# **Draft Meeting Notes** Stelco Hamilton Community Liaison Committee (CLC) Wed. May 3, 2023 – Virtual Meeting

## **CLC Members In Attendance:**

Jochen Bezner, Ian Borsuk, Jeremy Gamble, Matt Lawson, Julie Vanden Byllaardt, Sara Yonson

## **Other Attendees:**

Stephen Burt (MECP) Michael Durst (MECP) Parvaneh Chamaneh (Stelco) Katie Chan (Stelco) Trevor Harris (Stelco) Dave Rivard (Stelco) Kat Bezner (Observer) Zoe Kazakos (Observer) Deanna Hove (Observer) Kerry LeClair (Observer) Mark Mulkoff (Observer) Jessie Oettgen (Observer) Hannah Polley (Observer) Lukas Reidinger (Observer) Daniel Seleanu (Observer) Paul Weinberg (Observer) Mackenzie Whitten (Observer)

## Welcome

#### **Review and Approval of Agenda**

The committee accepted them as presented. The committee also accepted the draft meeting notes of the previous meeting.

#### **Coke Battery Performance**

Katie provided a summary of the performance of the Hamilton Works coke battery operations for Q1 2023 based on the Method 303 environmental audits conducted on a regular basis. Coke battery audit results demonstrated compliance with all 2023 limits.

Jeremy of the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) confirmed that he has been conducting audits at the coke battery within the Q1 2023 timeframe.

#### **Community Comments**

Jochen and Paul both enquired about Stelco's plans in the mid- and long-term for decarbonization. Trevor responded that Stelco is committed to decarbonization while maintaining the integrated steelmaking process. Stelco shares the Canadian Steel Producers Association's aspirational goal of net-zero by 2050.

On the topic of Site-Specific Standards for air, Trevor shared that Stelco is working with the MECP on an appropriate path forward. Stephen of MECP indicated that the Ministry is committed to working with the

integrated iron and steel sector and is responsible for the development of available compliance pathways, including Technical Standards.

Ian and Jochen expressed concerns that the Site-Specific Standards expire soon. Stephen indicated that the Ministry remains committed to on-going work, and highlighted that emissions limits at the coke battery do not change, as they are established in Environmental Compliance Approvals. The Ministry committed to notifying the CLC when the posting is available on the Environmental Registry.

# Adjournment

The next meeting is scheduled for August 2, 2023.