



# The British Dam Society

## Toddbrook Reservoir Incident Seminar, 16 March 2020

Venue: Telford Theatre, ICE

| Time          | Subject  | Speakers  | Affiliation   |
|---------------|--|---|---|
| 14:00 – 14:10 | Introduction   | Alan Warren   | BDS Chair   |
| Session 1     |  | Chair: David Littlemore                                       | BDS Vice-Chair  |
| 14:10 – 14:20 | History of Toddbrook Reservoir                                       | David Brown   | Canal and River Trust                                       |
| 14:20 – 14:35 | Incident identification and first steps                              | David Brown   | Canal and River Trust                                       |
| 14:35 – 14:55 | Day 1: Inspecting engineer mobilisation and initial response actions | Richard Robson and Billy Sheehy                               | Mott MacDonald  |
| 14:55 - 15:15 | Days 2-6: Monitoring, surveillance and river diversion improvements  | Peter Down  | Mott MacDonald  |
| 15:15 – 15:25 | Q&A  |   |   |
| Break         | Tea and coffee, Great Hall   |   |   |
| Session 2     |  | Chair: David Littlemore                                       | BDS Vice-Chair  |
| 15:45 – 16:00 | Pump deployment  | Eddie Quinn   | Kier  |
| 16:00 – 16:10 | Filling the void - 1   | Wing Com. Gary Lane MBE                                       | RAF   |
| 16:10 - 16:20 | Filling the void - 2   | Steve Ovington  | OnSite  |
| 16:20 – 16:40 | Incident command and multi-agency co-ordination                      | John Perkins and Kem Mehmet                                   | Derbyshire Police   |
| 16:40 – 16:50 | Impact on the Whaley Bridge community                                | Ms Chris Wilman and Ms Mo Wild                                | Whaley Bridge residents                                     |
| 16:50 – 17:05 | Incident closure   | Tony Deakin and Simon Bamford                                 | Environment Agency<br>Canal and River Trust                 |
| 17:05 – 17:20 | Interim improvements and the future of Toddbrook Reservoir           | Simon Bamford and Natalie Bennett                             | Canal and River Trust                                       |
| 17:20 – 17:30 | Q&A  |   |   |
| Break         | Light supper, Great Hall   |   |   |
| Session 3     |  | Chair: Alan Warren  | BDS Chair   |
| 18:00 – 18:05 | Summary of the afternoon sessions                                    | Tom Bryant  | Mott MacDonald  |
| 18:05 – 19:15 | Government Independent Review and CRT incident investigation         | Professor David Balmforth<br>Dr Peter Mason<br>Dr Andy Hughes | Former ICE President<br>Damsolve Ltd<br>Dams and Reservoirs |
| 19:15 – 19:45 | Q&A  |   |   |