



Water Resources Technical Stakeholder Meeting

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the programme of works for physical testing to determine the net yield of the Severn Thames Transfer scheme

Date: Tuesday 28 May 2019

Time: 10:00 to 15:00 – Coffee will be available from 09:30, with the meeting starting at 10:00

Venue: Crowne Plaza (Caversham No 1 & No 2), Caversham Bridge, Richfield Avenue, Reading, RG1 8BD (Map below)

Agenda:

10:00 Welcome and introductions Chris Lambert, Thames Water

10:10 Overview of the scheme Chris Lambert, Thames Water

10:20 Approach to physical testing and associated challenges Andy Ball, HRWallingford

11:50 *Break*

12:00 Activity during Summer 2019 Mason Durant, HRWallingford

13:00 *Sandwich Lunch*

13:45 Activity during Autumn/Winter 2019 Andy Ball, HRWallingford

14:30 Summing up and general discussion Chris Lambert, Thames Water

15:00 Meeting close

Documents circulated:

No.	Title
1	Agenda (this document)
2	Briefing Paper "Supported Severn Thames Transfer Physical Testing Approach" prepared by HR Wallingford
3	Terms of Reference for the HR Wallingford work as published in Appendix XX of TW's updated revised draft plan – Annex XX3
4	GARD's response on the assessment of losses for a Severn Thames Transfer (Appendix B of GARD's representation to the further consultation on TW's rdWRMP19)
5	Email correspondence between GARD and Thames Water in relation to STT losses and documentation (May 2019)
6	Terms of Reference of the River Severn Working Group (RSWG) published with approval of the RSWG – noting these ToR will be revised in the near future
7,8 & 9	Meeting minutes of the RSWG as far as they relate to estimation of water losses from the proposed STT transfer

Attendees (as confirmed 21 May 2019)

Colin Fenn	Hydro-Logic Services
Dan Wykeham	Southern Water
Dave Preston	Environment Agency
David Groom	Stroud Valleys Canal Company
Ed Mallam	Affinity Water
Helen Tidridge	Natural Resources Wales
John Lawson	Group Against Reservoir Development (GARD)
Kane Horton	Canal and River Trust
Kay Lacey	CCG/River Pang Flood Forum
Ken Burgin	Cotswold Canal Trust (CCT)
Martin Salter	Angling Trust
Meyrick Gough	WRSE
Neil Edwards	RWE NPower
Pat Spain	Hafren Dyfrdwy
Paul Jennings	River Chess Association
Richard Harding	Council for Protection of Rural England (CPRE)
Sarah Clark	Severn Trent Water
Wendy Kilmurray	Mott McDonald

Thames Water: Chris Lambert, Peter Blair

HR Wallingford: Andy Ball, Mason Durant, Eleanor Hall

Getting to the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Reading

Arriving by car - There is free parking at the hotel.

Arriving by train - The hotel is ~ 15 minutes walk from Reading railway station – a map is below to help you to find the hotel or there are taxis at the station.

