

# HYBRID ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

**Committee Members** 

Chair Vanessa Delgado, Committee Chair Vice Chair Michael Cacciotti, Committee Vice Chair Board Member Gideon Kracov Supervisor V. Manuel Perez

October 13, 2023 10:00 a.m.

**TELECONFERENCE LOCATION** 

County of Riverside Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder 41002 County Center Drive Suite 230 Temecula, CA 92591 Office of Senator Vanessa Delgado 944 South Greenwood Ave. Montebello, CA 90640

A meeting of the South Coast Air Quality Management District Administrative Committee will be held at 10:00 a.m., on Friday, October 13, 2023 through a hybrid format of in-person attendance in the Dr. William A. Burke Auditorium at the South Coast AQMD Headquarters, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, California, and remote attendance via videoconferencing and by telephone. Please follow the instructions below to join the meeting remotely.

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# **AGENDA**

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# **CALL TO ORDER**

- Roll Call

# **DISCUSSION ITEMS – Items 1 through 9:**

1.	Board Members' Concerns ( <i>No Motion Required</i> ) Any member of the Governing Board, on his or her own initiative may raise a concern to the Administrative Committee regarding any South Coast AQMD items or activities.	Chair Vanessa Delgado Committee Chair	
2.	Chair's Report of Approved Travel (No Motion Required)	Chair Delgado	
3.	Report of Approved Out-of-Country Travel (No Motion Required)	Wayne Nastri Executive Officer	
4.	Review November 3, 2023 Governing Board Agenda	Wayne Nastri pgs. 6-1	15
5.	Approval of Compensation for Board Member Assistant(s)/ Consultant(s) (Any material, if submitted, will be distributed at the meeting.) ( <i>Motion Requested if Proposal Made</i> )	Chair Delgado pgs. 16-	-18
6.	Pre-Audit Conference (Presenter: Brandon Young, Engagement Partner) ( <i>No Motion Required</i> ) South Coast AQMD's auditing firm, Lance, Soll & Lunghard, LLP, will present an outline of the financial statement audit for Fiscal Year 2022-2023.	Sujata Jain Chief Financial Officer, Finance	
7.	Update on South Coast AQMD Inclusion, Diversity and Equity Efforts ( <i>No Motion Required</i> ) <i>Staff will provide an update on current and future efforts for our</i> <i>internal processes and programs</i> .	Cessa Heard-Johnson, pgs. 19- PhD, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Officer	-29
8.	Report of RFQs/RFPs Scheduled for Release in November ( <i>No Motion Required</i> ) <i>This report summarizes the RFQs/RFPs for budgeted services over</i> \$100,000 scheduled to be released for advertisement for the month of October.	Sujata Jain pgs. 30-3 Chief Financial Officer, Finance	32
9.	Status Report on Major Ongoing and Upcoming Projects for Information Management ( <i>No Motion Required</i> ) Information Management is responsible for data systems management services in support of all South Coast AQMD operations. This action is to provide the monthly status report on major automation contracts and planned projects.	Ron Moskowitz pgs. 33-3 Chief Information Officer, Information Management	,9

# ACTION ITEMS – Items 10 through 11:

10.	Amend Agreement with Phillips 66 Company for Continued Fenceline Air Measurements at Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery	Jason Low, PhD, Deputy Executive	10
	Using Optical Tent, Recognize Revenue, Appropriate Funds and	Monitoring & An	
	Amend Contract ( <i>Motion Requested</i> )		
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	deployed at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery by the Regents of		
	University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) to demonstrate its		
	ability to monitor fugitive VOC emissions. After the MATES V study		
	concluded, the optical tent was adopted by the refinery as part of		
	their fenceline air monitoring system for Rule 1180 implementation,		
	with continued oversight provided by UCLA for quality		
	assurance/quality control, and reporting for this advanced		
	technology. These actions are to amend an existing agreement with		
	Phillips 66 Company to extend fenceline air measurements at the		
	Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery using an optical tent, recognize		
	revenue, appropriate funds and amend a contract with UCLA.		
11.	Establish Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024	Wayne Nastri	pgs. 42-44
	(Motion Requested)		
	The proposed Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024 is		
	submitted for Board consideration. The meeting schedule for the		
	Administrative Committee meeting, (second Friday of the month), as		
	well as the other standing committees is included for information only.		

# **WRITTEN REPORT:**

None.

# **OTHER MATTERS:**

12. Other Business

Any member of the Committee, or its staff, on his or her own initiative or in response to questions posed by the public, may ask a question for clarification, may make a brief announcement or report on his or her own activities, provide a reference to staff regarding factual information, request staff to report back at a subsequent meeting concerning any matter, or may take action to direct staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda. (Govt Code Section 54954.2)

# 13. Public Comment

At the end of the regular meeting agenda, an opportunity is provided for the public to speak on any subject within the Committee's authority that is not on the agenda. Speakers may be limited to three (3) minutes total.

14. Next Meeting Date: Thursday, November 9, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

Chair Delgado

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10/6/23 - 4:30 p.m.

# DRAFT AGENDA

### HYBRID GOVERNING BOARD MEETING NOVEMBER 3, 2023

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Public Comment Will Still Be Taken	Audience will be allowed to provide public comment in person and through Zoom connection or telephone. Phone controls for participants: The following commands can be used on your phone's dial pad while in meeting: *6 (Toggle mute/unmute); *9 - Raise hand	
Questions About an Agenda Item	The name and telephone number of the appropriate staff person to call for additional information or to resolve concerns is listed for each agenda item.	
	<ul> <li>In preparation for the meeting, you are encouraged to obtain whatever clarifying information may be needed to allow the Board to move expeditiously in its deliberations.</li> </ul>	
Meeting Procedures	<ul> <li>The public meeting of the South Coast AQMD Governing Board begins at 9:00 a.m. The Governing Board generally will consider items in the order listed on the agenda. However, <u>any item</u> may be considered in <u>any order</u>.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>After taking action on any agenda item not requiring a public hearing, the Board may reconsider or amend the item at any time during the meeting.</li> </ul>	

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# CALL TO ORDER

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call
- Opening Comments: Vanessa Delgado, Chair Other Board Members Wayne Nastri, Executive Officer

Staff/Phone (909) 396-

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD – (Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items, Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.3) The public may comment on any subject within the South Coast AQMD's authority that does not appear on the agenda, during the Public Comment Period. Each speaker addressing non-agenda items may be limited to a total of (3) minutes.

