

Air Quality Advisory Committee Meeting

Meeting Minutes: September 14, 2022

Next Meeting

Wednesday November 9, 2022, 5:00pm. The meeting will be virtual.

Virtual meeting access information will be posted to www.ORAQAC.com.

Attendees

1. AQAC Members present:
 - a. Allen Amabisca
 - b. Nakisha Nathan, representing Mary Peveto
 - c. Robert Bailey
 - d. Anisha Ladha
 - e. Mark Mueller
 - f. Tom Wood
 - g. Mike Anders, representing Intel EHS
2. Facilitator:
 - a. John Harland

Meeting Minutes

1. Members of the AQAC were introduced.
2. John Harland reviewed the meeting agenda.
3. **Recap of Previous Meeting:** At our last meeting, the upcoming stack test schedule was reviewed, the Intel Annual Emissions Report was submitted, which indicated Intel in compliance and upcoming submittals were reviewed.
4. **Community Opens:**
 - i. A member of the public asked if Intel curtailed operations this summer because of forest fire smoke. Patty Jacobs, DEQ, indicated that Intel must reduce emergency generator maintenance and readiness testing if there is an air quality advisory notification provided. There were advisories issued in the southern parts of Oregon. Wes Lund, Intel indicated that he did not see any air quality advisory notifications.
 - ii. Another member of the public asked if Intel had an update on testing of equipment using ozone to reduce the emissions of NOx. Mark Mueller, Intel, indicated there was no update and still under evaluation.
5. **AQAC Opens**
 - a. There were no issues raised by members of the AQAC.
6. **Good Neighbor Agreement Items:** Wes Lund, Intel, reviewed the GNA items which included
 - a. Stack testing for the remainder of 2022
 - b. Continuous monitoring report was reviewed. Allen Amabisca asked if there were any additional emissions when the scrubbers ran for 6 hours without adequate treatment. Wes Lund indicated that water was still flowing in the scrubber and treating emissions.
 - c. Submittals to DEQ since the last meeting and planned upcoming submittals.

For more details, see the presentation materials posted on www.ORAQAC.com.

7. Public Comments

- a. A member of the community commented that there have been modest traffic impacts when Intel employees returned to the campus after COVID “working from home”. He was pleasantly surprised and thanked Intel for the management of this situation. Intel representatives indicated that employees have more flexibility to work remotely.
- b. A member of the public asked about the proposed modification to the Air Emissions permit. Wes Lund indicated that proposed changes were for the wet electrostatic precipitators (WESPs) moving from the R&D phase to manufacturing. The WESPs are designed to remove particulates from exhaust flows.
- c. A member of the public asked whether the WESP technology will be transferred to other Intel sites. Mark Mueller indicated that the technology may be evaluated with decisions made on a case-by-case basis with several factors taken into consideration.
- d. A member of the public thanked Intel for their participation in the Washington County emergency planning committee meetings and encouraged Intel to continue to send representatives. Another member of the public suggested that Intel evaluates using Intel planes in emergency situations.

8. Next Meeting Agenda

- a. The following agenda items were proposed
 - i. Standing agenda items:
 1. Stack Testing Updates
 2. DEQ Submittals
 3. Project Update
- b. AQAC members can propose additional agenda topics
- c. Meeting dates for 2023 will be determined

9. Dates for Meetings in 2022

The AQAC meetings in 2022 are scheduled as follows. All meetings will start at 5:00 pm and will be virtual until a decision is made to hold meetings face to face:

- a. November 9, 2022

10. Meeting adjourned