

**Consultation Response from: KC Environmental Health (Pollution & Noise Control)**

**2024/90256 - Whitehall Service Station, Whitehall Road East, Birkenshaw, BD11 2EJ**

**Change of use from coin operated jet wash to attended hand car wash**

**Responding Date:  
24 June 2024**

**Responding Officer:  
Mohammed Nasim**

**Responding Ref:  
WK202417004**

**Comments**

In our comments dated 23 April, we asked the applicant to provide further detail on the car washing equipment to be used and also on whether any groundworks will be required. The applicant has submitted an e-mail to the Planning Officer dated 28 May 2024 stating there are to be two pressure washers used and that no groundworks will be necessary.

We note that there are to be 2x drying bays and it is assumed that part of the service will include vacuuming the interior. No information is given on whether vacuum cleaners will be used. The drying bays are covered but it is unclear if they are enclosed i.e. no gaps other than to the front. This will need to be clarified before we can comment further due to the potential for noise breakout to affect the amenity of neighbouring occupiers.