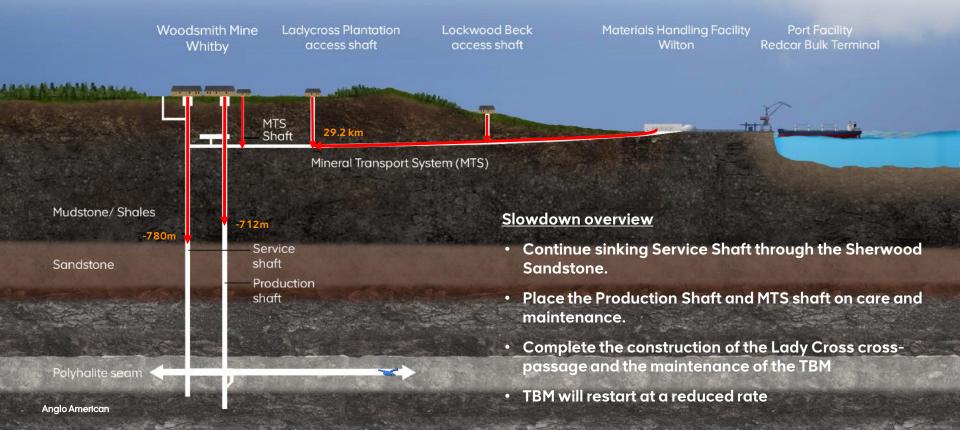


Liaison Group Forum

July 2024



Construction progress, slowdown overview

















Job creation, slowdown impacts

Before slowdown

• 2,000 people working on the project, 1,400 from the local area

Slowdown

Total people working on project will reduce to c.800 by early next year

Current status

- 450 job losses
 - 90 York and North Yorkshire residents
 - ➤ 135 Tees Valley residents
- 110 redeployed to other projects
- 60 left for new opportunities

Slowdown support programme

In collaboration with councils, combined authorities, NCS, DWP:

- Training and business start-up academy
- Careers guidance, job search, updating CVs Direct relationships with large employers
- 180 engaged with training and business start-up support
 - > 60 York and North Yorkshire
 - > 92 Tees Valley
 - ▶ 16 wider Yorkshire area



Thriving Communities Programme

Livelihoods	Education	Health	Neighbourhoods
Refocus	Continue	Continue	Continue
Support key growth sectors	Equip disadvantaged students to achieve their potential	 Improve the emotional resilience and well-being of young adults 	 Improve the community environment and facilities in areas closest to our sites
Create new businesses	Promote STEM careers and		 Support community events
Skills and employment	curriculum		Support Community Cvents
• 138 businesses created	Launch of Achieve	Launched two-year pilot	• 100+ community projects
 1000+ businesses supported 254 people into work 	programme in 18 schools20,000 students engaged	to support 250 people	delivered



Thank you