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Medway Council Gun Wharf, Dock Road, Chatham, ME4 4TR

Uplands Engineering, Chatham Docks - Statement of support

Britannia Aggregates Ltd. manages the Marine Aggregates Dredger 'Britannia Beaver' on behalf of the Brett Group. The ship delivers product to Brett businesses at Cliffe and Northfleet, also to Tarmac & Hanson facilities further upstream on the river Thames.

The continued operation of the ship relies upon the availability of competent support from shore-based Contractors. Uplands Engineering Ltd is ideally located, very competent, and is our favoured Contractor for maintenance & repair works, their facility at Chatham is crucial to our operation.

Our fellow BMAPA (https://www.bmapa.org/) members, namely AGGREGATE INDUSTRIES, CEMEX, HANSON & TARMAC all use Uplands Engineering Ltd, Chatham, to support their maintenance & repair requirements, bringing significant income & benefits to the Medway region.

We understand that the lease of their facility at Chatham is under review, and sincerely hope that the Council will accept that Uplands Engineering Ltd. should remain in business, based in the Medway area.

Yours faithfully,

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