MINUTES Technical Advisory Committee on Diesel-Powered Equipment Meeting October 11, 2023

A meeting of the Technical Advisory Committee on Diesel-Powered Equipment (TAC) was held on October 11, 2023, in the Westmoreland Room at the DEP New Stanton Office in New Stanton, PA. The meeting was held in person and using Microsoft Teams. The meeting began at 10:03 a.m.

TAC MEMBER PRESENT

Todd Homet

TAC MEMBER PRESENT VIA TEAMS

Ron Bowersox

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION STAFF PRESENT

Richard Wagner, Bureau of Mine Safety (BMS) Chas Washlack, BMS Jeff Hamilton, BMS Margaret Scheloske, BMS

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION STAFF PRESENT VIA TEAMS

Art Brower, BMS

CALL TO ORDER AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 10:03 a.m. Minutes of the April 13, 2023 and July 12, 2023 meetings were reviewed. TAC members Ron Bowersox and Todd Homet approved the minutes.

OLD BUSINESS

Diesel-Powered Equipment: Extend Oil and Filter Change Interval from 100 hours to 200 hours

Director Richard Wagner reported that he has not received any updated information regarding this proposal.

Brookville Model 30T215D

Art Brower reported that the engine package inspection anticipated to be held in October has been moved to sometime in December. The members will be notified when a date is set.

NEW BUSINESS

2024 Meeting Dates

The TAC set the meeting dates for 2024 which are as follows:

January 10, 2024 April 10, 2024 July 10, 2024 October 9, 2024

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 10:20 a.m. The next meeting will be at 10 a.m. on January 10, 2024, at the DEP New Stanton Office, Westmoreland Room.