# CONSENT AND BOARD CALENDAR (Items X through XX)

Note: Consent and Board Calendar items held for discussion will be moved to Item No. XX

### Items 1 through X – Action Items/No Fiscal Impact

- 11939. Approve Minutes of October 6, 2023
- 12170. Set Public Hearings December 1, 2023 to Consider Nastri/3131 Adoption of and/or Amendments to South Coast AQMD Rules and Regulations<sup>1</sup>:
  - 12057. Certify Final Subsequent Environmental Assessment for Proposed Amended Rule 1135 - Emissions of Oxides of Nitrogen From Electricity Generating Facilities; and Amend Rule 1135

Proposed Amended Rule 1135 (PAR 1135) establishes NOx emission limits for electric generating units located on Santa Catalina Island to reflect current BARCT. PAR 1135 includes monitoring, reporting, and recordkeeping requirements for electric generating units located on Santa Catalina Island and extends the compliance deadline for boilers and gas turbines to comply with Rule 1135 emission limits. This action is to adopt the Resolution: 1) Certifying the Final Subsequent Environmental Assessment for Proposed Amended Rule 1135; and 2) Amending Rule 1135. (Reviewed: Stationary Source Committee August 19, 2022, March 17, 2023 and November 17, 2023)

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Thomas/3268

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Please note, at the September 1, 2023 Board Meeting, a public hearing was set for the December 1, 2023 Board Meeting to Determine That Proposed Amended Rule 1405 – Control of Ethylene Oxide Emissions from Sterilization and Related Operations, Is Exempt from CEQA; and Amend Rule 1405.

12171.	Establish Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024	Nastri/3131
	The proposed Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024 is submitted for Board consideration. The meeting schedule for the Administrative Committee meeting, (second Friday of the month), as well as the other standing committees is included for information only. (Reviewed: Administrative Committee, October 13, 2023; Recommended for Approval)	
	<u>Items X through X – Budget/Fiscal Impact</u>	
12162.	Amend Agreement with Phillips 66 Company for Continued Fenceline Air Measurements at Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery Using Optical Tent, Recognize Revenue, Appropriate Funds and Amend Contract	Low/2269
	As part of MATES V, an optical tent air measurement system was deployed at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery by the Regents of University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) to demonstrate its ability to monitor fugitive VOC emissions. After the MATES V study concluded, the optical tent was adopted by the refinery as part of their fenceline air monitoring system for Rule 1180 implementation, with continued oversight provided by UCLA for quality assurance/quality control, and reporting for this advanced technology. These actions are to amend an existing agreement with Phillips 66 Company to extend fenceline air measurements at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery using an optical tent, recognize revenue, appropriate funds and amend a contract with UCLA. (Reviewed: Administrative Committee, October 13, 2023; Recommended for Approval)	
12163.	Execute Contract to Replace Existing Hydrogen Refueling Station at South Coast AQMD Headquarters	Katzenstein/2219
	For over a decade, South Coast AQMD hosted a hydrogen refueling station, part of a CEC award to Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. The current station's capacity to provide hydrogen refueling is limited. Recently, FirstElement Fuel, Inc. received a CEC grant in the amount of \$42.6M to develop publicly accessible advanced hydrogen refueling stations. Additional funding is sought to remediate the site. This action is to execute a contract with FirstElement Fuel, Inc. to expand and upgrade the existing hydrogen refueling station at South Coast AQMD Headquarters and	

remediate the site in an amount not to exceed \$275,000 from the Clean Fuels Program Fund (31). (Reviewed: Technology

Committee, October 20, 2023; Recommended for Approval)

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The University of California, Riverside (UCR) was awarded \$200,000 from CEC to conduct a technical planning study for Southern California's ZEV infrastructure deployment. The CEC Medium-Duty and Heavy-Duty (MD/HD) blueprint project focuses on ZEV infrastructure deployment planning within the South Coast Air Basin. UCR proposes to expand the scope of the existing

**Emission Vehicle Infrastructure Analysis** 

11913. Legislative, Public Affairs and Media Report

11880.	Hearing Board Report	Verdugo-Peralta
	This reports the actions taken by the Hearing Board during the period of September 1 through September 30, 2023. (No Committee Review)	
12016.	Civil Filings and Civil Penalties Report	Gilchrist/3459
	This report summarizes monthly penalties and legal actions filed by the General Counsel's Office from September 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023. An Index of South Coast AQMD Rules is attached with the penalty report. (Reviewed: Stationary Source Committee, October 20, 2023)	
11891.	Intergovernmental Review of Environmental Documents and CEQA Lead Agency Projects	Krause /2706
	This report provides a listing of CEQA documents received by South Coast AQMD between September 1, 2023 and September 30, 2023, and those projects for which South Coast AQMD is acting as lead agency pursuant to CEQA. (Reviewed: Mobile Source Committee, October 20, 2023)	
11845.	Rule and Control Measure Forecast	Rees/2856
	This report highlights South Coast AQMD rulemaking activities and public hearings scheduled for 2023 and portions of 2024. (No Committee Review)	
12157.	Report of RFQs/RFPs Scheduled for Release in November	Jain/2804
	This report summarizes the RFQs/RFPs for budgeted services over \$100,000 scheduled to be released for advertisement for the month of November. (Reviewed: Administrative Committee, October 13, 2023)	
12164.	Status Report on Major Ongoing and Upcoming Projects for Information Management	Moskowitz/3329
	Information Management is responsible for data systems management services in support of all South Coast AQMD operations. This action is to provide the monthly status report on major automation contracts and planned projects. (Reviewed: Administrative Committee, October 13, 2023)	

