### Worksites

#### **Environmental Update**

**Closing down Construction Works for the Holiday Period** 

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Basil Read will close down all airport worksites on *Friday, 21st December 2012* and will re-open on *Wednesday, 2nd January 2013* after the holiday period.

During this time members of the public are reminded that all sites remain **CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC** in the interests of health and safety. These sites include the Airport Site at Prosperous Bay Plain and Dry Gut, as well as Bradleys, the Haul Road, and the worksites in Ruperts. Security guards will patrol these areas throughout the holiday period and members of the public are asked to adhere to the signage in place.

We are all looking forward to a break over the holiday period. When we return to work in January 2013, the pace will increase even further. Basil Read plans to double-shift on the Airfield Earthworks from approximately March 2013. Next year will also see Basil Read concentrating on upgrading the Haul Road and construction of the Bulk Fuel Installation.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support to the project this past year. We wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous 2013!

## Airport Environmental Update

One year into the project we have developed a good understanding of the types and volumes of waste generated on site. On average the project will produce approximately 2-3 tonnes of waste every week, including hazardous materials. We aim to ship all hazardous materials back to South Africa, while also reducing the volume of waste sent to landfill on St Helena by either avoiding the generation of waste, re -using or recycling waste products. At the moment we are either re-using or recycling most paper, card and food waste and are always looking for opportunities to reduce waste.

You can still contact us during the holiday period. Comments, queries and complaints can be directed to the:

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