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Subject: Quarry Haul Route Study by St. Marys Cement Riddled with Flaws

**Not surprisingly the proposed quarry which borders between Flamborough and Milton draws sharp criticism from the City of Hamilton staff who recently wrote to St. Marys Cement Inc. stating that staff have identified several major areas of concern regarding the Haul Route Evaluation Report, the Transportation Report and the supporting technical documents, and these concerns are summarized in a 15 page document.**

**The letter from Steve Robichaud, MCIP, RPP Manager, Development Planning and Economic Development Department with the City of Hamilton notes that there are several instances where incorrect documents are referenced in the reports, further to that, policies are incorrectly interpreted, and relevant documents are not referenced at all.**

**The critical flaws identified in the letter to St. Marys Cement by Robichaud are over and above that of which the peer review prepared for CART by IBI Group, Dougan & Associates, and Valcoustics submitted.**

**The myriad of deficiencies identified both by City of Hamilton Staff and Cart are so significant in fact that the study of the Haul Route presented by St. Marys Cement to the City of Hamilton will not be supported by staff and may very well have rendered the findings of the Quarry Haul Route Study submitted by St. Marys Cement as useless.**

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