramp up next year as the airport work increases.

*David Humphries asked if changes to the government's infrastructure spending will affect Holcim?*

- Wayne noted only so much material can be supplied at the one time. Alternatively, if the government cut project work it would not be all at once.
- Recycling facilities have opened in the area.

## **Actions**

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- None noted.

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## **3 Granite pit update**

Wayne Beattie gave an update on the granite pit (see presentation attached). The main points discussed were as follows:

- Progressing as per the development consent and 5 Year Mine Plan.
- Amenity bund construction has progressed. There have been some setbacks with the rain but progressing toward spray grassing next week and vegetation planting.
- Spray grass will be a mix of Native Grass, Acacia and Couch Mix.
- Construction of the Northern end of the bund is now complete.

## **Actions**

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- None noted.

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## **4 Community update**

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Wayne Beattie gave an update on Holcim's community engagement program (see presentation attached). The main points discussed were as follows:

- Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Lynwood had to delay the CIF role out in 2020/2021.
- Lynwood will continue to support the local community and local businesses as much as possible.
- Since May 2021, Lynwood was received two air related complaints. The first complaint was received during the second week of October regarding white dust entering the town. The dust was offsite, which was explained to EPA. The second complaint was received two weeks ago from EPA following 65km winds.

#### Community Engagement

- Holcim continues to be engaged in community consultation with blast enquiries and requests to be added to the blast notification register as advertised in the monthly Marulan newsletter

#### Johnniefield Quarry

- The mechanical plant was decommissioned by Divalls.
- The site was secured and made safe and Environmental Protection Licence wrapped up.
- The lease will remain until 2043.

#### Community Dust Sampling

- Holcim met with the EPA for a site visit in June 2021 and to discuss a pathway forward from the Independent Health Assessment Report to address community concerns of RCS from quarries in the Marulan region. A copy was sent to all residents and is available on the Holcim website.
- A recommendation was made for community sampling and further analysis.
- Holcim chose to undertake and fund a PM2.5 sampling investigation over a 12-month period which began in October 2021. The data will be examined independently.

*Peter Simpson asked whether the community sampling was randomly selected?*

- Wayne clarified monitoring is undertaken from a static position, which has power and easy access.

*Peter Simpson asked whether the recommendation emanated from EPA's previous wipe and clean?*

- Wayne noted that prompted the recommendation to do something more long term.

*Peter Simpson noted on September 14 there was a massive increase in dust in the area.*

- Wayne offered his card so for any future concerns the community can contact him directly, which will allow Holcim to understand the problem and try and stop it.

#### **Actions**

- None noted.
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## **5 Environmental update**

Wayne Beattie presented an update on Holcim's compliance, monitoring and management plans (see presentation attached). The main points discussed were as follows:

#### Compliance

- Holcim has demonstrated compliance with blasting, dust deposition, PM10, noise, ground water and surface water requirements.
- The trial upgrade to one of the Hi-Volume samplers proved successful. Both samplers will be upgraded in the first half of next year, which will provide live data and allow for a quicker response.

#### Monitoring

- Wayne presented a map of the dust monitoring locations as seen on slide 19.
- Wayne presented two graphs of the depositional dust monitoring: one noting the results recorded for the previous meeting and a second to show recent results. This indicated a clear decline and proves dust controls are working.

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## Environmental update

- The Box Gum Woodland Management Plan is currently under review with assistance and input from the DAWE to ensure Lynwood is leading the way forward in biodiversity and conservation.
- Holcim will be engaging an environmental specialist to conduct various test samples to ensure the greatest success rate of targeted rehabilitation.
- The Aboriginal Heritage Management Plan survey will be conducted next week.

*David Humphries said he noted tussock as he drove to the meeting today. He asked whether there are any plans to remove it?*

- Wayne responded Holcim is investigating quotes for weed spraying.
  - Lynwood Aboriginal Heritage Keeping Project is ongoing with plans to submit the DA by mid-December.
- David Humphries asked where it will be on the site?*
- Wayne clarified it is located near the entrance off the highway, after passing through the gate. There is a large area to hold a smoking ceremony.
  - Fred added Holcim has now considered the design.
  - Wayne noted it is a sharing space, however not a hall to hire out.

