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Clive my comments on this application are as follows:-

1. I welcome the use of the Suds scheme.
2. In the ecology section it says that the former tip site is part of a conservation area within the site. This seems to be threatened by tree planting as part of the site landscaping. Since this tree planting is shown on the visual assessment drawings, should this not be part of the planning application and the ecological effects assessed?
3. Appendix ii Landscape Strategy:- Edge Planting - remove Reed Canary Grass which is not native. Shallows/ledge planting - don't use Field Forget-me-not but Water Forget-me-not *Myosotis scorpioides*.
4. In terms of creative biodiversity enhancement I would like to see a barn-owl box erected; a hibernaculum created near the Suds scheme to provide protection for reptiles and amphibians.
5. The presence of Black Redstart on site should be taken into account in site development planning with a view to creating suitable nesting habitat.
6. I read the AWE's Energy strategy (August 2006) with interest and note that they are now only 2.5 years away from missing their target of producing AT LEAST 10% of the site energy on site by 2010. What is happening to their biomass and wind energy plans? In the mean time, I would strongly suggest that they consider using a Kalzip AluPlusSolar integrated photovoltaic roof system (this fits the proposed roof system of this building) or similar on the roof of this building which would at least start their journey down this route. A 6.7 kW system fitted to a high school in Manchester is providing about 4,500 kWh of electricity a year. The roof of this building could fit a much larger system.

Regards

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