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To Interested Parties:

Re: Update and Next Steps: Municipal Comments on the Durham York Energy Centre Throughput Increase from 140,000 to 160,000 Tonnes per Year

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At a meeting held on March 14, 2022, the Council of the Municipality of Clarington approved the following Resolution #C-062-22:

That [Report PDS-016-22](#), and any related communication items, be received;

That the responses from the Regions of Durham and York (Regions) to the Municipality's comments on the Durham York Energy Centre (DYEC) throughput increase (from 140,000 to 160,000 tonnes per year) Environmental Screening Process be received;

That Staff be directed to submit an Environmental Assessment elevation request to the Director of the Environmental Assessment and Approvals Branch, MECP; and

That Staff be directed to request the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP):

- i. confirm their review and acceptance of the air quality modelling methodology, data inputs, and Air Quality Impact Assessment completed as supporting documentation to the Environmental Screening Process, and
- ii. respond to concerns regarding elevated levels of nitrogen dioxide, sulphur dioxide and benzo[a]pyrene in the local airshed and the relative contributions of the DYEC; and further

That Staff be directed to prepare a briefing document on planned future development in the South Courtice Area to support DYEC emissions dispersion modelling considerations by the Regions and MECP during the subsequent Environmental Compliance Approval Amendment process.

Yours truly,



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