Meeting Minutes

Stelco – Lake Erie Works Community Liaison Committee (CLC) 16 July 2025, 11:30 a.m., Virtual Meeting (MS Teams)

CLC Members in Attendance:

Tyler Kelly (MECP), Jessica King (Long Point Region Conservation Authority), Petar Kolundzija (Stelco), Bill Lindsay (Haldimand Stewardship Council), and Lidy Romanuk (Haldimand County)

Other Attendees:

Katie Chan (Stelco)

Welcome

Attendees introduced themselves around the table.

Review and Approval of Agenda

The committee accepted the agenda as presented.

Coke Battery Performance - Q2 2025

Katie provided a summary of the results of the daily and 30-day rolling average results for the Method 303 environmental audits. The coke battery continues to be in compliance with the 30-day rolling average limits.

Tyler stated that he had no comments from the MECP.

Additional Updates

Stelco provided a summary of feedback received from neighbours in Q2 2025, and steps taken to resolve concerns that were raised.

Stelco Lake Erie Works' site wide sewage Environmental Compliance Approval with limited operational flexibility application is currently posted on the Environmental Registry of Ontario website for comments. This is primarily to allow for more efficient operation of on-site water treatment processes.

Community Feedback

Lidy inquired about the potential causes and implications if a cokemaking Method 303 audit result had a result higher than the designated daily threshold. Petar and Katie discussed the potential source and root cause for the one operational adjustment that was made in Q2 at the offtake system, and one operational adjustment made at a coke oven door for the same period. Both operational adjustments were successfully implemented. Tyler noted that noted that the daily results serve as an early detection tool to identify potential problems and implement corrective actions before they escalate. The Lake Erie Works battery continues to be in compliance with the limits established by the provincial regulator, which are 30-day rolling averages.

Bill asked about the impacts of the U.S. tariffs on Stelco's steelmaking operations. The group had a brief discussion about the impact of these tariffs on the Canadian steel industry, in general.

Adjournment

The next meeting to be on October 29, 2025.