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**Dear Community Member** 

## **Brompton Gasworks Remediation Investigative Works**

The former Brompton Gasworks site, within the Bowden Heritage Precinct, is being cleaned up. Renewal SA has engaged Ventia Utility Services (Ventia) and Senversa to undertake a final series of environmental investigations before remediation begins. Ventia will remediate the site and has set up an office onsite to manage the investigations and remediation works. Senversa will conduct the investigations.

The site has a long industrial history dating back to the 1860s when it was used to manufacture gas from coal. Both the soil and groundwater have been contaminated by some of the past uses and remediation will enable redevelopment of the site into a vibrant neighbourhood.

The final environmental investigations include soil, groundwater and soil vapour sampling, plus the removal and inspection of sub-surface infrastructure. The works will occur over the next few months during normal construction site hours, Monday to Friday, 7.00am to 5.00pm. Works on Saturdays may be required occasionally.

Most of the investigations will be onsite and will involve the use of drilling rigs and excavators. The investigations needed offsite will be done in areas such as road reserves or below footpaths.

At times, the community may notice dust, noise and odour during the works; however, the project team will minimise these impacts through monitoring and the use of environmental controls. For example, water sprays will be used to reduce dust and fragrant non-toxic deodorisers will be used to limit odours.

The results of the investigations will help to refine the strategy for the site's remediation. Ventia and Renewal SA plan to invite the community to a drop-in information session onsite about the remediation works, before they begin later this year.

To find out more about the future remediation of the site and about the plans for redeveloping the Bowden Heritage Precinct, visit <a href="https://renewalsa.sa.gov.au/bowden-heritage-precinct">https://renewalsa.sa.gov.au/bowden-heritage-precinct</a>

If you have questions about the information in this letter, please call Ventia's Community Contact Line: 1800 009 414 or email <a href="mailto:bromptonremediation@ventia.com.au">bromptonremediation@ventia.com.au</a>

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