

BOARD MEETING DATE: February 2, 2024

AGENDA NO. 2

PROPOSAL: Set Public Hearing March 1, 2024 to Consider Adoption of and/or Amendments to a Draft State Implementation Plan Revision:

Consider Draft Coachella Valley Contingency Measure SIP Revision for 2008 8-Hour Ozone Standard Exempt from CEQA and Adopt Coachella Valley Contingency Measure SIP Revision for 2008 8-Hour Ozone Standard

The Draft Coachella Valley Contingency Measure SIP Revision was developed to meet Clean Air Act requirements for contingency measures in case an area fails to meet any applicable milestones or fails to attain an air quality standard by the attainment date. A Contingency Measure Plan addressing the 2008 ozone standard in the Coachella Valley was previously submitted to U.S. EPA as part of the 2016 AQMP. Following U.S. EPA's recent proposal to revise its guidance on contingency measures in response to multiple lawsuits, South Coast AQMD withdrew its contingency measures elements in 2023. This proposed plan is designed to address this revised guidance and if adopted will be submitted to CARB for their consideration and transmittal to U.S. EPA. (Reviewed: Mobile Source Committee, February 16, 2024)

The complete text of the proposed SIP revision and other supporting documents will be available from the South Coast AQMD's Public Information Center at (909) 396-2001, or Mr. Derrick Alatorre – Deputy Executive Officer/Public Advisor, South Coast AQMD, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, CA 91765, (909) 396-2432, [dalatorre@aqmd.gov](mailto:dalatorre@aqmd.gov) and on the Internet ([www.aqmd.gov](http://www.aqmd.gov)) as of January 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Set public hearing March 1, 2024 to consider the Draft Coachella Valley Contingency Measure SIP Revision for the 2008 8-Hour Ozone Standard exempt from CEQA and adopt the Coachella Valley Contingency Measure SIP Revision for the 2008 8-Hour Ozone Standard.

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