

CONTACTS:
Meghan Cox
Manager
Corporate Communications
T – (412) 433-6777
E – mmcox@uss.com

Dan Lesnak General Manager Investor Relations T – (412) 433-1184 E – dtlesnak@uss.com

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## UNITED STATES STEEL TO RESTART ELECTRIC-WELD PIPE MILL AT LONE STAR TUBULAR OPERATIONS

PITTSBURGH, February 4, 2019 – United States Steel Corporation (NYSE: X), announced today it will restart the No. 1 Electric-Weld Pipe Mill at Lone Star Tubular Operations in Lone Star, Texas. The No. 1 Mill was permanently idled in 2016 due to challenging market conditions for tubular products created by fluctuating oil prices, reduced rig counts and high levels of unfairly traded imports.

The Lone Star No. 1 Mill will provide full-body normalized electric-welded pipe in size ranges 7" to 16" outside diameter for customers across the U. S., including the very active Permian Basin.

"We are encouraged by an improvement in market conditions and an increased customer demand for tubular products that are mined, melted and made in America," said President and Chief Executive Officer David B. Burritt.

"We continue to evaluate all options to align our manufacturing capacity with the growing energy market. Restarting the Lone Star No. 1 Mill will give our customers access to the high-quality electric-welded pipe they expect from U. S. Steel," said Senior Vice President – Industrial, Service Center and Mining Solutions and Interim Head - Tubular Douglas R. Matthews.

The Lone Star No. 1 Mill has an annual capacity of approximately 400,000 tons. U. S. Steel anticipates hiring 140 new employees. The restart process will begin immediately and will be completed in early third quarter 2019. Restart costs are not expected to be material.

-oOo-

2019-005

U. S. Steel Tubular Products, Inc., a subsidiary of United States Steel Corporation, is a leading energy tubular products manufacturer in North America, with total annual production capability of 1.9 million net tons. Energy industry customers utilize U. S. Steel Tubular Products' casing, line pipe and couplings to help them locate, retrieve, transport and refine the oil and natural gas products that fuel the world.

United States Steel Corporation, headquartered in Pittsburgh, Pa., is a leading integrated steel producer and Fortune 250 company with major operations in the United States and Central Europe. For more information about U. S. Steel, please visit <a href="https://www.ussteel.com">www.ussteel.com</a>.