

BOARD MEETING DATE: October 4, 2024

AGENDA NO. 12

REPORT: Intergovernmental Review of Environmental Documents and CEQA Lead Agency Projects

SYNOPSIS: This report provides a listing of environmental documents prepared by other public agencies seeking review by South Coast AQMD between August 1, 2024 and August 31, 2024, and proposed projects for which South Coast AQMD is acting as lead agency pursuant to CEQA.

COMMITTEE: No Committee Review

RECOMMENDED ACTION:  
Receive and file.

Wayne Natri  
Executive Officer

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### **Background**

The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Statute and Guidelines require public agencies, when acting in their lead agency role, to provide an opportunity for other public agencies and members of the public to review and comment on the analysis in environmental documents prepared for proposed projects. A lead agency is when a public agency has the greatest responsibility for supervising or approving a proposed project and is responsible for the preparation of the appropriate CEQA document.

Each month, South Coast AQMD receives environmental documents, which include CEQA documents, for proposed projects that could adversely affect air quality. South Coast AQMD fulfills its intergovernmental review responsibilities, in a manner that is consistent with the Board's 1997 Environmental Justice Guiding Principles and Environmental Justice Initiative #4, by reviewing and commenting on the adequacy of the air quality analysis in the environmental documents prepared by other lead agencies.

The status of these intergovernmental review activities is provided in this report in two sections: 1) Attachment A lists all of the environmental documents prepared by other public agencies seeking review by South Coast AQMD that were received during the reporting period; and 2) Attachment B lists the active projects for which South Coast AQMD has reviewed or is continuing to conduct a review of the environmental documents prepared by other public agencies. Further, as required by the Board's October 2002 Environmental Justice Program Enhancements for FY 2002-03, each attachment includes notes for proposed projects which indicate when South Coast AQMD has been contacted regarding potential air quality-related environmental justice concerns. The attachments also identify for each proposed project, as applicable: 1) the dates of the public comment period and the public hearing date; 2) whether staff provided written comments to a lead agency and the location where the comment letter may be accessed on South Coast AQMD's website; and 3) whether staff testified at a hearing.

In addition, South Coast AQMD will act as lead agency for a proposed project and prepare a CEQA document when: 1) air permits are needed; 2) potentially significant adverse impacts have been identified; and 3) the South Coast AQMD has primary discretionary authority over the approvals. Attachment C lists the proposed air permit projects for which South Coast AQMD is lead agency under CEQA.

**Attachment A – Log of Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies and Status of Review, and Attachment B – Log of Active Projects with Continued Review of Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies**

Attachment A contains a list of all environmental documents prepared by other public agencies seeking review by South Coast AQMD that were received pursuant to CEQA or other regulatory requirements. Attachment B provides a list of active projects, which were identified in previous months' reports, and which South Coast AQMD staff is continuing to evaluate or prepare comments relative to the environmental documents prepared by other public agencies. The following table provides statistics on the status of review<sup>1</sup> of environmental documents for the current reporting period for Attachments A and B combined<sup>2</sup>:

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<sup>1</sup> The status of review reflects the date when this Board Letter was prepared. Therefore, Attachments A and B may not reflect the most recent updates.

<sup>2</sup> Copies of all comment letters sent to the lead agencies are available on South Coast AQMD's website at: <http://www.aqmd.gov/home/regulations/ceqa/commenting-agency>.

<b>Statistics for Reporting Period from August 1, 2024 to August 31, 2024</b>	
<b>Attachment A:</b> Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies and Status of Review	82
<b>Attachment B:</b> Active Projects with Continued Review of Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies (which were previously identified in the June and July 2024 report)	10
<b>Total Environmental Documents Listed in Attachments A &amp; B</b>	<b>92</b>
<i>Comment letters sent</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>Environmental documents reviewed, but no comments were made</i>	<i>65</i>
<i>Environmental documents currently undergoing review</i>	<i>11</i>

Staff focuses on reviewing and preparing comments on environmental documents prepared by other public agencies for proposed projects: 1) where South Coast AQMD is a responsible agency under CEQA (e.g., when air permits are required but another public agency is lead agency); 2) that may have significant adverse regional air quality impacts (e.g., special event centers, landfills, goods movement); 3) that may have localized or toxic air quality impacts (e.g., warehouse and distribution centers); 4) where environmental justice concerns have been raised; and 5) which a lead or responsible agency has specifically requested South Coast AQMD review.

