# City of Hamilton Public Works Department Operations Division

# Glanbrook Landfill Coordinating Committee MINUTES

#### March 21, 2016

Glanbrook Landfill Meeting Room 1500 Haldibrook Road 4:30 pm – 6:00 pm

**Present:** Allan Freeman, Andy Fevez, Nigel Warren, Betty Matthews-Malone – City of Hamilton, Rob Conley – City of Hamilton, Tim Robinson – City of Hamilton, Frank Falcone - City of Hamilton, Ron Wright – Waste Management of Canada Corporation, Geoffrey Knapper – MOECC,

**Regrets:** Brian Smith, Joel McCormick – City of Hamilton, Brenda Johnson – Councillor, Joshua Diamond - NPCA

Chair: Allan Freeman Recorder: Tim Robinson

AGENDA ITEMS ACTION

## Approval of Previous Minutes

 Moved by Andy Fevez and seconded by Nigel Warren the minutes of the November 30, 2015 meeting were approved by the Glanbrook Landfill Coordinating Committee and submitted to Council.

#### 2. Operations Update

 Tim Robinson reported the inbound tonnages year to date, electricity production from the Landfill Gas to Energy Facility and outbound finished compost tonnages.

	Jan 1- Dec 31			
	2015	2014	2013	2012
Municipal Solid				
Waste (tonnes)	138,722	139,808	134,877	131,309
Leaf and Yard				
Waste (tonnes)	18,245	21,614	19,509	12,700
Electricity				
Production				
(Kwh)	16,930,720	17,996,133		

Electricity			
Revenue (\$)	\$2,054,450		
Outbound			
Compost			
(tonnes)	8,514.91		

- Tim Robinson reported that the Gas Plant and Engine availability was in excess of 99%. There were 17,520 hours available for operation with 17,120 hours of total production.
- Tim Robinson reported that landfilling operations are continuing on the west side of the site and began Service Period 7 at the beginning of March.
- Ron Wright had a Glanbrook Landfill Wildlife photograph book for all to examine.
- Allan Freeman asked for tonnages the City of Hamilton CCF. Rob Conley will provide reconciled tonnages next meeting.

### Rob Conley

#### 3. Capital Projects Update

- Rob Conley reported that Stage 3 Cells A & B development is currently in the design phase and will be submitted to the MOECC for approval with construction tentatively schedule for 2017/2018.
- The HCL03 Pump station contract was completed in 2015. The station is fully operational and is working well.

#### 4. New Business

- Nigel Warren asked how the City of Hamilton is dealing with Bill 151. Betty Matthews-Malone provided comments to the Province. The City of Hamilton has contracts set to expire in 2020 and Bill 151 could have significant impacts on these contracts. The City will be looking into how to deal with the expiring contracts.
- Rob Conley reported that the City of Hamilton has been working with the Energy Group at the City of Hamilton. A report went to Council on March 21, 2016 outlining the suitability of a portion of the Glanbrook Landfill buffer lands as a solar facility. The land is currently zoned utility. Rob Conley indicated that he would call a special meeting if needed prior to the next meeting if any special issues or circumstances arise due to this study. Rob Conley will also attach the report for all to read.
  - Rob Conley reported on behalf of Josh Diamond that the NPCA will undertake the Benthic and Macro-Invertebrate study this May.
- Betty Matthews-Malone reported that a group has approached the city about bringing a large quantity of waste to the Glanbrook Landfill. This proposal is being reviewed by staff.

Rob Conley

Copies to: All Participants All Regrets

#### Next Meeting:

Monday September 26, 2016 @ 4:30 PM at the Glanbrook Landfill Site.