

April 30, 2021

To: Mayor Foster, Clarington Coucil, et al.

Sent via email

Re: The circulation of false information by Clarington Clear about St Marys Cement

As we work towards our shared goal of sustainable operations and ensuring the air quality and safety for the public in Bowmanville and the surrounding communities, it's been brought to our attention that the Clarington Clear is perpetuating misinformation about our operations. Contrary to the text of the flyer circulated by Clarington Clear, St Marys did not burn tires in 2008 or any other time for that matter.

For 60 years the St Marys Cement plant has operated in Bowmanville contributing to the employment and tax rolls of our community not to mention the many donations and contributions the Company has made to a variety of local causes. The plant has made many positive operational changes and improvements over the years, in particular under the current ownership group, and as you are likely aware we just completed an investment of 25 million dollars for a wet scrubber system that will further improve air quality.

I am requesting that this letter be inserted into the next Council Meeting Agenda as correspondence and clarification. Good decision-making requires accurate and factual information and constructive dialogue.

Regards



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