If staff provided written comments to a lead agency, then a hyperlink to the “South Coast AQMD Letter” is included in the “Project Description” column which corresponds to a notation in the “Comment Status” column. In addition, if staff testified at a hearing for a proposed project, then a notation is included in the “Comment Status” column. Copies of all comment letters sent to lead agencies are available on South Coast AQMD’s website at: <http://www.aqmd.gov/home/regulations/ceqa/commenting-agency>. Interested parties seeking information regarding the comment periods and scheduled public hearings for projects listed in Attachments A and B should contact the lead agencies for further details as these dates are occasionally modified.

In January 2006, the Board approved the Clean Port Initiative Workplan (Workplan). One action item of the Workplan was to prepare a monthly report describing CEQA documents for projects related to goods movement and to make full use of the process to ensure the air quality impacts of such projects are thoroughly mitigated. In accordance with this action item, Attachments A and B organize the environmental documents received according to the following categories: 1) goods movement projects; 2) schools; 3) landfills and wastewater projects; 4) airports; and 5) general land use projects. In response to the action item relative to mitigation, staff maintains a compilation of mitigation measures presented as a series of tables relative to off-road engines; on-road engines; harbor craft; ocean-going vessels; locomotives; fugitive dust; and greenhouse gases which are available on South Coast AQMD’s website at:

<http://www.aqmd.gov/home/regulations/ceqa/air-quality-analysis-handbook/mitigation-measures-and-control-efficiencies>. Staff will continue compiling tables of mitigation measures for other emission sources such as ground support equipment.

### **Attachment C – Proposed Air Permit Projects for Which South Coast AQMD is CEQA Lead Agency**

The CEQA lead agency is responsible for determining the type of environmental document to be prepared if a proposal requiring discretionary action is considered to be a “project” as defined by CEQA. South Coast AQMD periodically acts as lead agency for its air permit projects and the type of environmental document prepared may vary depending on the potential impacts. For example, an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) is prepared when there is substantial evidence that the project may have significant adverse effects on the environment. Similarly, a Negative Declaration (ND) or Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) may be prepared if a proposed project will not generate significant adverse environmental impacts, or the impacts can be mitigated to less than significance. The ND and MND are types of CEQA documents which analyze the potential environmental impacts and describe the reasons why a significant adverse effect on the environment will not occur such that the preparation of an EIR is not required.

Attachment C of this report summarizes the proposed air permit projects for which South Coast AQMD is lead agency and is currently preparing or has prepared environmental documentation pursuant to CEQA. As noted in Attachment C, South Coast AQMD is lead agency for four air permit projects during August 2024.

#### **Attachments**

- A. Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies and Status of Review
- B. Active Projects with Continued Review of Environmental Documents Prepared by Other Public Agencies
- C. Proposed Air Permit Projects for Which South Coast AQMD is CEQA Lead Agency







**ATTACHMENT A**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS PREPARED BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES AND STATUS OF REVIEW**  
**August 1, 2024 to August 31, 2024**

SOUTH COAST AQMD LOG-IN NUMBER PROJECT TITLE	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF DOC.	LEAD AGENCY	COMMENT STATUS
<b>Warehouse &amp; Distribution Centers</b> <b>RVC240828-13</b> Legacy Highlands PM2022-0014 TPM38613	The project consists of subdividing 1,376.50 acres into 20 numbered lots with sizes ranging from 3.20 to 86.30 acres and several lettered lots. The project is located east of Potrero Boulevard and south of the State Route 60. Reference RVC240709-05, RVC230927-09, RVC221115-09, RVC220913-04, RVC220809-07 and RVC220601- 06  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: 9/12/2024	Site Plan	City of Beaumont	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>LAC240801-13</b> ENV-2023-5533: 956 Seward Project	The project consists of demolishing an existing approximately 40,000 square feet film storage building and its associated parking lot and truck rental business and constructing a 168,478 square feet seven-story storage building. The project is located at 936-962 North Seward Street and 949-959 North Hudson Avenue in the City of Los Angeles.  <a href="https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/august-2024/lac240801-13-mnd-956-seward-project.pdf">https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/august-2024/lac240801-13-mnd-956-seward-project.pdf</a>  Comment Period: 8/1/2024- 8/21/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration	City of Los Angeles	Comment letter sent on 8/21/2024
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>LAC240807-05</b> Development Plan Approval Case No. 1005 and Modification Permit Case No. 1361	The project consists of approving a Development Plan to construct an approximately 19,124 square foot industrial building and related improvements within the M-2 Zone (Heavy Manufacturing Zone); and modifying a permit to allow a 2'-0" reduction of the required front yard setback along Freeman Avenue and Telegraph Road. The project is located at 10320 Freeman Avenue (APN: 8011-004-031).  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: 8/12/2024	Other	City of Santa Fe Springs	Document reviewed - No comments sent

