



I hope this latest update continues to find you safe and well, it seems quite a while since I wrote to you back in April.

This briefing note outlines our plans as we move forward to restart physical work at our sites, and what we've been doing to get to that point.

There are now an increasing number of people at our sites, working to the new health, safety and security issues that are now in place.

Dividers and screens have been erected to allow for social distancing, signage put up in corridors and communal areas, one way systems established and hand sanitising stations placed at various points throughout the sites.

The fire alarm systems have been tested, along with legionella sampling and sewerage testing and we have had a thorough deep clean of all areas. There has been an enormous amount of work associated with this, and our teams have worked very hard to get everything ready for our Reset.

Now this vital work has been completed we will be able to re-open our work programmes and return to decommissioning activities. We expect all of those needed back on site to be able to return between now and the end of September.

Staff have been asked to complete a new training package before they return to site and line managers are liaising with their teams to make sure those who continue to home work are looking after their wellbeing.

Finally, I am pleased to say we have announced the appointment of Nigel Houlton as our first 'Future Missions' Director, from 03 August 2020. Nigel will join Magnox from EDF Energy where he has spent a decade in various roles shaping the future direction of its nuclear business in the UK, as well as previously working for Rolls Royce. We look forward to welcoming him on-board.

Gwen Parry-Jones, Chief Executive

Socio-economic news

Magnox is pleased to announce £499,999 has been committed to Ayrshire College for the new Future Skills Hub on the Kilwinning Campus, due to open in late 2021.



The college has been given a major boost with the allocation of Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (NDA) funding – allocated through the Magnox socio-economic scheme. The Hub will deliver a curriculum in engineering, construction and technologies for employers, primary schools, secondary schools and college students.

In addition the NDA has published the latest version of its local social and economic impact strategy for 2020. The strategy outlines the current approach to socio-economics and includes a consolidated view of improvements and amendments made over the last few years.

It was subject to consultation at the start of the year, so thanks to everyone who contributed.

You can find the document online here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/working-with-our-communities>

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In addition Magnox and the NDA have continued with their commitment to support local communities around our sites during the pandemic, with each site making available up to £25,000 to councils and charities for their response work. We are pleased to say that since the last update in June we have been able to confirm grants for the following organisations, ensuring each of our 12 sites have now benefitted from this opportunity.

Berkeley	Stroud District Council
Dungeness	Hythe District Council
Harwell	Vale of White Horse District Council
Oldbury	South Gloucestershire Council

Supply chain update

A healthy supply chain has always been vital to the delivery of the Magnox mission. We have strong relationships with our suppliers and appreciate their expertise.

During the necessary pause of work at sites, many suppliers are supporting us by working from home. In some cases, our appointed manufacturers have continued production with the relevant Covid-19 controls in place. We are supporting our supply chain as best we can, whilst adhering to government guidelines.

A number of suppliers are assisting with our preparations to return to some work at sites. Health and safety remains our top priority and there is an increased focus on safe behaviours to minimise health risks to our workforce. It is crucial that suppliers returning to our sites observe good practice in preventing any potential spread of coronavirus.



Certification of the Magnox management system

We're very pleased to report that Magnox has retained some key internationally recognised certifications in Quality Management, Environmental Management and Occupational Health and Safety.

The process of re-accreditation by Lloyds Register involved all Magnox sites and many visits during 2019, with final stages being completed through remote auditing due to the coronavirus outbreak.

Our commitment to diversity

Magnox is committed to embracing diversity, as well as fostering and encouraging a culture of respect and inclusion. Together with our colleagues across the NDA group, we believe everyone must be treated fairly and with respect. We value the diversity that people of differing backgrounds, experiences and abilities bring to our business.

Following recent national events supporting the Black Lives Matter movement, we wanted to emphasise our condemnation of systemic and structural racism in all forms. For your information, Magnox has its own Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic (BAME) employee network, which complements a number of other diversity networks.