# Items XX through XX -- Reports for Committees and CARB

11950.	Administrative Committee (Receive & File)	Chair: Delgado	Nastri/3131
11902.	Legislative Committee (Receive & File)	Chair: Cacciotti	Alatorre/3122
11855.	Mobile Source Committee (Receive & File)	Chair: Kracov	Rees/2856
11929.	Stationary Source Committee (Receive & File)	Chair: McCallon	Aspell/2491
11973.	Technology Committee (Receive & File)	Chair: Rodriguez	Katzenstein/2219
11983.	Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committee (Receive & File)	Board Rep: Hagman	Katzenstein/2219
11869.	California Air Resources Board Monthly Report (Receive & File)	Board Rep: Kracov	Thomas/3268

XX. Items Deferred from Consent and Board Calendar

# PUBLIC HEARINGS

12176Determine That Proposed Rule 1110.3 – Emissions from<br/>Linear Generators and Proposed Amended Rule 1110.2 –<br/>Emissions from Gaseous- and Liquid-Fueled Engines, Are<br/>Exempt from CEQA; and Adopt Rule 1110.3 and Amend<br/>Rule 1110.2Krause/2706

Proposed Rule 1110.3 will establish NOx, CO, and VOC emission limits for linear generators, as well as provisions for source testing, monitoring, reporting and recordkeeping. Proposed Amended Rule 1110.2 will be amended to exclude linear generators from the applicability and requirements. This action is to adopt the Resolution: 1) Determining that Proposed Rule 1110.3 – Emissions from Linear Generators and Proposed Amended Rule 1110.2 – Emissions from Gaseous- and Liquid-Fueled Engines, are exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act; 2) Adopting Rule 1110.3 – Emissions from Linear Generators and Amending Rule 1110.2 – Emissions from Gaseous- and Liquid-Fueled Engines . (Reviewed: Stationary Source Committee, February 17 and September 15, 2023; and To Be Reviewed: October 20, 2023)

Krause/2706

12155 Determine That Proposed Amended Rule 2011 -Requirements for Monitoring, Reporting, and Recordkeeping for Oxides of Sulfur (SOx) Emissions and Proposed Amended Rule 2012 - Requirements for Monitoring, Reporting, and Recordkeeping for Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx) Emissions, Are Exempt from CEQA; and Amend Rules 2011 and 2012

> Proposed Amended Rules 2011 and 2012 will allow continuous emission monitoring systems to be shutdown, when the combustion equipment it monitors is scheduled to be not operating or generating emissions for an extended period of time, provided specific conditions are met, consistent with Rule 218.2 - Continuous Emission Monitoring System: General Provisions. This action is to adopt the Resolution: 1) Determining that Proposed Amended Rule 2011 - Requirements for Monitoring, Reporting, and Recordkeeping for Oxides of Sulfur (SOx) Emissions and Proposed Amended Rule 2012 - Requirements for Monitoring, Reporting, and Recordkeeping for Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx) Emissions, are exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act; and 2) Amending Rules 2011 and 2012. (Reviewed: Stationary Source Committee, September 15, 2023)

# BOARD MEMBER TRAVEL - (No Written Material)

Board member travel reports have been filed with the Clerk of the Boards, and copies are available upon request.

# CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE - (No Written Material)

# CLOSED SESSION -- (No Written Material)

Gilchrist/3459

# ADJOURNMENT

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Note that on items listed on the Consent Calendar and the balance of the agenda any motion, including action, can be taken (consideration is not limited to listed recommended actions). Additional matters can be added and action taken by two-thirds vote, or in the case of an emergency, by a majority vote. Matters raised under the Public Comment Period may not be acted upon at that meeting other than as provided above.

Written comments will be accepted by the Board and made part of the record. Individuals who wish to submit written or electronic comments must submit such comments to the Clerk of the Board, South Coast AQMD, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, CA 91765-4178, (909) 396-2500, or to <a href="cob@aqmd.gov">cob@aqmd.gov</a>, on or before 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to the Board meeting.

#### ACRONYMS

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AQ-SPEC = Air Quality Sensor Performance	Ν	ATTS =
Evaluation Center	Ν	NESHAP
AQIP = Air Quality Investment Program		
AQMP = Air Quality Management Plan	Ν	NGV = Na
AVR = Average Vehicle Ridership	Ν	VOx = O
BACT = Best Available Control Technology	Ν	NSPS = N
BARCT = Best Available Retrofit Control Technology	Ν	NSR = Ne
Cal/EPA = California Environmental Protection Agency	C	DEHHA =
CARB = California Air Resources Board		
CEMS = Continuous Emissions Monitoring Systems	F	PAMS = I
CEC = California Energy Commission		
CEQA = California Environmental Quality Act	F	PEV = Plu
CE-CERT =College of Engineering-Center for Environm	iental F	PHEV = F
Research and Technology	F	PM10 = F
CNG = Compressed Natural Gas	F	PM2.5 = l
CO = Carbon Monoxide	F	RECLAIN
DOE = Department of Energy	F	RFP = Re
EV = Electric Vehicle	F	RFQ = Re
EV/BEV = Electric Vehicle/Battery Electric Vehicle	F	RFQQ=R
FY = Fiscal Year	S	SCAG = S
GHG = Greenhouse Gas	S	SIP = Sta
HRA = Health Risk Assessment	S	SOx = Ox
LEV = Low Emission Vehicle	S	500N = 3
LNG = Liquefied Natural Gas	S	SULEV =
MATES = Multiple Air Toxics Exposure Study	Т	TCM = Tr
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NATTS =National Air Toxics Trends Station
NESHAPS = National Emission Standards for
Hazardous Air Pollutants
NGV = Natural Gas Vehicle
NOx = Oxides of Nitrogen
NSPS = New Source Performance Standards
NSR = New Source Review
OEHHA = Office of Environmental Health Hazard
Assessment
PAMS = Photochemical Assessment Monitoring
Stations
PEV = Plug-In Electric Vehicle
PHEV = Plug-In Hybrid Electric Vehicle
PM10 = Particulate Matter ≤ 10 microns
PM2.5 = Particulate Matter < 2.5 microns
RECLAIM=Regional Clean Air Incentives Market
RFP = Request for Proposals
RFQ = Request for Quotations
RFQQ=Request for Qualifications and Quotations
SCAG = Southern California Association of Governments
SIP = State Implementation Plan
SOx = Oxides of Sulfur
SOON = Surplus Off-Road Opt-In for NOx
SULEV = Super Ultra Low Emission Vehicle
TCM = Transportation Control Measure
ULEV = Ultra Low Emission Vehicle
U.S. EPA = United States Environmental Protection
Agency
VOC = Volatile Organic Compound

