



SOUTH COAST AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Planning and Rule Development Changes Due to COVID-19

South Coast AQMD's rulemaking and planning activities rely heavily on input and participation from the public. In response to Governor Newsom's Stay at Home Order, South Coast AQMD has transitioned public meetings to a [virtual format](#) to ensure public participation remains an integral part of the rulemaking process.

Planning and rule development remain essential functions of South Coast AQMD operations, however we recognize that stakeholders and members of the public may need to prioritize and address other COVID-19 related issues. We also understand that many businesses are closed or operating with limited resources.

In the coming months, South Coast AQMD will revise the [Rule and Control Measure Forecast](#) and assess if we should make any changes or additions to reflect the evolving situation with COVID-19. Staff will continue the technical work necessary for future rulemaking to minimize delays in meeting statutory requirements and to help prepare for stakeholder engagement when appropriate.

We encourage stakeholders and the public to reach out to us at 1-800-CUT-SMOG with any questions or concerns.