*David Humphries questioned whether it was close to the highway.*

- Wayne noted the road will change from bitumen to a sealed road, which will belong to Holcim. He added a p-plater had followed a Holcim truck through the boom gate the other day.

### **Actions**

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- None noted.

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### **Next six months**

Wayne Beattie gave an overview of Holcim's planned activities for the next six months. Activities listed were as follows:

- Continuation of PM2.5 data monitoring.
- Annual Management Plan reviews.
- Conservation area focus, working with the DAWE.
- Granite pit works and ongoing amenity bund works hopefully finished by March next year.
- Annual Aboriginal Heritage Site Monitoring next Monday.
- Upgrade to the second Hi-Vol unity to a BAM unit in the first half of 2022.
- Preparation for Summer weather including bushfire management plans and water storage for excessive rain events. This will include a sediment and erosion review.
- The Keeping Place DA submission in early December.
- Engage with newly elected council members to discuss future plans for the region and Holcim's potential support.
- The last day for work this year will be December 23, with sales continuing up to lunch time. Workers will return to site on January 4 completing maintenance and minor work, with production commencing January 10.

### **Actions**

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- None noted.

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### **Other matters**

Brendan Blakeley asked the group if there were any other matters to discuss:

*John Nicastrì noted appreciate for the upcoming Christmas BBQ.*

- Wayne added there will be some formality on December 15, however Holcim is limited due to COVID-19 restrictions.

*David Humphries asked how the DA was progressing on the Marulan Highway Sign.*

- Wayne responded there needs to be follow up. Rebecca has mentioned it is still with Council.

*Peter suggested sending Rebecca a congratulations on her pregnancy.*

### **Actions**

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- None noted.

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## 10 Close

It was agreed the next meeting will be tentatively scheduled for the end of March 2022. Brendan will speak with Council to find a suitable date, noting they have been unable to attend the last few meetings.

Brendan reminded the group if there are urgent matters in the mean time, to raise them with Wayne, Jacinta or Brendan as soon as possible.

Brendan thanked the group for their attendance and the meeting was closed.

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### **Actions**

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- None noted

# Appendices

A PowerPoint presentation

# **A PowerPoint Presentation**



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# Community Consultation Committee Meeting: 26 November 2021



# Agenda

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- 1. Operations Update - Wayne Beattie**
- 2. Granite Pit Update - Wayne Beattie**
- 3. Community Update - Wayne Beattie**
- 4. Environmental Update - Wayne Beattie**

# 1. Operations Update



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## Internal Staff Changes

- Wayne Beattie has been appointed the new Lynwood Quarry Manager
- Peter Hewson (previously NSW/ACT Area Manager) has left the business. Currently accepting applications for replacement
- Lynwood staff restructure
- Rebecca MacLean to begin maternity leave from the Christmas break.  
Wayne Beattie and Dave Manning to take on community enquiries.
- Lynwood Quarry EA 2021 voted in, currently with Fair Work Commission for Ratification
- Planned conversion of Casual labour to Full Time Permanent Positions

## 1. Operations Update cont.

- COVID-19 impacts since May 2021
  - Yield
  - Sales figures
- Contractor engagement
  - Review of resources to suit quarry output
  - Strengthened key local suppliers
  - Job preservation for full time Holcim employees
- No reportable incidents since last CCC meeting.
- Upgrade of Primary Scalping Circuit
- Outlook for the next 6 months



## 2. Granite Pit Update



Photo taken  
October 2021

# 1. Granit Pit Update

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## Current Pit Development

- Progressing as per the development consent and 5 Year Mine plan.
- Overburden removal is steady meet our production demands.
- Amenity bund construction has progressed. We have had some setbacks with the rain, but progressing toward spray grassing next week and vegetation planting.



## 4. Granite Update cont.

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### Amenity Bund Progress

- Construction of the Northern end now complete.
- Spray grass to be completed by end of November/ early December 2021 to support the ground structure until the tube stock effectively establish.