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Agenda Item #5

# Approval of Compensation for Board Member Assistant(s)/Consultant(s)

Administrative Committee Meeting October 13, 2023

# **Proposal for SCAQMD Board Member Assistant/Consultant**

To: Administrative Cmte For meeting on October 13, 2023 From: Board Member Patricia Lock Dawson

In accordance with the policy adopted by the Governing Board April 3, 2015, I submit this proposal to hire the individual named below, in the capacity indicated, to assist me in my duties as a member of the Governing Board of the SCAQMD effective <u>October 1, 2023</u> and ending <u>June 30, 2024</u>

# **Candidate Information**

Name: Thomas Gross

Qualifications (education, professional experience, etc.): Resume on file; continuing service

Proposed Capacity (check one)			
	Board Member Assistant (employee) - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties indicated below for		
	an Assistant.		
X	_ Board Member Consultant (employee) - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties indicated below		
	for a Consultant.		
	_ Board Member Consultant (independent contractor) - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties		
	indicated below for a Board Member Consultant and in performing such duties the independent contractor will be responsible		
	for selecting the appropriate method and means of achieving the required results. My proposed Board Member Consultant		
	does/does nothave a business license. If so, the type of business is, and the		
	business license number is issued by the Proposed Scope of Duties (check one)		
	Assistant (up to \$31.51/hour, \$31.99/hour effective January 1, 2017) - Performs for Board Member a variety		
	of tasks ranging from liaison with constituent public entities, other Board Members, the public, and District staff related to		
	clerical functions. Typical functions may include preparing narrative and statistical reports, preparing correspondence, filing		
	and maintaining records, arranging meetings and other group functions; monitoring various programs and projects; responding		
	to inquiries from constituent public entities, District Board Members, the public and District staff.		
Х	Examples of duties are set forth in the attachment (OPTIONAL) $X = C_{\text{examples of }} (2017) = 0.5$		
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	of professional-level assignments in the development and formulation of policy, data analysis, reports, plans, assessments, and strategies for District programs; provides advice and recommendations to the Board Member regarding matters subject to the		
	Board Member's decision-making authority; may provide liaison with the public on behalf of the Board Member. Typical		
	functions may include planning, organizing, and developing a wide variety of programs on the Board Member's behalf and		
	evaluating the effectiveness of various approaches.		
	Examples of duties are set forth in the attachment (OPTIONAL)		
Proposed Rate of Compensation (fill in all blanks)			
	\$1,267.98 per month for October 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024, up to a maximum payable during the		
	contract period not to exceed $\frac{11,411.82}{2}$ .		
	For Administrative Committee Use:		
Reviewed by Administrative Committee with advice of District Counsel. Based on the scope of duties, the individual is a:			
	Assistant (employee) X Consultant (employee) Consultant (independent contractor)		

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# Proposal for SCAQMD Board Member Assistant/Consultant

To: Administrative Cmte For meeting on October 13, 2023 From: Board Member Patricia Lock Dawson

In accordance with the policy adopted by the Governing Board April 3, 2015, I submit this proposal to hire the individual named below, in the capacity indicated, to assist me in my duties as a member of the Governing Board of the SCAQMD effective <u>October 1, 2023</u> and ending <u>June 30, 2024</u>

# **Candidate Information**

Name: Andrew Silva

Qualifications (education, professional experience, etc.): Continuing service/Resume on file

Proposed Capacity (check one)		
<b>Board Member Assistant (employee)</b> - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties indicated below for		
an Assistant.		
X_ Board Member Consultant (employee) - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties indicated below		
for a Consultant.		
<b>Board Member Consultant (independent contractor)</b> - the work to be performed primarily will entail the duties		
indicated below for a Board Member Consultant and in performing such duties the independent contractor will be responsible		
for selecting the appropriate method and means of achieving the required results. My proposed Board Member Consultant does/does nothave a business license. If so, the type of business is, and the		
business license number is		
business license number isissued by the Proposed Scope of Duties (check one)		
Assistant (up to \$31.51/hour, \$31.99/hour effective January 1, 2017) - Performs for Board Member a variety of tasks ranging from liaison with constituent public entities, other Board Members, the public, and District staff related to		
clerical functions. Typical functions may include preparing narrative and statistical reports, preparing correspondence, filing		
and maintaining records, arranging meetings and other group functions; monitoring various programs and projects; responding		
to inquiries from constituent public entities, District Board Members, the public and District staff.		
Examples of duties are set forth in the attachment (OPTIONAL)		
X Consultant (up to \$56.73/hour, \$57.59/hour effective January 1, 2017) - Performs for Board Member a variety		
of professional-level assignments in the development and formulation of policy, data analysis, reports, plans, assessments, and		
strategies for District programs; provides advice and recommendations to the Board Member regarding matters subject to the		
Board Member's decision-making authority; may provide liaison with the public on behalf of the Board Member. Typical		
functions may include planning, organizing, and developing a wide variety of programs on the Board Member's behalf and		
evaluating the effectiveness of various approaches.		
Examples of duties are set forth in the attachment (OPTIONAL)		
<b>Proposed Rate of Compensation (fill in all blanks)</b>		
<u>\$2,958.60</u> per month for October 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024, which is up to a maximum payable		
during the contract period not to exceed $$26,627.40$ .		
For Administrative Committee Use:		
Reviewed by Administrative Committee with advice of District Counsel. Based on the scope of duties, the individual is a:		
Assistant (employee) _X_ Consultant (employee)Consultant (independent contractor)		

cc: Human Resources

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# Administrative Committee Friday, October 13, 2023

