New Lean Partner Appointed

We are pleased to announce that we have appointed S A Partners to join us as Lean consultants and help build our Lean model and deploy it throughout the business.

S A Partners (www.sapartners.com) are a well-established, Caerphilly based Lean consultancy firm with extensive global experience of introducing Lean into many industries and sectors through a cultural driven approach. S A Partners will help us build on the successes of our Lean reliability centred maintenance (RCM) deployment, and improve Lean ways of working across the business.

Over the next couple of months, we will be working with S A Partners to develop our Lean programme. This will have a stronger emphasis on engagement and culture change than our previous work, and will focus on deploying Lean principals, tools, and ways of working into our day to day business.

The programme will continue to focus on Water Production and Wastewater Treatment, but will also start to deploy Lean practices into support functions including Finance and Procurement.

Quote from Mat Jackson, Lean Programme Manager;

This appointment is great news for us as we start to broaden our deployment across the business, and deepen our approach in Waste and Water. S A Partners bring with them a wealth of understanding and knowledge, and we are looking forward to working with them.

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