#### Flexterra Specification

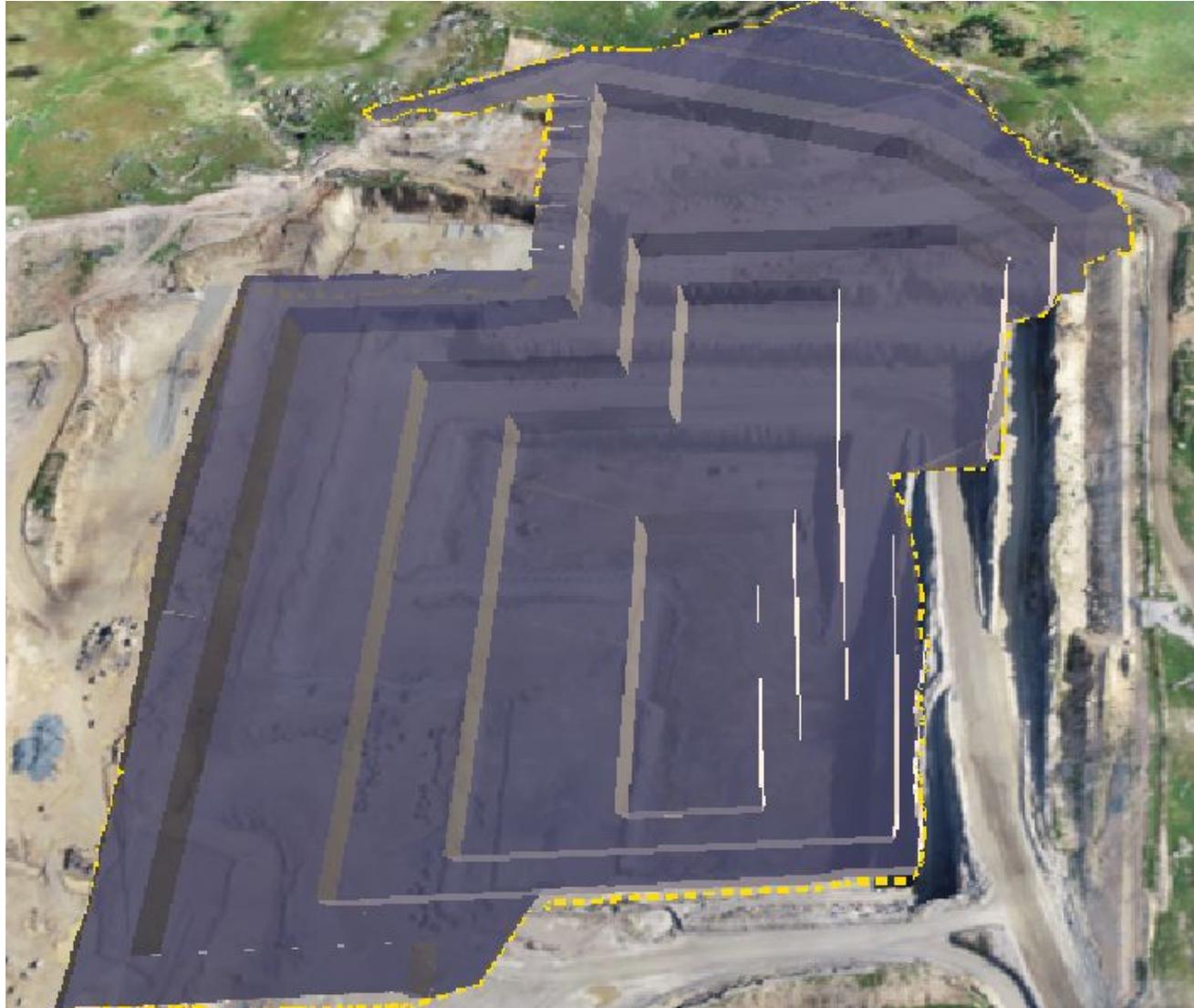
<b>Native Grass, Acacia and Couch Mix</b>	<b>@ 30Kg per Ha</b>
Native Grass Mix	70%
Acacia Shrub Mix	7-10%
Couch grass	20%
<b>Flexterra FGM Flexible Growth Medium</b>	<b>@ 5Tonne per Ha</b>
<b>Organic Fertilizer Slow Release</b>	<b>@ 400Kg per Ha</b>

