

July 2026 Community Update: Jameson Road Landfill site

We are committed to keeping residents updated on the action being taken to address odour issues at the Jameson Road Landfill site. We understand the effect these odours can have on daily life, both inside homes and in outdoor spaces, and we are continuing to work towards a long-term solution.

Figures for July:



- In July we received and assessed 196 complaints related to unwanted odour from the site.
- In total, we received 22 completed Odour Diary Sheets. Of these, 20 were sent in by four households and one was submitted by a commercial premises.
- Council officers carried out 107 verification visits in July. Of these, 56 were to commercial or business premises, 36 were location based and a further 15 were to homes or residential areas where the verification was undertaken outside.

What is happening with the abatement notice?

- Transwaste has formally appealed the abatement notice that Wyre Council served in April 2026. An appeal is a legal process that allows the company to challenge the notice through the courts. Council officers are continuing to prepare evidence and documentation to support the notice and respond to the appeal. An initial directions hearing has already taken place. This hearing was used to agree the timetable and procedural arrangements for the case. The court has now confirmed that the full appeal hearing is scheduled to take place in March 2027.
- The appeal does not change the council's position or commitment to the statutory nuisance process. While the appeal process is ongoing, we remain focused on addressing residents' concerns and carrying out the work needed to support the statutory nuisance investigation. We will continue to gather and assess evidence and take action to investigate the issues raised by residents.
- We understand that residents want to see progress and will continue to provide updates on both the appeal process and the wider statutory nuisance investigation as further information becomes available.

What else are we doing?

- The verification visits above show the work our officers are doing to gather evidence about unwanted odour in the area. Officers are working hard to carry out visits multiple times a day, going to different homes, businesses, commercial premises and community locations to observe any odour and record what they find as part of our ongoing monitoring and evidence gathering process.
- We met with the Environment Agency team to stay updated on the enforcement notice issued in relation to capping works on Cell 6. We understand this work has been completed.

Keep reporting unwanted odour

It is vital that residents continue to report incidents of unwanted odour, record how it affects them on diary sheets and agree to verification visits if they are still being affected. This helps us properly monitor odour in the community and check compliance

with the abatement notice. If reports and diary sheets stop, it could be considered that the nuisance has gone away.

Complete a diary sheet here: <https://www.wyre.gov.uk/jamesonroad>

We can only do this with your help...

Please follow these three steps:

1. Fill in an odour diary sheet

Please tell us:

- when the odour happened and how long it lasted
- where you noticed it
- how strong it was and how it affected you

2. Send your completed sheets to Wyre Council

3. Agree to an officer verification visit if we contact you

Where possible, the visit should take place where the odour affects you most.

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