



Tramlines works closely with Sheffield City Council to monitor noise levels throughout the event, both within the festival and outside at agreed points adjacent to residential properties, adjusting sound levels if necessary.

- Noise management plans are developed by our team of external noise consultants, Joynes Nash. Sound systems and stage locations are designed to minimise off-site noise nuisance for local residents as much as possible.
- Noise complaints continue to reduce year on year and were down 85% in 2024 compared to 2021, with monitoring being requested from only one residential address.
- We were made aware of generator noise from a traffic management welfare cabin on Dorothy Road during the festival build and consequently reduced its operating schedule to 3 hours a day during the show weekend to minimise disruption to residents in the immediate vicinity.
- We were made aware of generator noise disturbing residents on Parkside Road during the build. This was rectified by moving the generator away from the houses and installing acoustic baffles around it.

Please find an overview of the timings for amplified sound below:

	25/07/24	26/07/24	27/07/24	28/07/24
Propagation Test*	17:00 -20:00			
Live Event		12:00 - 23:00	12:00 - 23:00	12:00 - 22:00
Sound Check**		09:30 - 12:00	09:30 - 12:00	09:30 - 12:00

\*Propagation Test - Thursday 25th July 17:00 - 20:00

This enables the festival to measure the noise that is leaving the festival from the main stages' PA systems to check how sound is behaving in the area.

\*\*Sound checks

Sound check noise isn't continuous but rather an occasional checking of levels within the defined period of time.