Dr. ANISSA CESSA HEARD-JOHNSON Deputy Executive Officer Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion with Community Air Programs



# **FABULOUS FEMALE FRIDAY: Hispanic Heritage Month Edition**

# Diana Trujillo

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Aerospace Engineer

- Born and raise in Colombia
  - Immigrated to the US at the age of 17
- Began taking English as a second language at Miami-Dade Community College
  - Graduated in Aerospace Engineering from the University of Maryland
- Began Working at NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory
- She is currently the Execution and Tactical Mission Lead for the Mars Perseverance Rover
- Sharing her passion of STEM with the public
  - Co-created and hosted NASA's first-ever Spanish-language live broadcast of a planetary landing "Juntos Perseveramos" (Perseverance Rover landing on Mars)
  - Guest appeared on Plaza Sésamo
  - Continues to share STEM information and opportunities to the Latin communities on social media
  - In 2021, she was named a Comendador of Orden de Boyacá by the President of Colombia

South Coast

# Infographics - September











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WORLDWIDE CELEBRATIONS





LEGENDS

Lady Change Goddess of the Moon



The Mooncake & The Ming Dynasty

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Watch A Video Video brought to you in collaboration with South Coast AQMD's Persian Employee Resource Group



Former Persian ERG Member Simin Mehrabani and current Member Kambis Hadjforoosh discuss what Mehregan means to them.

The Persian Autumn Festival, known as Mehregan, falls on October 2, 2022. It is observed on the 196th day after the first day of spring. Mehregan celebrates the rebirth of nature, kinship and kindness, and the Sun.

Mehr is a representation of the Sun, and the Sun is thought to be the eye of Mithra (or Mitra), the creator of the natural world. Since Mithra is a representation of light, ancient Persia revered faith, and celebrated friendship, kindness, and love.

Like other Persian festivals, this celebration also features a large table display. The table setup and spread include various ingredients and elements that represent a balance in the Ingreatients and elements that represent a budnee in the celebration of Hie. Fruity, vegetables, dried nuts, sweets, rosewater, lotus seeds, silver coins, and a scale (representin the fall equinox) are typical items included on these display Mirrors can also be a key feature for self-reflection. Festival ceremonies open with prayers of gratitude that are exchanged in front of the mirror. Warm embraces among family and friend are plentiful while fruits and sweets are enjoyed. We hope that are perindum when nois on a sweet site or hyper. We hope indu-Mehregan brings friendship, peace, and solidarity for everyone, especially during these trying times that we are still experiencing injustice in Iran as well as many other places across the globe.



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# J.E.D.I. Book Club – Upcoming Meetings

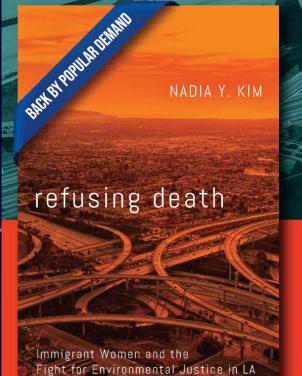
# **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND:**

• Refusing Death: Immigrant Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice in LA

First Tuesday and Thursday of each Month

# **First Meetings:**

- Thursday, November 2, 2023
- Tuesday, November 7, 2023





REFUSING DEATH: IMMIGRANT Women and the fight for Environmental Justice in La By Dr. Nadia Y. Kim

# J.E.D.I. Think Tank – Communicating Science

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# COMMUNICATING

Tuesday, September 26, 2023 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.



DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION diversityequityinclusion@aqmd.gov "This think tank pointed out to me that I need to work on communication. I hadn't realized that failing to communicate technical information could add to existing mistrust."

"I see how valuable engagement is in creating connections with community and I like that the method for communication presented is fun and can help open dialogues between our agency and community members. I hope our agency does more of a story approach, especially in social media."

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# Hispanic Heritage Month Display/Commemoration



# Mid-Autumn Festival Display



# Fabulous Female Friday

South Coast AQMD Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion



# Hispanic Heritage Month Edition FABULOUS FEMALE FRIDAYS

Fabulous Female Fridays seeks to elevate women from all industries that have made contributions to the fight for gender equality

This month we commemorate Hispanic Heritage Month by highlighting women who have strengthened the S.T.E.M. field, increased accessed to literature through storytelling, and the impact of advocacy.

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# Critical Community Conversations for Purposeful Outreach (C3PO) - WCWLB

# South Los Angeles

 "I was caught off guard with Jackie's comments about 'this is probably the most you have ever heard me speak before' referencing the little time community members actually have to contribute/speak in meetings."

# Southeast Los Angeles

• "It reinforced the importance of community green spaces which community members have voiced to us over the years. It also reinforced the need to work and coordinate with other agencies such as LA County Department of Regional Planning to help address air pollution more holistically."

# Wilmington, Carson, West Long Beach

 "Each stop was a learning experience and if it was not for these tours, I would never know a thing about the Ports."



