

Air Quality Advisory Committee Meeting

Minutes: February 6, 2024

Next Meeting

Wednesday May 8, 2024. The meeting will be virtual.

Meeting access information will be posted to www.ORAQAC.com.

Attendees

1. AQAC Members present:
 - a. Mary Peveto, Executive Director, Neighbors for Clean Air
 - b. Allen Amabisca, AQAC member, Save Helvetia
 - c. Robert Bailey, AQAC member, Save Helvetia
 - d. Anisha Ladha, Intel, Public Affairs
 - e. Lisa Lowry, Intel, In-house Counsel
 - f. Mike Anders, Intel, EHS Manager
 - g. Tom Wood, Attorney, Stoel Rives
2. Facilitator:
 - a. John Harland

Meeting Minutes

1. Members of the AQAC introduced themselves.
2. John Harland reviewed the meeting agenda.
3. **Recap of Previous Meeting:** At the last meeting, Intel reviewed the items specified in the Good Neighbor agreement. There were requests for more information about Intel greenhouse gas emissions, Intel's emergency planning in the event of an earthquake and the timeline for Intel once the permit is approved. Intel agreed to bring more information about these topics to the next AQAC meeting.
4. **Community Opens:**
 - a. A member of the community indicated Chips Communities United is a coalition organizing for the responsible and equitable implementation of the CHIPS Act, uniting communities with new and expanding semiconductor facilities. Their alliance includes labor, environmental, social justice, civil rights, and community organizations representing millions of workers and community members nationwide to help ensure the CHIPS and Science Act benefits workers and communities.
 - b. A member of the public shared that they have submitted a The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request regarding inspection at Intel last year
5. **AQAC Member Opens**
 - a. Mary Peveto asked about revisiting the 2015 Good Neighbor Agreement. Intel, Lisa Lowry indicated that Intel is open to discussions regarding the GNA.
 - b. Wes Lund, Intel, gave an update on the timing of the Intel Type 4 ACDP Air Permit application. The draft permit is out for public review. A virtual public meeting is scheduled for February 15 and public comment is open until March 1. More information can be found at the DEQ web site: [Department of Environmental Quality:](#)

[Intel : Projects : State of Oregon](#) . Wes Lund, Intel reviewed proposed voluntary actions by Intel which would become part of the permit requirements.

- i. Mary Peveto asked if the voluntary proposal would be included as part of the permit requirements. Wes Lund, Intel stated that these actions included would no longer be voluntary but become part of the approved permit conditions
 - ii. A member of the public asked about Intel NOx emissions testing. Intel indicated that testing is underway, and results of the testing would determine if the technology would be proliferated to other Intel sites
 - c. Rachel Cavanaugh, Intel, reviewed Intel's 2040 Net-zero Scope 1 and 2 Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emission goals and Intel's specific targets for GHG emissions reductions by 2030. Additional information can be found in the meeting materials and information about emissions from other Intel sites on page 109 in the Intel Corporate sustainability report: <https://csrreportbuilder.intel.com/pdfbuilder/pdfs/CSR-2022-23-Full-Report.pdf>
 - i. Mary Peveto asked if there was cooperation on reducing GHG emissions across the semiconductor industry. Rachel indicated that Intel is a founding member of the Semiconductor Climate Consortium which works across the industry
 - d. Mike Anders reviewed Intel preparations for a major Earthquake. He indicated that there has been publicity of the potential for soil liquefaction beside the Columbia and Willamette Rivers. DOGAMI and third-party analysis indicates that the soils around Intel are different and much lower risk. However, Intel does comprehensive planning and response preparation and works with local agencies including the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) to prepare and mitigate risk.
 - e. Mike Anders indicated that Intel has submitted air permit applications for the Jones Farm and Hawthorne Farm facilities. As indicated in the last meeting, the permit application is the result of DEQ regulation changes and not changes in the Intel emissions
- 6. Good Neighbor Agreement (GNA) Items:** Wes Lund, Intel, reviewed the GNA items. The presentation materials are posted at www.ORAQAC.com under Meeting Materials. Items included: Stack testing update, continuous emissions monitoring report, DEQ submissions and review of a scrubber bypass event that lasted approximately one hour.
- 7. Open Items**
 - a. A member of the public asked whether Intel's Type 4 permit application is a PSD permit application. Tom Wood indicated that if the application is approved, Intel will become a federal major source, but receive an Oregon PSD permit. The Oregon program meets or exceeds the federal program.
 - b. Robert Bailey asked for additional information on the size of the plume used for modeling emissions in the draft permit, and the impact to Helvetia. Intel indicated that the inputs into the model and the results of the modeling include the increased emissions from the permit application. There is more information in the permit application (see DEQ website: <https://www.oregon.gov/deq/Programs/Pages/Intel.aspx>)
- 8. Next Meeting Agenda**
 - a. The following agenda items were proposed
 - b. Standing agenda items:
 1. Stack Testing Updates

2. DEQ Submittals
 3. Project updates
 - c. Update of Type 4 permit application
 - d. AQAC members can propose additional agenda topics.
- 9. Dates for Meetings in 2024**
- a. February 6, 2024 meeting was the first AQAC meeting scheduled for 2024.
 - b. It was agreed that meetings will be held on the following dates in 2024
 - i. Wednesday May 8, 2024
 - ii. Wednesday August 14
 - iii. Wednesday November 13, 2024
- 10. Meeting adjourned**