- Tube stock scheduled for early December

# 1. Granit Pit Update cont.

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## 2021 Pit Plan



## 3. Community Update



# 3. Community Update

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## Community Investment Fund

- Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and pending global issues, Lynwood had unfortunately had to delay in the Community Investment Fund role out in 2020/2021. All applications received in 2022 will be placed into the 2022 rounds as they are released.
- Lynwood Quarry will continue to support the local community and local business as much as possible through this difficult time by utilising the services of local people and businesses.



### 3. Community Update cont.

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## Community Engagement Program 2021

Throughout 2021, Holcim have supported the below community initiatives. We look forward to providing additional support to the community in 2022 as COVID restrictions ease.

- Goulburn Mulwaree Council Australia Day BBQ (\$500)
- Gunning Campdraft (\$500)
- Towrang Valley Progress Association Australia Day BBQ (\$500)
- Goulburn Agricultural, Pastoral & Horticultural Society (\$2,000)
- Marulan Football Club (\$3,500)
- Goulburn & District Showjumping Competition (\$1,000)



### 3. Community Update cont.

#### 2022 CEP Budget (under review)

<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>Cost Description</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Marulan Community Festival Sponsorship	Sponsorship / Attendance	\$3,000
Marulan Pony Club	Sponsorship	\$1,500
Goulburn & District Show Jumping	Major Sponsor	\$1,000
Goulburn Show	Gold Sponsorship	\$2,000
Tallong Apple Festival	Sponsorship / Attendance	\$2,000
Chamber of Commerce	Joining fee and Newsletters	\$1,000
Marulan Christmas Carols	Sponsorship / Stall	\$3,500
Goulburn District Hockey	Sponsorship	\$3,000
Goulburn Cricket	Sponsorship	\$3,000
Marulan Soccer Club	Sponsorship	\$3,500
Goulburn Rugby	Sponsorship	\$3,000
Mayoral Golf Day - final year of 5 year commitment	Gold Sponsor / Attendance	\$5,000
Goulburn Australia Day BBQ	Sponsorship / Attendance	\$500
Towrang Australia Day BBQ	Sponsorship / Attendance	\$500
Tallong PS Father's Day BBQ	Sponsorship	\$600
Promotional Items/ Additional requests	Sponsorship	\$5,000
Lions Club BBQ December	Sponsorship	\$500
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$38,600</b>

### 3. Community Update cont.

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## Complaints & Community Consultation

Since May 2021, Lynwood has received the following from the community:

- 2 x Air Complaints

Holcim continues to be engaged in community consultation with blast enquiries and requests to be added to the blast notification register as advertised in the monthly Marulan newsletter.



### 3. Community Update cont.

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## Johnniefeld Quarry - Status and Forward Plan to 2043

- ✓ Mechanical plant decommissioned by Divalls
- ✓ Hydrocarbon contamination remediated with support from Divalls
- ✓ Site secured and “made safe”
- ✓ Environmental Protection Licence wrapped up (commitments met)
- ✓ Development Consent wrapped up (commitments met)

To come:

- Lease to remain until 2043
- Further site rehabilitation - Continual sustainable investigations and development toward 2043

### 3. Community Update cont.

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## Community Dust Sampling PM2.5

Holcim met with the EPA for a site visit in June 2021 and to discuss a pathway forward from the Independent Health Assessment Report (HEARS) to investigate community concerns of RCS from quarries in the Marulan region.

A recommendation was made for community sampling and further analysis. Holcim elected to undertake and fund a PM2.5 sampling investigation over a 12 month period which began in October 2021.

Our commitment will be included on the Lynwood EPL as a “Pollution Reduction Survey”.