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# Employee Resource Groups (ERG) -September Updates



Created a <u>sample</u> welcome video for ERGs

# Agencywide ERG Recruitment Event

- ERG informational tables for staff
- Bi-monthly planning meetings (August and September)
- Discuss alternative opportunities to promote ERGs throughout the agency



# Any Questions?

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BOARD MEETIN	NG DATE: November 3, 2023	AGENDA NO.
PROPOSAL:	Report of RFQs/RFPs Scheduled for	Release in November
SYNOPSIS:	This report summarizes the RFQs/RFPs for budgeted services over \$100,000 scheduled to be released for advertisement for the month of November.	
COMMITTEE:	Administrative, October 13, 2023, R	eviewed
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the release of RFQs/RFPs for the month of November.		

Wayne Nastri Executive Officer

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# Background

In January 2020, the Board approved a revised Procurement Policy and Procedure. Under the revised policy, RFQs/RFPs for budgeted items over \$100,000 that follow the Procurement Policy and Procedure would no longer be required to obtain individual Board approval. However, a monthly report of all RFQs/RFPs over \$100,000 is included as part of the Board agenda package and the Board may, if desired, take individual action on any item. The attached report provides the title and synopsis of the RFQ/RFP, the budgeted funds available, and the name of the Deputy Executive Officer/Assistant Deputy Executive Officer responsible for that item. Further detail including closing dates, contact information, and detailed proposal criteria will be available online at <u>http://www.aqmd.gov/grants-bids</u> following Board approval on November 3, 2023.

# Outreach

In accordance with South Coast AQMD's Procurement Policy and Procedure, a public notice advertising the RFQs/RFPs and inviting bids will be published in the Los Angeles Times, the Orange County Register, the San Bernardino Sun, and Riverside County's Press Enterprise newspapers to leverage the most cost-effective method of outreach to the South Coast Basin.

Additionally, potential bidders may be notified utilizing South Coast AQMD's own electronic listing of certified minority vendors. Notice of the RFQs/RFPs will be emailed to the Black and Latino Legislative Caucuses and various minority chambers of commerce and business associations and placed on South Coast AQMD's website (http://www.aqmd.gov), where it can be viewed by making the selection "Grants & Bids."

# **Proposal Evaluation**

Proposals received will be evaluated by applicable diverse panels of technically qualified individuals familiar with the subject matter of the project or equipment and may include outside public sector or academic community expertise.

# Attachment

Report of RFQs/RFPs Scheduled for Release in November 2023

# November 3, 2023 Board Meeting Report on RFQs/RFPs Scheduled for Release on November 3, 2023

# (For detailed information visit South Coast AQMD's website at <u>http://www.aqmd.gov/nav/grants-bids</u> following Board approval on November 3, 2023)

# SPECIAL TECHNICAL EXPERTISE

RFQQ #QQ2024-01 Issue RFQQ to Prequalify Vendors for Moskowitz/3329 Computer, Network, Printer, Hardware and Software, Audio Visual Equipment

> On February 4, 2022, the Board approved a vendor list for purchase of computer, network, printer, hardware and software, and audio visual equipment for a period of two years. The current vendor list will expire on February 4, 2024. This action is to issue an RFQQ to prequalify vendors capable of providing computer, network, printer hardware and software, audio visual equipment; and to purchase desktop computer hardware upgrades for a two-year term beginning February 2, 2024. Funds for these services are included in the FY 2023-24 Budget and will be requested in subsequent fiscal years.

B DATE: November 3, 2023	AGENDA NO.	
Status Report on Major Ongoing and Upcoming Projects for Information Management		
Information Management is responsible for data systems management services in support of all South Coast AQMD operations. This action is to provide the monthly status report on major automation contracts and planned projects.		
Administrative, October 13, 2023, Review	wed	
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Receive and file.		
	Information Management Information Management is responsible f management services in support of all So operations. This action is to provide the r major automation contracts and planned p Administrative, October 13, 2023, Review	

	Wayne Nastri
	Executive Officer
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# Background

Information Management (IM) provides a wide range of information systems and services in support of all South Coast AQMD operations. IM's primary goal is to provide automated tools and systems to implement rules and regulations, and to improve internal efficiencies. The annual Budget and Board-approved amendments to the Budget specify projects planned during the fiscal year to develop, acquire, enhance, or maintain mission-critical information systems.

# **Summary of Report**

The attached report identifies the major projects/contracts or purchases that are ongoing or expected to be initiated within the next six months. Information provided for each project includes a brief project description and the schedule associated with known major milestones (issue RFP/RFQ, execute contract, etc.).

# Attachment

Information Management Status Report on Major Ongoing and Upcoming Projects During the Next Six Months

AQ-SPEC Cloud Platform Phase 2	
Brief description	Integrate separate data systems into the AQ-SPEC cloud-based platform to manage data and build interactive data visualizations and data dashboards for web-based viewing
Estimated project cost	\$313,350
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	4/19/24
Percentage complete	34%
LAST 30 days	Data Model Design completed
NEXT 30 days	System development in progress

PeopleSoft Electronic Requisition	
Brief description	This will allow submittal of requisitions online, tracking multiple levels of approval, electronic archival, pre-encumbrance of budget, and streamlined workflow
Estimated project cost	\$75,800
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	1/15/24
Percentage complete	88%
LAST 30 days	Deployed to Production for Information Management division
NEXT 30 days	Training and Integrated User Testing for other divisions

Warehouse Indirect Source Rule Online Reporting Portal Phase 4	
Brief description:	Development of online reporting portal for Rule 2305 –Warehouse Indirect Source
Estimated project cost	\$250,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	Schedule will be available after Planning phase is completed
Percentage complete	10%
LAST 30 days	Phase 4 Enhancements – Planning completed
NEXT 30 days	Phase 4 Enhancements - Systems Development

Online Application Filing	
Brief description	Enhanced Web application to automate filing of permit applications, Rule 222 equipment and registration for IC engines; implement electronic permit folder and workflow for staff
Estimated project cost	\$525,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	10/11/23
Percentage complete	90%
LAST 30 days	<ul> <li>System Development for Phase 3 of the project (final twelve 400-E- XX forms) completed</li> </ul>
NEXT 30 days	<ul> <li>Complete User Acceptance Testing and deployment to production of Phase 1 of the project (first ten 400-E-XX forms)</li> <li>Complete User Acceptance Testing and deployment to production of next set of Rule 222 forms</li> </ul>

