



Halifax Sewage Treatment Plant Community Liaison Committee

Terms of Reference

Recognition

- The Committee is recognized by Halifax Harbour Solutions Team, HRM and the private sector partner as the voice of the community during the predesign, detailed design, construction and operation of the Halifax STP.

Composition

- The Halifax Committee includes representation from the Brunswick Heritage Area Residents' Association (BHARA) and the Central Halifax Community Association (CHCA) and other elected individuals in the neighbourhood of the Barrington and Cornwallis Streets site. The neighbourhood is the area bound by Cogswell to North Streets and Barrington to North Park and Agricola Streets. The district councillor will be an ex-officio member of the Committee and will attend meetings at the invitation of the Chair.

Mission

To negotiate the terms and conditions associated with locating a municipal sewage treatment plant on the south-east corner of Barrington and Cornwallis Streets. More specifically it is to:

- Consult residents and other local stakeholders to identify the issues, interests and priorities of the local community with respect to the STP and its integration into the community.
- Work with HHS team during the predesign stage to develop mutually acceptable principles, guidelines and recommendations concerning the exterior architecture of the plant, construction impacts, landscaping, odour control, noise management and other environmental management issues pertinent to the health, safety and comfort of neighbouring residents.
- Work with the private sector partner during the detailed design and construction stage to ensure that the plant meets the needs of the neighbourhood and the broader community as articulated in the recommendations above.
- Develop proposals for integrating the plant and associated lands into the community (Community Integration Fund)
- Work with HRM and plant management to ensure that the Halifax plant meets community expectations during its operation.