The results will be reviewed by an independent and suitably qualified professional and provided back to the EPA with supporting data.



## 4. Environmental Update



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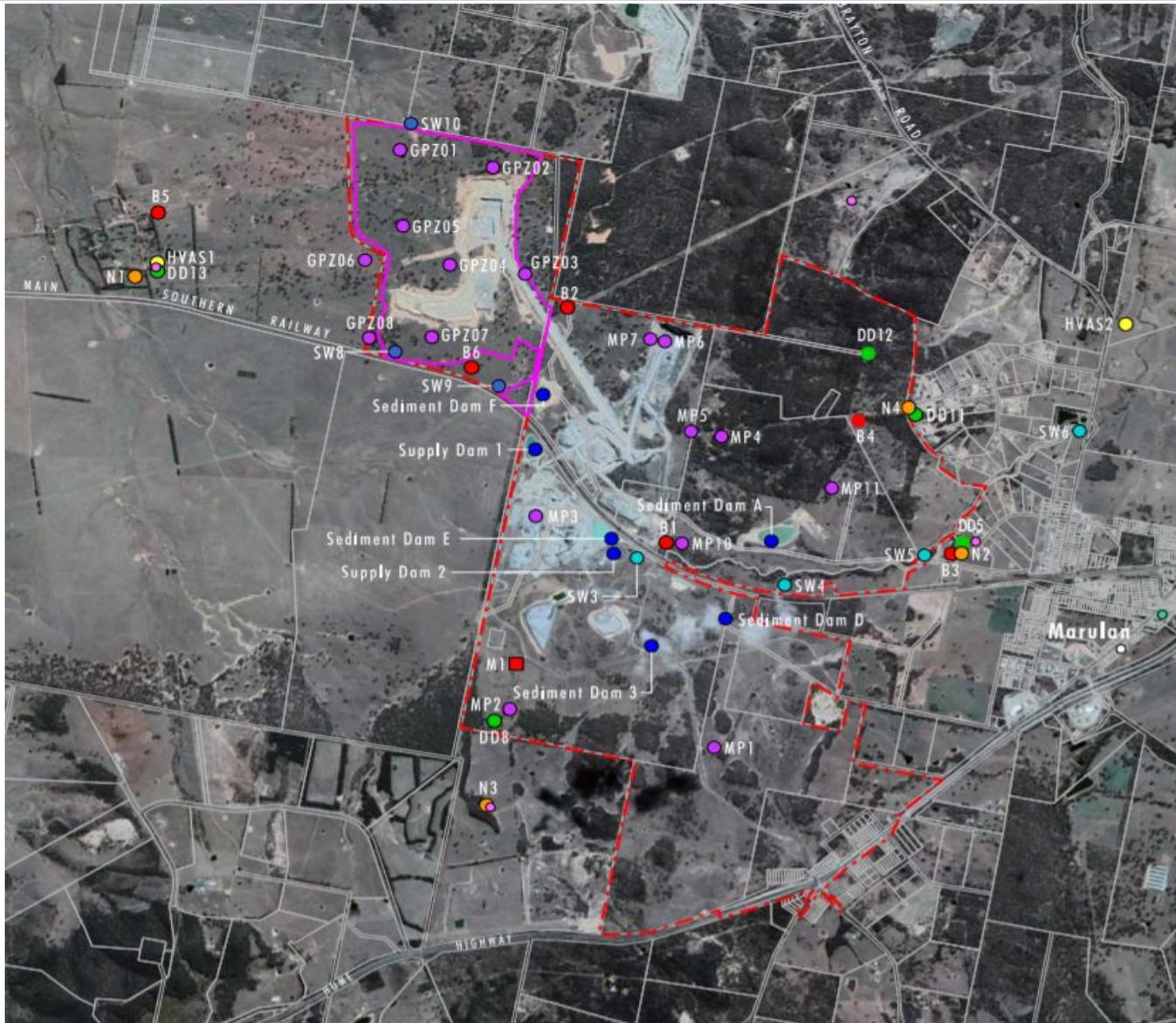
### Compliance