Carl Moyer Program GMS	
Brief description	Development of simplified and streamlined Online Grant Management System (GMS) Portal for Carl Moyer Program
Estimated project cost	\$116,275
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	10/5/23
Percentage complete	93%
LAST 30 days	Phase 2 – Inspection Module reports development has been completed
NEXT 30 days	<ul> <li>Inspection Module and Reports User Acceptance Testing underway</li> <li>Phase 3 – Planning for Phase 3</li> </ul>

Agenda Tracking System	
Brief description	Develop new Agenda Tracking System for submittal, review and approval of Governing Board meeting agenda items
Estimated project cost	\$250,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	12/28/23
Percentage complete	60%
LAST 30 days	System Development in progress
NEXT 30 days	System Development in progress

PeopleSoft HCM (Human Capital Management) upgrade	
Brief description	Upgrade PeopleSoft HCM product to latest tools and image level to maintain regulatory and functional support
Estimated project cost	\$180,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	10/11/23
Percentage complete	86%
LAST 30 days	<ul><li>User Training completed</li><li>User Acceptance Testing completed</li></ul>
NEXT 30 days	Deployment to production

Source Test Tracking System (STTS)	
Brief description	Online STTS will keep track of timelines and quantify the number of test protocols and reports received. System will provide an external online portal to submit source testing protocols and reports, track the review process, and provide integration to all other business units. It will also provide an external dashboard to review the status of a submittal
Estimated project cost	\$250,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	9/22/23
Percentage complete	93%
LAST 30 days	Deployed to production environment
NEXT 30 days	Complete initial Source Test Submittals with regulated community volunteers

Compliance System	
Brief description	Develop new Compliance System to help streamline the compliance business process
Estimated project cost	\$450,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	8/21/24
Percentage complete	10%
LAST 30 days	Detailed Requirement gathering in progress
NEXT 30 days	Detailed requirement gathering in progress

Website Upgrade	
Brief description	Upgrade the Website Content Management System to latest version
Estimated project cost	\$100,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	9/15/23
Percentage complete	81%
LAST 30 days	Development of enhancements based on industry best practices     completed
NEXT 30 days	Integration testing of enhancements

Prequalify Vendor List for PCs, Network Hardware, etc.	
Brief description	Establish list of prequalified vendors to provide computer, network, and printer hardware and software, and to purchase desktop computer hardware upgrades
Estimated project cost	\$300,000
Overall project status	In Progress
Est. date of completion	2/2/2024
Percentage complete	20%
LAST 30 days	Developed RFQQ
NEXT 30 days	<ul><li>Release RFQQ November 3, 2023</li><li>Approve Vendors List February 2, 2024</li></ul>

Renewal of HP Server Maintenance & Support					
Brief description	Purchase of maintenance and support services for servers and storage device				
Estimated project cost	\$175,000				
Overall project status	In Progress				
Est. date of completion	4/30/2024				
Percentage complete	0%				
LAST 30 days					
NEXT 30 days	<ul> <li>Request Board approval for HP server maintenance and support April 5, 2024</li> <li>Execute purchases April 30, 2024</li> </ul>				

Renewal of OnBase Software Support					
Brief description	Authorize the sole source purchase of OnBase software subscription as support for one year				
Estimated project cost	\$175,000				
Overall project status	In Progress				
Est. date of completion	7/30/2024				
Percentage complete	0%				
LAST 30 days					
NEXT 30 days	<ul> <li>Request Board Approval June 7, 2024</li> <li>Execute purchase July 30, 2024</li> </ul>				

Projects that have been completed within the last 12 months are shown below					
COMPLETED PROJECTS					
PROJECT	DATE COMPLETED				
Oracle PeopleSoft Software Support	August 31, 2023				
PeopleSoft E-Requisition deployment for IM division	August 22, 2023				
Renewal of OnBase Software Support	July 31, 2023				
Air Quality Advisory Enhancement	June 30, 2023				
Legal Office System – Phase 2.1	June 7, 2023				
WAIRE Program Online Portal – Initial Site Information Report Enhancement	May 26, 2023				
Renewal of HP Server Maintenance & Support	April 30, 2023				
Purchase of Server and Storage Upgrades	April 30, 2023				
Rule 1180 Monitoring Site and Notification Updates	March 30, 2023				
WAIRE Program Online Portal – Owner AWR Enhancement	February 22, 2023				
Phone System Upgrade	January 28, 2023				

# BOARD MEETING DATE: November 3, 2023 AGENDA NO.

PROPOSAL: Amend Agreement with Phillips 66 Company for Continued Fenceline Air Measurements at Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery Using an Optical Tent, Recognize Revenue, Appropriate Funds and Amend Contract

SYNOPSIS: As part of MATES V, an optical tent air measurement system was deployed at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery by the Regents of University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) to demonstrate its ability to monitor fugitive VOC emissions. After the MATES V study concluded, the optical tent was adopted by the refinery as part of their fenceline air monitoring system for Rule 1180 implementation, with continued oversight provided by UCLA for quality assurance/quality control, and reporting for this advanced technology. These actions are to amend an existing agreement with Phillips 66 Company to extend fenceline air measurements at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery using an optical tent, recognize revenue, appropriate funds and amend a contract with UCLA.