Key:  
 # = Project has potential environmental justice concerns due to the nature and/or location of the project.  
 LAC = Los Angeles County, ORC = Orange County, RVC = Riverside County, SBC = San Bernardino County, and ALL = All counties within the South Coast AQMD jurisdiction  
 Project Notes:  
 1. Disposition may change prior to Governing Board Meeting  
 2. Documents received by the CEQA Intergovernmental Review program but not requiring review are not included in this report.



**ATTACHMENT A**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS PREPARED BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES AND STATUS OF REVIEW**  
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<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>LAC240821-07</b> ENV-2023-6757: 9000 Airport Boulevard	The project consists of demolishing 37,860 square feet of existing commercial/industrial floor area uses and associated surface parking areas and developing up to 435,390 square feet of industrial uses on approximately 18 acres. The project includes two options: Option 1 would develop one building comprised of up to 435,390 and Option 2 would develop three buildings comprised of up to 410,056 square feet of industrial floor area. The project would include truck trailer parking spaces and vehicle parking spaces under Option 1, and vehicle parking spaces under Option 2. The project is bounded by West Interceptor Street to the north, residential uses and surface parking to the east, West Arbor Vitae Street to the south, and South Airport Boulevard to the west. The project is located within the Westchester–Playa del Rey Community Plan area.  Comment Period: 8/21/2024 - 9/20/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Preparation of an Environmental Impact Report	City of Los Angeles	Under review, may submit comments
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>LAC240828-10</b> TVC 2050 Project	The project consists of establishing Television City 2050 Specific Plan to allow for the continuation of an existing studio use, modernization and expansion of media production facilities on approximately 25 acres. The Specific Plan would permit up to a maximum of 1,724,000 square feet of sound stage, production support, production office, general office, and retail uses, up to 1,459,623 square feet of new development, the retention of a minimum of 264,377 square feet of existing uses, and the demolition of up to 479,303 square feet of existing media production facilities. The designated Historic-Cultural Monument (HCM No. 1167; CHC-2018- 476-HCM) would be retained and rehabilitated as part of the project. In addition, a Sign District would be established to permit studio-specific on-site signage. The project is located at 7716 - 7860 Beverly Boulevard. Reference LAC231122-01, LAC220715-02 and LAC210706-06  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: 9/12/2024	Other	City of Los Angeles	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>ORC240813-01</b> 5665 Plaza Drive Project	The project consists of demolishing a 150,626 square foot office building and constructing a 191,394 square foot industrial building with 181,061 square foot of warehouse space and 10,333 square foot of office space on 8.53 acres. The project is located north of the intersection of Plaza Drive and Douglas Drive at 5665 Plaza Drive. Reference ORC240503-02, ORC240402-11 and ORC240221-03  Comment Period: 8/12/2024 - 9/27/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Report	City of Cypress	Under review, may submit comments

