

*Future on Paper* 

### Permit to pollute

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# Background

- Saugbrugs has a long history (1859)
- The recipient has limited sustainability if over polluted
- The recipient was in an unacceptable condition in early 1970
- Unilateral demand from the Norwegian authorities to Saugbrugs to reduce emissions.
- Saugbrugs started environmental investments, and the emissions were reduced
- Continuous improvement on the emission side towards 1980.
- Management acceptance to take responsibility and reduce emissions down to an acceptable level for the recipient.



#### **Changes in the Iddefjord bottom life**





# Permit of 2003

- The first application according to IPPC inside Norwegian Pulp and Paper Industry
- Started preparing the application in 2000
- Application sent 29th June 2001
- During this period approx 5 million Norwegian kroner plus internal manpower were spent.



# **Studies and reports**

- BAT-analyses:
  - What is obtainable
  - Technical analyses

#### Emission to water

- Components
- Volume
- Ecotoxicology
- The Recipient
- Cleaning technology
- Emission to air
  - From the process (Odour, Plumes)
  - From energy production (NOx, SO2, etc)
  - Cleaning technology



# **Studies and reports**

- Waste
  - Types
  - Disposal of waste
  - Use of waste
- Noise
  - Mapping of sources
  - Noise at neighbours
  - Road noise
  - Harbour noise
- Emergency preparedness
  - Risk analyses
  - Chemicals
  - Environmental risk analyses
  - Dimensioning of Emergency response unit



#### **The Process**

- During the years the respect between the authorities (KLIF/MD) and Saugbrugs has developed to be a trust between partners with the goal of being able to produce paper without harm to the environment.
- During the process of making the application and during the evaluation process in MD/KLIF, a number of meetings were held between the two parties to ensure mutual understanding of problems and arguments.
- When KLIF/MD made their final decision, they were sharpening up some of the proposals from Saugbrugs.



### **The Permit**

- MD has given you a presentation of the contents yesterday?
- Emission limits given from 2003
- Sharpened emission limits from 2008
  - COD (Water)
  - NOx (Air)
  - Noise
- The sharpened limits made it necessary with investments.



### **Investments towards 2008**

- Various rebuilds in production area in order to reduce COD load
- Rebuild of Boiler 3 to reduce NOx
- Various activities to reduce noise

14 mill NOK

33 mill NOK

2 mill NOK



# Daily follow-up

- Management system
- Targets
- Measurements and analyses
- Management follow-up
- Improvement
- Contact with MD

We will come back with more details on these items



#### **Certified management systems Saugbrugs**





# **Today's situation**

- Well managed environmental system
- All permit parameters under control
- Good relationship with the authorities
- Acceptance in all levels in the organisation on environmental responsibilities.
- A recipient in balance



#### Large flows with process water and energy

It is impossible to become energy efficient without having a good environmental performance !!!

