



15 December 2021 – Community notification

Dear local residents and businesses

The Environment Protection Authority (EPA) is writing to update the community on the discovery by the EPA of some non-friable asbestos (in the form of broken asbestos cement sheeting) in stockpiles on two Old Red Brick Company sites at Beverley.

An EPA investigation has been launched and the following actions have been undertaken:

- The EPA has engaged an environmental consultant to install air monitoring equipment to check for any airborne asbestos.
- Dust management measures including suppressant have now been applied to the stockpiles by the company.
- EPA investigators are continuing the investigation of Old Red Brick Company for non-compliance with legislation.
- The EPA is continuing to work with other agencies and a risk assessment is being undertaken.

SA Health advises that asbestos exposures from dust escaping from the Old Red Brick Company sites are unlikely to result in increased asbestos-related illness in the community.

Results of the monitoring will be available next week at:
www.epa.sa.gov.au

A community information session will be held this Friday afternoon (please see overleaf for more information). We will write to you again soon.



INVITATION

Community information session

Friday 17 December 2021

4.30 pm – 7.30 pm: 'drop in' any time*

Flinders Park Community Hall

167 Grange Rd, Beverley SA 5009

Wheelchair-friendly venue. Parking available.

***IMPORTANT COVID PLAN – please RSVP**

The Flinders Park Community Hall is a COVID-safe certified venue. To ensure the safety of our staff and our community, we ask that you please contact us to advise of your attendance.

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