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<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>RVC240801-07</b> Distribution Park Commercial and Industrial Project - SPA 22-05380, TPM 22-38730, DPR 22-00037, DPR 22-00038	The project consists of constructing a 271,098 square foot warehouse with 34 truck loading docks and 78 truck parking spaces, a 52,008 square foot hotel, and two sit-down restaurants on 17.1 acres. The project is located north of East Dawes Street, east of Painted Canyon Street, south of Ramona Expressway, and west of the Camper Resorts of America facility. Reference RVC231122-03 and RVC240501-08  Staff previously provided comments on the Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Report for the project, which can be accessed at: <a href="https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/june-2024/rvc240501-08-draft-eir-distribution-park-commercial-and-industrial-project---spa-22-05380-tpm-38730-dpr-22-00038-project.pdf">https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/june-2024/rvc240501-08-draft-eir-distribution-park-commercial-and-industrial-project---spa-22-05380-tpm-38730-dpr-22-00038-project.pdf</a> .  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: 8/7/2024	Other	City of Perris	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>RVC240801-11</b> Menifee Business Park – Plot plan No. PLN23-0245	The project consists of developing a commercial/industrial business park that includes 11 buildings ranging in size from approximately 23,100 square feet to 37,840 square feet (total 337,770 square feet), 677 parking spaces, and 121,879 square feet of irrigated landscaped area on approximately 20 acres. The project also includes two driveways along Zeiders Road with the southernmost driveway being signalized and aligning with Scott Road Commerce Center. The project is located north of Keller Road, east of Howard Way, south of Scott Road, and west Zeiders Road (APN: 384-150-001). Reference RVC240724-03  Comment Period: 7/24/2024- 8/22/2024 Public Hearing: 7/31/2024	Notice of Preparation of a Draft Environmental Impact Report / Other	City of Menifee	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<b>Industrial and Commercial</b> <b>RVC240820-06</b> Conditional Use Permit for Corona Clay - General Plan Amendment No. 1144, Change of Zone No. 6361, Conditional Use Permit No. 3265, Surface Mining Permit No. 197R1, and Habitat Acquisition and Negotiation Strategy No. 02278	The project consists of entitling existing on-site uses and reclaiming a one-acre slope area on Corona Clay Company’s site known as “Dawson Canyon Clay Facility.” Existing uses to be entitling on the 110.5-acres project site include motorcycle test tracks on 30 acres, a clay processing and recycling facility on 18.5 acres, a model airplane field on 4.8 acres, and 6.4 acres of roads and ancillary uses. The remaining 50.8 acres will be designated Open Space - Conservation Habitat in accordance with the Western Riverside County Multi-Species Habitat Plan. The project is located north of Dawson Canyon Road and east of Interstate 15 in the County of Riverside.  Comment Period: 8/16/2024- 9/16/2024 Public Hearing: 9/18/2024	Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration	County of Riverside	Document reviewed - No comments sent

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<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>LAC240807-03</b> McKinley Elementary School	The project consists of implementing a selected remedy identified in the Removal Action Workplan on 1.0 acres. The project consists of: 1) using soil cap, asphalt/concrete to address arsenic detected in soil; 2) installing a Vapor Intrusion Mitigation system under proposed new building to address volatile organic compounds detected in soil vapor; and 3) executing a Land Use Covenant and long-term Operation and Maintenance. The project is located at 2401 Santa Monica Boulevard in the City of Santa Monica. Reference LAC240522-05  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: N/A	Other	Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC)	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>LAC240807-12</b> Amendment to CUP No. 733 – Universal Waste Systems, Inc., Material Recovery Facility and Transfer Station	The project consists of requesting approval for Modification to Conditional Use Permit (CUP) 733 to permit: 1) an increase of the processing capacity from 1,500 tons per day (tpd) to 2,500 tpd; 2) an addition of organic waste processing equipment in Building “B” to accommodate new equipment that would be required to process and recycle organic waste pursuant to Senate Bill 1383; 3) a revision of the facility’s hours of operation; and 4) a revision of the parking layout to decrease parking spaces from 104 to 54. The project is located at 9016 Norwalk Boulevard and encompasses approximately 3.81 acres (APNs: 8168-001-044 and 8168-001-815). Reference LAC150602-05 and LAC150519-07  Comment Period: 8/1/2024- 8/31/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration	City of Santa Fe Springs	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>LAC240814-06</b> Prisma Artists Lofts	The project consists of a community survey for a site cleanup program at a 1.5-acre empty lot. The site was previously used as an automotive service station but is proposed to be developed into a 75-unit, four-level, at-grade residential development. Previous investigations at the site found contamination in soil, including arsenic, lead, and mercury, and in soil gas, including volatile organic compounds such as tetrachloroethene (PCE), benzene, ethylbenzene, and petroleum higher than regulatory screening levels. The project is located at 501 East Mission Boulevard in the City of Pomona.  Comment Period: N/A Public Hearing: N/A	Other	Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC)	Document reviewed - No comments sent

