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INVITATION TO AN EXHIBITION AT BALLIDON QUARRY

Summary

Lafarge Tarmac, operators of Ballidon Quarry, are intending to make a planning application to the Peak District National Park to modify the existing restoration and development schemes at the Quarry with the intention of providing significantly enhanced restoration.

This will be achieved by leaving unworked stone in the base of the quarry, which already has permission, and removing the Southern Tip and using this material to bury the quarry faces. Stone beneath the quarry tip will be worked in substitute for the stone to be left in situ. These proposals are reserve neutral and will not extend the end date of the operation estimated at approximately 15 years. No other terms of the current planning permission are to be altered.

To meet legal requirements of the Peak Pak Planning Authority two applications will be submitted simultaneously, one to vary the restoration scheme and one to extend the working area within the existing permission to beneath the southern tip.

An exhibition to illustrate these proposals will be held at **Ballidon Quarry** on **Tuesday 31st March 2015** with Lafarge Tarmac staff being available to answer questions and explain the proposals in more detail. The exhibition will run from **16.30** to **19.30**.

Should you require further information but cannot attend the exhibition please Contact Grahame Fyles at: grahame.fyles@lafargetarmac.com or Tel 07879624515

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Proposed Restoration Scheme designed to minimise exposed rock faces and maximize slopes for grazing and development of ecologically valuable species rich grassland.



