

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

PROPOSED 2016 AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN (INCLUDING HEALTH EFFECTS REPORT) FOR THE SOUTH COAST AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT (SCAQMD)

November 15, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.
Buena Park Community Center
6688 Beach Boulevard
Buena Park, CA 90621

November 15, 2016 – 2:00 p.m.
Double Tree by Hilton Hotel, Carson
2 Civic Plaza
Carson, CA 90745

November 17, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.
Norton Events Center
1601 E. 3rd Street
San Bernardino, CA 92408

November 17, 2016 – 2:00 p.m.
Hyatt Place Riverside Downtown
3500 Market Street
Riverside, CA 92501

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a round of regional public hearings on the matter of the 2016 Air Quality Management Plan (AQMP) will be held at the above locations throughout the District's jurisdiction, at which time evidence will be taken and all interested persons will be heard by the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that these public hearings also concern a report on the health impacts of particulate matter air pollution in the South Coast Air Basin. The report has been included in Appendix I (Health Effects) of the 2016 AQMP.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 2016 AQMP is designed to meet federal Clean Air Act requirements and addresses the attainment demonstration requirements of the federal Clean Air Act for the South Coast Air Basin (Los Angeles County, Orange County, San Bernardino County and Riverside County).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 2016 AQMP will be submitted to the California Air Resources Board (CARB) and the Environmental Protection Agency for inclusion into the State Implementation Plan (SIP).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Plan addresses air quality standards for 2008 8-hour

ozone (75 ppb), annual PM2.5 and 24-hour PM2.5, as well as updates relevant to the 1-hour ozone and 1997 8-hour ozone standard (80 ppb). This revision to the AQMP updates transportation emission budgets based on the latest motor vehicle emissions model and planning assumptions. The Plan also incorporates significant new scientific data, emissions inventories, ambient measurements, control measures, and air quality models. The 2016 AQMP is jointly prepared by the SCAQMD, CARB, and Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 2016 AQMP includes new information on key elements such as:

- Current air quality;
- Updated emission inventories;
- An overall control strategy comprised of: SCAQMD Stationary and Mobile Source control measures; CARB's State SIP Strategy;
- Attainment demonstrations for the 8-hour ozone (75 ppb), annual PM2.5, and 24-hour PM2.5 standard;
- Updated attainment demonstrations for the revoked 1-hour and 8-hour (80 ppb) ozone standards;
- Motor vehicle emission budgets for transportation conformity purposes.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Revised Draft 2016 AQMP will soon be released and will be available at:

<http://www.aqmd.gov/home/library/clean-air-plans/air-quality-mgt-plan> for public comment and review. The release of the Draft 2016 AQMP was on June 30, 2016. Six regional workshops were held from July 14 through July 21, 2016 to discuss the Plan and solicit public input. Comments on the Revised Draft 2016 AQMP are encouraged to be submitted by October 21, 2016 in order to provide time to respond and incorporated changes to the Plan where appropriate.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) a Draft Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the 2016 AQMP has been prepared and was released for a 60-day comment period ending November 15, 2016.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a Preliminary Draft Socioeconomic Report (partial) for the 2016 AQMP has been prepared and released for a 60-day comment period ending October 31, 2016.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the following documents are now available on the 2016 AQMP:

- Revised Draft 2016 AQMP and accompanying appendices;
 - Draft Health Effects Report (Appendix I)
 - Current Air Quality (Appendix II)
 - Emission Inventories (Appendix III)
 - Control Strategies (Appendix IV)
 - Modeling/Attainment Demonstration (Appendix V)
 - Other CAA Requirements (Appendix VI)
- Draft Program Environmental Impact Report for 2016 AQMP; and
- Preliminary Draft Socioeconomic Report for 2016 AQMP (partial)

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all the documents listed above are available (along with Draft 2016 AQMP) and may be obtained from the District's Public Information Center or the District's 2016 AQMP website located at:

<http://www.aqmd.gov/home/library/clean-air-plans/air-quality-mgt-plan> or from:

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that interested persons may attend any of the Public Hearings and submit oral or written statements on any or all of the documents listed above.

Written comments can be submitted electronically at: <https://onbase-pub.aqmd.gov/sAppNet/UnityForm.aspx?key=UFSessionIDKey>

or via email at aqmp@aqmd.gov

At the conclusion of the regional hearings, the District Board will consider all comments received as part of its deliberations on the adoption of the 2016 AQMP tentatively scheduled for the final public hearing on December 2, 2016 at the District's headquarters in Diamond Bar, CA.

For additional information or comments on the 2016 AQMP please contact:

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