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MONDAY: Volvo Demonstrates New Electric Compact Wheel Loader in Ontario

DIAMOND BAR – On Monday, December 13th, South Coast AQMD Governing Board Member Michael Cacciotti will be joined by Ontario Mayor Paul Leon, Volvo Construction Equipment (Volvo CE) representatives and others to demonstrate the new L25 Electric Compact Wheel Loader. Stop by to see the new quiet, emissions-free electric powered wheel loader in action.

Off-road equipment such as construction equipment release emissions that contribute to our region's air pollution. South Coast AQMD has seen how much air quality has improved through the decades by adopting lower emission technologies. The electric wheel loader has zero exhaust emissions, making them a great option for public and private fleets committed to building a more sustainable tomorrow. Volvo CE representatives will be on hand to provide information on the new equipment, which the company plans to offer on a limited basis for other local cities and business to test.

Volvo CE was awarded a \$2 million grant for a commercial pilot of the company's electric, zero-emission excavator and electric wheel loader in California. The grant, administered by the South Coast Air Quality Management District, is funded by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Targeted Air Shed Grant Program, which helps agencies develop plans and conduct projects to reduce air pollution in areas with the highest level of smog and soot in the United States.

Who:

Michael Cacciotti, South Coast AQMD Governing Board Member

Paul Leon, Mayor, City of Ontario

Kevin Sutton, President, Circle Green

Volvo Representatives

What: Demonstration of Volvo CE's new Electric Compact Wheel Loader

When: Monday, December 13, 2021, 2:30 p.m.

Where:

Circle Green, Inc., Beneficial AG Services
8271 Chino Ave., Ontario, CA

Additional in-person equipment testing is available from December 13 to December 23. Please contact Bill Kelly at (626) 893-9311 or wjkelly7@gmail.com to arrange for in-person equipment testing.

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