- ✓ Blasting - Compliant
- ✓ Dust Deposition - Compliant
- ✓ PM10 - Compliant
- ✓ Noise - Compliant
- ✓ Ground Water - Compliant
- ✓ Surface Water - Compliant

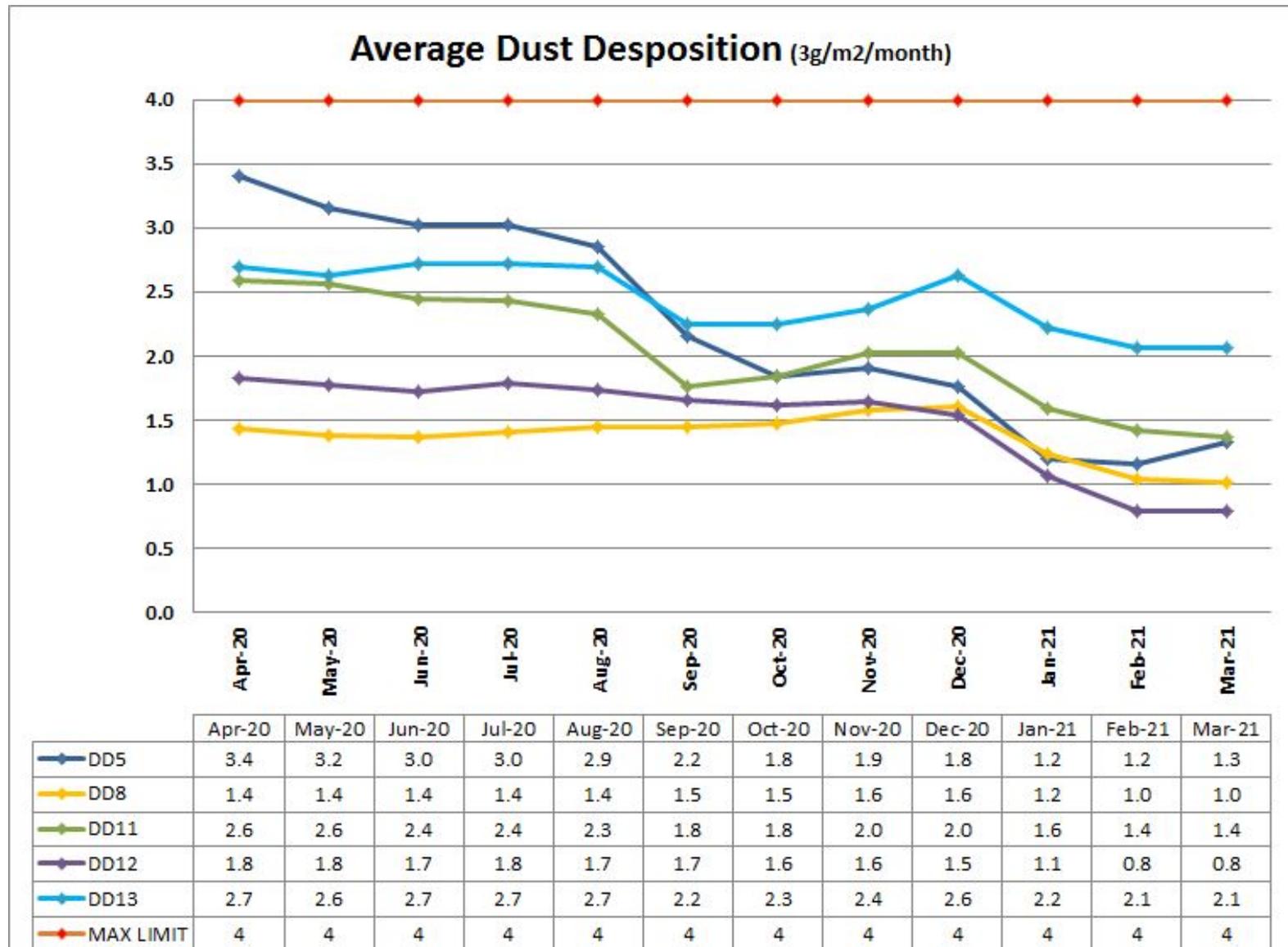
The trial upgrade to one of the Hi-Volume samplers proved successful. HVAS1 and HVAS2 will both be upgraded to the BAM Exactus real time monitor in the first half of 2022 upon the Air Quality Management Plan being approved by DPIE.



