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## **South Coast AQMD Continues to Accept and Process Permit Applications**

**DIAMOND BAR** – In spite of the <u>recent building closure</u> due to COVID-19, the South Coast Air Quality Management District (South Coast AQMD) is still accepting and processing permitting applications at this time. Permit applicants are encouraged to mail in applications with payment to South Coast AQMD, however, if necessary, a drop box is available in front of the South Coast AQMD building, Tuesday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. For Dry Cleaners, Autobody shops and Gasoline Dispensing facilities, we encourage applications be submitted through our <u>online application process</u> to allow for expeditious processing.

For questions or assistance with permits or permit applications, please call 909-396-3385 or email <a href="mailto:PermitServicesOnline@aqmd.gov">PermitServicesOnline@aqmd.gov</a>. Further information can also be found on the South Coast AQMD website at <a href="mailto:www.aqmd.gov/home/permits">www.aqmd.gov/home/permits</a>.

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