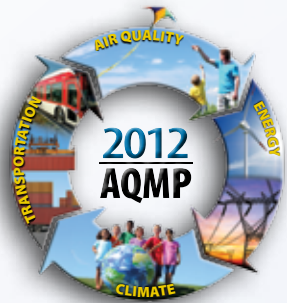




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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

PROPOSED 2012 AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE SOUTH COAST AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT (AQMD)

November 13, 2012 – 2:00 p.m.

Cerritos Library, Skyline A
18025 Bloomfield Avenue
Cerritos, CA 90703-8525

November 15, 2012 – 10:00 a.m.

Norton Regional Events Center,
Auditorium
1601 E. 3rd Street
San Bernardino, CA 92408

November 14, 2012 – 10:00 a.m.

Buena Park Community Center
6688 Beach Boulevard
Buena Park, CA 90622

November 15, 2012 – 3:00 p.m.

Louis Rubidoux Public Library,
Community Room
5840 Mission Boulevard
Riverside, CA 92509



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a second round of regional public hearings on the matter of the 2012 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 (District).

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 2012 AQMP.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 2012 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 2012 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 24-hour PM_{2.5} and 1-hour ozone, as well as updates provisions relevant to the 8-hour ozone standard. 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, and air quality models. The 2012 AQMP is jointly prepared by the District, CARB, and Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 2012 AQMP includes new information on key elements such as:

- Current air quality;
- Improved emission inventories
- An overall control strategy comprised of : Stationary and Mobile Source Control Measures;
- An attainment demonstrations for the 24-hour PM_{2.5} standard;
- Updated attainment demonstration for the revoked 1-hour ozone standard;
- Further specifications of certain commitments to provide emission reductions for the 1-hour and 8-hour ozone standards;
- Motor vehicle emission budgets for transportation conformity purposes.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Revised Draft 2012 AQMP was released for public comment and review on September 7, 2012 following the release of the initial Draft 2012 AQMP on July 18, 2012. Six regional workshops were held from July 10 through August 9, 2012 to discuss the Plan and solicit public input. Four public hearings were held from September 11 through September 13, 2012 to discuss the modifications to the Draft 2012 AQMP based on the comments received on the Draft 2012 AQMP. Comments on the Revised Draft 2012 AQMP are encouraged to be submitted by November 12, 2012 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 Act (CEQA) a Draft Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for 2012 AQMP has been prepared and was already released for a 45-day comment period ending October 23, 2012.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a Draft Socioeconomic Report for the 2012 AQMP has been prepared and released for a 45-day comment period ending November 12, 2012.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the following documents are now available on the 2012 AQMP:

- Revised Draft 2012 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)
 - RACM Analysis (Appendix VI)
 - 1-hour Ozone Attainment Demonstration (Appendix VII)
 - VMT Offset Requirement Demonstration (Appendix VIII)
- Draft Program Environmental Impact Report for 2012 AQMP; and
- Draft Socioeconomic Report for 2012 AQMP

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all the documents listed above are available (along with Draft 2012 AQMP) and may be obtained from the District's Public Information Center or the District's 2012 AQMP website located at: <http://www.aqmd.gov/aqmp/2012aqmp/index.htm> 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: <http://www.aqmd.gov/aqmp/2012aqmp/Comments.htm> or via email at 2012aqmpcomments@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 2012 AQMP scheduled for the final public hearing on December 7, 2012 at the District's headquarters in Diamond Bar, CA.

For additional information or comments on the 2012 AQMP please contact:

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