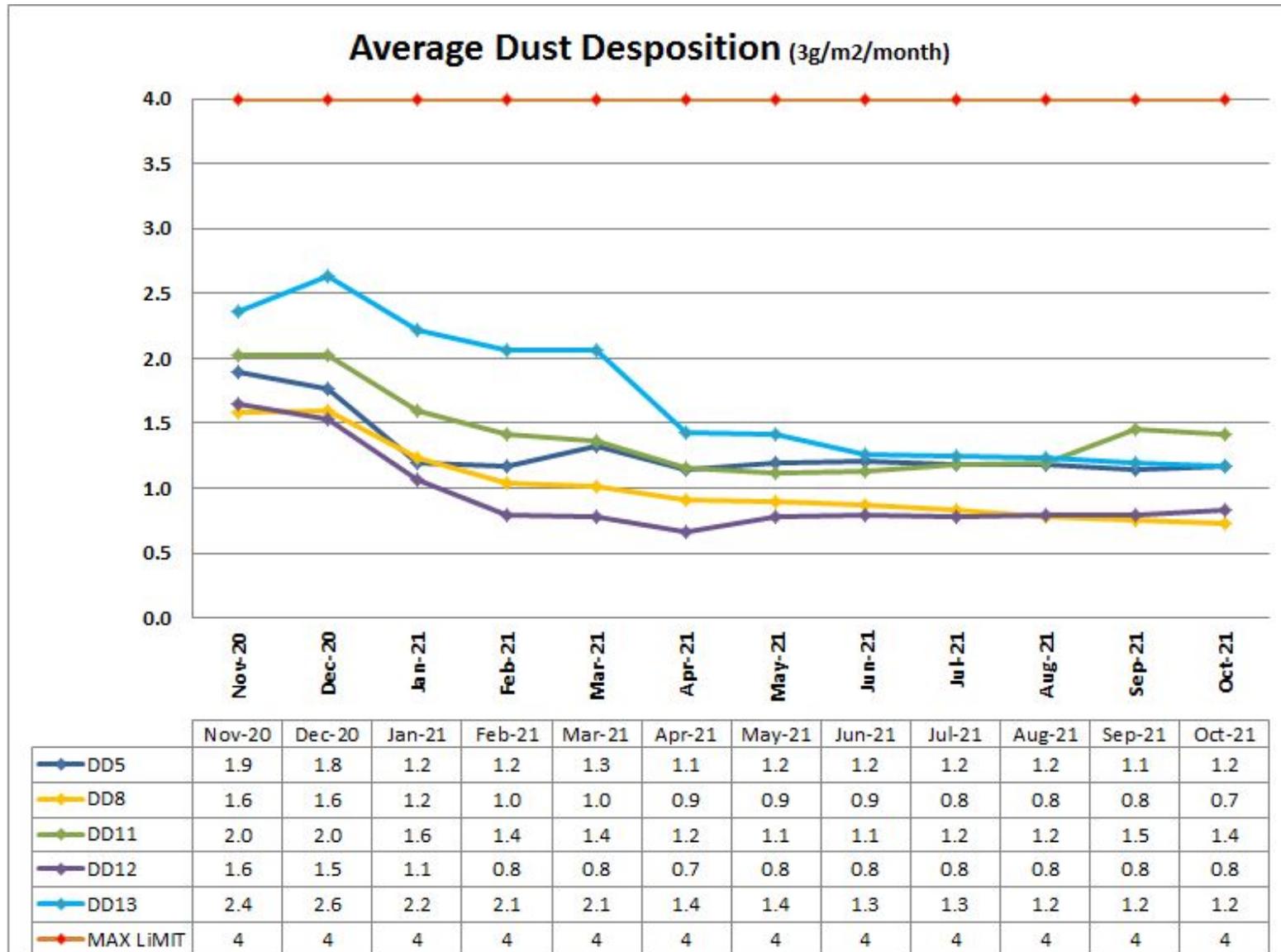
# Map of Dust Monitor Locations



# Depositional Dust Monitoring Results (previous meeting)



# Depositional Dust Monitoring Results - Current

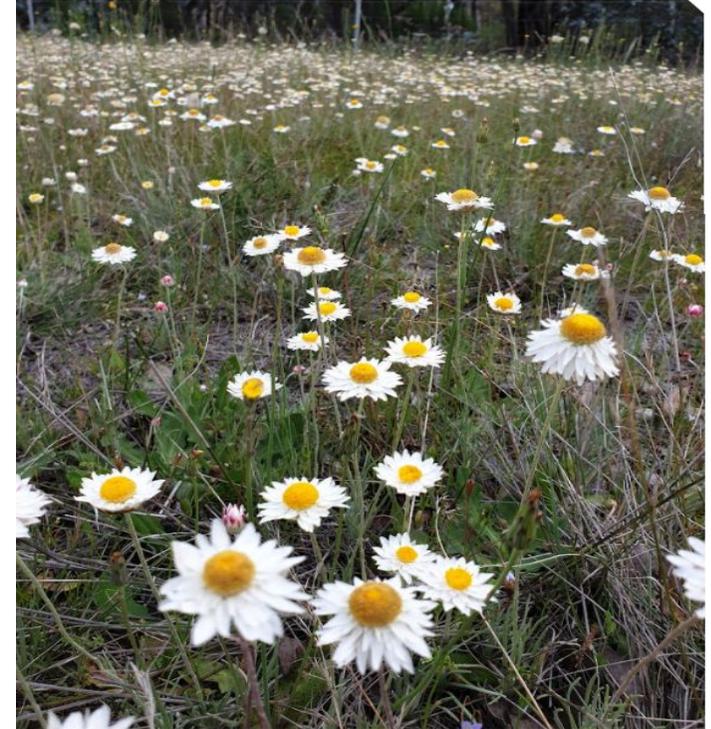


## 4. Environmental Update cont.

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### Management Plans

- The Box Gum Woodland Management Plan is currently under review with assistance and input from the DAWE to ensure Lynwood is leading the way forward in biodiversity and conservation.  
Holcim will be engaging an environmental specialist to conduct various test samples to ensure the greatest success rate of targeted rehabilitation.
- The Aboriginal Heritage Management Plan has been updated and is awaiting final approval, due next week.



Hoary Sunray (*Leucochrysum albicans* var. *tricolor*) Endangered