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PROJECT TITLE				
<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>RVC240828-08</b> Well 25 Project	The project consists of constructing and operating a new groundwater well, a raw water pipeline, and a new water treatment facility on 1.1 acres. Well 25 is proposed to be approximately 16 inches in diameter and drilled to a depth of approximately 200 feet below ground surface with a target production capacity of 1,500 gallons per minute (gpm). Well 25 would be equipped with a 75 to 150 horsepower (hp) electric motor. Well 25 is located on Mission Boulevard near the intersection of Mission Boulevard and Daly Avenue. The Raw Water Pipeline Alignment would extend approximately 2,640 linear feet from the wellhead at Well 25, along Mission Boulevard, Daly Avenue, and 34th Street and terminate at the new treatment facility. The new treatment facility would be constructed at either: 1) the Potential Thompson Expansion Site; (ii) the Leland J. Thompson Facility, or (iii) the Laverne Mahnke Manganese Treatment Facility.  Comment Period: 8/28/2024 - 9/26/2024 Public Hearing: 10/17/2024	Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration	Rubidoux Community Services District (RCS D)	Under review, may submit comments
<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>SBC240801-03</b> West Valley Water District Well No. 57 Project	The project consists of installing a new well and requesting an easement from the Metropolitan Water District (MWD) to enable flush-to-waste drainage, pipeline installation, and discharge to the existing catch basin, and a well pipeline connection to the existing 24-inch waterline. The project also includes the following features: a 12-inch diameter pipeline connecting to the West Valley Water District's distribution system; a 6-inch drain line to connect to a pump for waste; a 6-foot by 9-foot chlorination building for sodium hypochlorite 12.5% storage; and a 5-inch conduit, switch gear, and transformer to connect to the existing powerline pole. The project is located northwest of the intersection of Vesta Way and Knox Avenue, just northeast of the intersection of Knox Avenue and Walsh Lane in the City of Fontana. The project is located on an approximately 1.6 acres portion of three parcels (Assessor's Parcel Numbers: 110-752-174, 110-752-176, and 110-752- 171).  Comment Period: 7/30/2024 - 8/29/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration	West Valley Water District	Document reviewed - No comments sent
<i>Waste and Water-related</i> <b>SBC240820-03</b> Inland Valley Infrastructure Corridor (IVIC)	The project consists of improving the following infrastructure systems: water; wastewater/sewer; dry utilities, including communications; drainage; roads; and other future utility integration. The project is bounded by San Bernardino International Airport to the north, State Route 210 to the east, and Tippecanoe Avenue to the west. References SBC231206-03  Comment Period: 8/20/2024 - 10/21/2024 Public Hearing: N/A	Notice of Availability and Notice of Completion for a Draft Environmental Impact Report	Inland Valley Development Agency	Under review, may submit comments

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**ATTACHMENT B**  
**ACTIVE PROJECTS WITH CONTINUED REVIEW OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS**  
**PREPARED BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES**

SOUTH COAST AQMD LOG-IN NUMBER	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF DOC.	LEAD AGENCY	COMMENT STATUS
PROJECT TITLE				
<i>General Land Use (residential, etc.)</i>				
<b>RVC240627-01</b> The Oasis at Indio Project	<p>The project consists of two buildout scenarios on 183 acres: 1) Maximum Buildout Scenario (MBS), which results in building 3,240 dwelling units, 20,000 square feet of retail, commercial uses, and 1,806,290 square feet of industrial development; and 2) Scenario #2 or lesser buildout, which results in building 1,327 dwelling units, 71,600 square feet of retail commercial uses, a 128 key hotel/motel, and 1,806,290 square feet of industrial uses. The project is located north of the Interstate 10 freeway, east of Madison Street, south of Avenue 42, and west of Monroe Street. Reference RVC240514-01</p> <p>Staff previously provided comments on the Notice of Preparation for the project, which can be accessed at: <a href="http://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/june-2024/rvc240514-01-nop-the-oasis-at-indio-project.pdf">http://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/june-2024/rvc240514-01-nop-the-oasis-at-indio-project.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/august-2024/rvc240627-01-deir-the-oasis-at-indio-project.pdf">http://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ceqa/comment-letters/2024/august-2024/rvc240627-01-deir-the-oasis-at-indio-project.pdf</a></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Comment Period: 6/25/2024- 8/9/2024</p>	Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Report	City of Indio	Comment letter sent 8/8/2024
	Public Hearing: N/A			

