

Meeting Notes

Stelco Hamilton Community Liaison Committee (CLC)

January 21, 2026 – Virtual Meeting

CLC Members in Attendance:

Jochen Bezner, Ian Borsuk, Stacey Currie, Julie Wedzinga, Sara Yonson, Carolyn Zanchetta

Other Attendees:

Stephen Burt

Tim Crawford

Evan Ubene

Katie Chan

Trevor Harris

Jeremy Gamble

Kerry LeClair

Lynda Lukasik

Jackson Hudecki

Lukas Reidinger

Jon Whittington

Welcome

Review and Approval of Agenda

The committee accepted them as presented. The committee also accepted the draft meeting notes of the October 29, 2025 previous meeting.

Coke Battery Performance

Katie provided a summary of the performance of the Hamilton Works coke battery operations for Q4 2025 based on the Method 303 environmental audits conducted on a regular basis. Coke battery audit results demonstrated compliance with all 2025 limits; no operational adjustments were required for daily thresholds.

In response to attendee questions, the coking process was described including provincial regulator's requirements which necessitate this reporting.

Stephen Burt from the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) commented on being happy to see Stelco's compliance continue and appreciate the information that was shared on the recent feedback from community members. MECP opened the floor for questions, several were received. MECP provided an overview of the reporting process for emissions from the battery stack.

Community Comments

Committee members and observers inquired about the impact of tariffs on the coal used in operations and its origin. Observers inquired about different parts of the emissions included in the method 303 reporting and the age of Stelco's battery. A member and an observer expressed an interest in understanding how frequently the facility is flaring coke oven gas. Residents also inquired about Stelco's decarbonization plans and what the current state of the economy means for Stelco's business. There was an interest in understanding what water quality monitoring is completed around the facility.

Adjournment

The next meeting is scheduled for Wed. April 29, 2026.