COMMITTEE: Administrative, October 13, 2023; Recommended for Approval

# **RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:**

- 1. Authorize the Executive Officer to amend the current agreement with the Phillips 66 Company to continue operation of the optical tent at their Wilmington refinery;
- 2. Recognize revenue up to \$250,000 upon receipt from the Phillips 66 Company into the General Fund; and
- 3. Appropriate up to \$250,000 from the General Fund Undesignated (Unassigned) Fund Balance for the Monitoring and Analysis' (MAD) FY's 2023-24 and 2024-25 Budgets (Org 46), Services & Supplies Major Object and authorize the Executive Officer to use these funds to amend the current contract with the Regents of University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) to continue to provide quality assurance/quality control and reporting on the operation of the optical tent air monitoring system at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery for two additional years.

Wayne Nastri Executive Officer

# Background

In 2018-2019, South Coast AQMD conducted MATES V to collect information on air toxics and their associated health risks based on long-term monitoring at ten fixed locations throughout the South Coast Air Basin. In October 2017, to complement the fixed site monitoring, the Board authorized several Advanced Monitoring projects using state-of-the-art technologies to conduct enhanced air toxics monitoring in communities near refineries. As part of this advanced monitoring, the Board authorized staff to execute a contract with UCLA to design, build, and deploy an optical tent air monitoring system. The optical tent system was developed and then installed at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery to demonstrate its ability to detect fugitive emissions of VOCs and other gaseous species from storage tanks. After the MATES V study ended, the optical tent system was adopted by the refinery as part of their fenceline air monitoring system used to satisfy Rule 1180 fenceline monitoring requirements. In October 2021, the Phillips 66 Company agreed to fund operations of the optical tent for two years. South Coast AQMD continued to obtain information on the use of this technology with operational assistance from UCLA. In August 2023, the Phillips 66 Company agreed to fund operations of the optical tent for two additional years and use this system as part of their fenceline monitoring to satisfy Rule 1180 requirements. The continued operation of the optical tent is mutually beneficial to South Coast AQMD and the Phillips 66 Company.

# Proposal

This action is to amend the current agreement with the Phillips 66 Company for operation of the optical tent at their refinery in Wilmington for two additional years. Additionally, this action is to recognize revenue up to \$250,000 from the Phillips 66 Company into the General Fund. This action is also to appropriate up to \$250,000 from the General Fund Undesignated (Unassigned) Fund Balance to MAD's FY 2023-24 and 2024-25 Budgets (Org 46), Services & Supplies Major Object. Finally, this action is to use these funds to amend the current contract with the Regents of University of California, on behalf of UCLA to continue to provide quality assurance/quality control and reporting on the operation of the optical tent air monitoring system.

# **Benefits to South Coast AQMD**

Funding for the optical tent system will allow South Coast AQMD to continue to evaluate the effectiveness of the optical tent system and to fulfill the requirements of Rule 1180, and the legislative directives of AB 1647, which will result in benefits to environmental justice communities and others working and residing near refineries.

# **Resource Impacts**

The Phillips 66 Company will fully support the continued operation of the optical tent system at the Phillips 66 Wilmington Refinery for an additional two years.

# BOARD MEETING DATE: November 3, 2023 AGENDA NO:

REPORT: Establish Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024

- SYNOPSIS: The proposed Board Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2024 is submitted for Board consideration. The meeting schedule for the Administrative Committee meeting, (second Friday of the month), as well as the other standing committees is included for information only.
- COMMITTEE: Administrative, October 13, 2023; Recommended for Approval

# **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Adopt the attached Resolution establishing the 2024 Board Meeting Schedule.

Vanessa Delgado, Chair Administrative Committee

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# Calendar Year 2024 Board Meeting Schedule

MONTH	DATE	START TIME
January:	. January 5	9:00 a.m.
February:	. February 2	9:00 a.m.
March:	. March 1	9:00 a.m.
April:	. April 5	9:00 a.m.
May:	. May 3	9:00 a.m.
June:	June 7	9:00 a.m.
July:	. No Meeting	
August:	. August 2	9:00 a.m.
September:	. September 6	9:00 a.m.
October:	. October 4	9:00 a.m.
November:	November 1	9:00 a.m.
December:	December 6	9:00 a.m.

# Attachments

- 1. Resolution
- 2. Proposed 2024 Meeting Schedule for Governing Board and Standing Committees

# RESOLUTION NO. 23-\_\_\_\_

A Resolution of the South Coast Air Quality Management District Governing (South Coast AQMD) Board setting the time and place of regular meetings.

WHEREAS, the regular meetings of the South Coast Air Quality Management District Governing Board have been established by Resolution in the past, and

WHEREAS, the Governing Board is establishing the regularly scheduled meetings for Calendar Year 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, effective January 2024, the regular meetings of the Governing Board shall be held at 9:00 a.m. on the first Friday of each month, except for July when there is no meeting scheduled, in the Dr. William A. Burke Auditorium at South Coast AQMD Headquarters, 21865 Copley Dr., Diamond Bar, California.

Dated:\_\_\_\_\_

Faye Thomas, Clerk of the Boards

# South Coast AQMD Governing Board & Standing Committees

# Proposed 2024 Meeting Schedule

GOVERNING BOARD	STANDING COMMITTEES					
Time - 9:00 a.m.	<b>Legislative</b> Time – 9:00 a.m.	Administrative Time – 10:00 a.m.	Mobile Source Time – 9:00 a.m.	Stationary Source Time - 10:30 a.m.	<b>Technology</b> Time – 12:00 p.m.	
January 5	January 12	January 12	January 19	January 19	January 19	
February 2	February 9	February 9	February 16	February 16	February 16	
March 1	March 8	March 8	March 15	March 15	March 15	
April 5	April 12	April 12	April 19	April 19	April 19	
May 3	May 10	May 10	May 17	May 17	May 17	
June 7	June 14	June 14	June 21	June 21	June 21	
	DARK					
August 2	August 9	August 9	August 16	August 16	August 16	
September 6	September 13	September 13	September 20	September 20	September 20	
October 4	October 11	October 11	October 18	October 18	October 18	
November 1	November 8	November 8	November 15	November 15	November 15	
December 6	December 13	December 13	No Meeting	No Meeting	No Meeting	