## 4. Environmental Update cont.

# The Lynwood Aboriginal Heritage Keeping Place Project

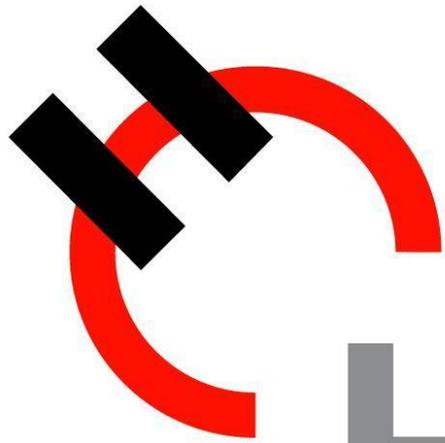


## Next 6 months

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- Continuation of PM2.5 data monitoring
- Annual Management Plan reviews
- Conservation area focus, working with the DAWE
- Granite pit works - Ongoing Amenity bund work
- Annual Aboriginal Heritage Site Monitoring, 29th November
- Upgrade the second Hi-Vol unit to a BAM unit - first half 2022
- Preparation for Summer weather - review bushfire plans and water storage for excessive rain events. To include a sediment and erosion review.
- The Keeping Place DA submission - Early Dec
- Engage with newly elected council members to discuss future plans for the region and Holcim's potential support
- Christmas closure dates





Holcim