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**ATTACHMENT C PROPOSED AIR PERMIT  
PROJECTS FOR WHICH SOUTH COAST AQMD IS  
CEQA LEAD AGENCY THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2024**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION	PROPONENT	TYPE OF DOCUMENT	STATUS	CONSULTANT
<p>Quemetco is proposing to modify its existing South Coast AQMD permits to allow the facility to recycle more batteries and to eliminate the existing daily idle time of the furnaces. The proposed project will increase the rotary feed drying furnace feed rate limit from 600 to 750 tons per day and increase the amount of total coke material allowed to be processed. In addition, the project will allow the use of petroleum coke in lieu of or in addition to calcined coke and remove one existing emergency diesel-fueled internal combustion engine (ICE) and install two new emergency natural gas-fueled ICEs.</p>	<p>Quemetco</p>	<p>Environmental Impact Report (EIR)</p>	<p>The Draft EIR was released for a 124-day public review and comment period from October 14, 2021 to February 15, 2022 and approximately 200 comment letters were received.</p> <p>South Coast AQMD held two community meetings on November 10, 2021, and February 9, 2022, which presented an overview of the proposed project, the CEQA process, detailed analysis of the potentially significant environmental topic areas, and the existing regulatory safeguards. Response to written comments submitted relative to the Draft EIR and oral comments made at the community meetings are currently being prepared by the consultant.</p> <p>After the Draft EIR public comment and review period closed, Quemetco submitted additional applications for other permit modifications. South Coast AQMD staff is evaluating the effect of these new applications on the EIR process.</p>	<p>Trinity Consultants</p>
<p>Sunshine Canyon Landfill is proposing to modify its South Coast AQMD permits for its active landfill gas collection and control system to accommodate the increased collection of landfill gas. The proposed project will: 1) install two new low-emission flares with two additional 300-horsepower electric blowers; and 2) increase the landfill gas flow limit of the existing landfill gas collection system.</p>	<p>Sunshine Canyon Landfill</p>	<p>Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIR)</p>	<p>The consultant is working on a Draft SEIR which South Coast AQMD staff is reviewing.</p>	<p>Castle Environmental Consulting</p>
<p>Tesoro is proposing to modify its Title V permit to: 1) add gas oil as a commodity that can be stored in three of the six new crude oil storage tanks at the Carson Crude Terminal (previously assessed in the May 2017 Final EIR); and 2) drain, clean and decommission Reservoir 502, a 1.5-million-barrel concrete-lined, wooden-roof topped reservoir used to store gas oil.</p>	<p>Tesoro Refining &amp; Marketing Company, LLC (Tesoro)</p>	<p>Addendum to the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the May 2017 Tesoro Los Angeles Refinery Integration and Compliance Project (LARIC)</p>	<p>South Coast AQMD staff review of the revised Draft Addendum is complete. South Coast AQMD staff is preparing the Draft Title V Permit Revision for review by the United States Environmental Protection Agency.</p>	<p>Environmental Audit, Inc.</p>

**ATTACHMENT C PROPOSED AIR PERMIT  
PROJECTS FOR WHICH SOUTH COAST AQMD IS  
CEQA LEAD AGENCY THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2024**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION	PROPONENT	TYPE OF DOCUMENT	STATUS	CONSULTANT
<p>SoCalGas is proposing to modify their Title V permit for the Honor Rancho Natural Gas Storage Field to: 1) replace five compressor engines with four new natural gas-fueled compressor engines (each rated at 5,000 horsepower (hp)), new selective catalytic reduction systems and a new aqueous urea storage tank; 2) install two new electric compressors (each rated at 5,500 hp) with associated ancillary equipment; 3) construct a new building to house the new compressors; 4) install an advanced renewable energy system, which will include hydrogen electrolyzers, hydrogen storage, and fuel blending equipment to mix hydrogen with natural gas which will fuel the compressor engines; 5) install a hydrogen vehicle fueling station; 6) install an electric microgrid with an energy storage system and a natural gas fuel cell system; and 7) install one new electricity transmission line which will connect to Southern California Edison.</p>	<p>Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas)</p>	<p>Addendum to the Final Subsequent Environmental Assessment for Rule 1110.2 and Rule 1100, and the Final Program EIR for the 2016 Air Quality Management Plan</p>	<p>The consultant has prepared a preliminary Draft Addendum which South Coast AQMD staff is reviewing.</p>	<p>Dudek</p>