

August 20, 2020

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Region III
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VIA E-MAIL : guzzetti.christopher@epa.gov

RE: Erie Coke Corporation Stie, Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Guzzetti:

This letter is in response to the United States Environmental Protection Agency's ("EPA") letter regarding "Notice of Potential Liability" which requests a response from Erie Coke Corporation ("ECC"). Specifically, the letter requests the expression of ECC's willingness or unwillingness to participate in possible future negotiations concerning the above referenced Site. ECC is willing to participate in such an endeavor.

ECC is committed to seeing the Site safely transformed to an alternative use. ECC's contribution maybe muted since the Company has no employees and very limited financial wherewithal, but will contribute where possible. Consequently, as directed in the letter ECC will reach out to Carlyn Winter Prisk shortly regarding ECC's financial ability.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul A. Saffrin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent initial "P" and "S".

Paul A. Saffrin

cc: Mike Durkin (mdurkin@eriecoke.com)