

**Community Liaison Committee
Meeting Minutes**

March 3, 2023

10:00am

Zoom Meeting

Present

St Marys Cement: Kara Terpstra, Vanessa Barr, Alejandro Aviles

St Marys Council: Jim Craigmile, Brent Kittmer, Rob Edney

Community Members: Marti Lindsay, Fred Stam, Rodger Muir

MECP: Jeff Mills (MECP)

Regrets: Brian Polley, Kristene McCurdy

1. Welcome and Introduction

10:00am Kara welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Thank you to the town for allowing us to use the Zoom/YouTube channels for this meeting

Round table introductions of CLC Members.

Welcome to the residents viewing on the YouTube live stream. The recorded meeting can be seen here;

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p4fkwwraFFo>

No comments or concerns were brought forward about the December 9th meeting minutes.

2. Community Complaints

The total number of complaints 2022 Year End and Year to Date was presented.

Reminder; Complaints that 'Mention Health' are counted when a resident calls with an odour complaint and highlights that they have a health concern. They are not separate complaints received by the plant.

3. Alternative Low Carbon Fuels Update

St Marys Cement has not received the final ALCF permit but the final permit has not been issued yet. The format of the draft permit follows the format of the existing permit including Limited Operational Flexibility, performance limits, equipment operation and maintenance, raw material and fuel testing, emissions monitoring, stack testing, dust/odour/noise control, community engagement, and reporting. SMC will share details of the new permit once it is issued.

4. Reported Particulate Concentrations

Reported particulate concentrations to the National Pollutant Reporting Registry (NPRI) are based off Stack and Point Emissions (Dust Collectors, Main Stack), Fugitive Emissions (Material Piles, Material Transfer Points, Shipping), Roads, and Spills. The facility's Emission Summary Dispersion Model uses software to combine the particulate emission from all the sources on site to determine the total emission for the facility for a year. Variations in year to year totals are due to shifts in production and shipping totals for the year.

5. Questions Brought Forward in Advance

SMC reviewed a letter received from a resident with concerns about noise and vibration being perceived in St Marys. SMC addressed some of the concerns highlighted in the letter including structural designs of the stack extension and vibration monitoring done on site, industrial testing for low frequency noise, and the recommendation that residents should discuss confidential health concerns with their primary physician.

As reviewed during dust complaints, the MECP has contact information for the MECP local office that can be contacted for environmental concerns at 519-873-5000.

SMC provided a status update on the ongoing projects on site regarding odour, noise, dust, general projects, and year end.

6. Round Table

Alejandro highlighted that the facility welcomes residents who are interested in visiting the plant for a tour.

7. Closing Remarks

The next meeting will be in June 2023.