

Assembly Bill 617 (AB 617) Meeting Summary

Southeast Los Angeles Community Steering Committee Meeting #7

Meeting Date: October 8, 2020

Meeting Time: 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Location: Virtual Meeting <https://scaqmd.zoom.us/j/99752275229>

CERP and CAMP Development: Next Steps

South Coast AQMD staff presented on the Community Emissions Reduction Plan (CERP) and Community Air Monitoring Plan (CAMP) development process, timeline, framework, and proposed goals and actions for five of the six CSC identified air quality priorities, including: truck traffic and freeways, rail yards and locomotives, metal processing facilities, rendering facilities, and green spaces. The information provided gave the CSC context for how actions included in the CERP will address air quality priorities. The proposed actions also reflected prior input from the CSC. Staff invited additional feedback on specific actions and suggestions on whether additional actions are needed.

CSC members discussed and asked questions about actions such as: prioritizing zero-emission trucks for incentive funds; the placement of “no idling” signs and truck idling regulations enforcement authority; strategies to reduce emissions from railyards; and reducing fugitive dust from metal processing facilities. Staff responded by providing potential strategies to address those concerns and provided clarification on for truck idling regulation enforcement authority which different agencies have.

The CSC also had procedural questions such as why the CERP and CAMP actions for the General Industrial air quality priority were delayed and when they would be developed. Staff replied that additional time was needed to work with the CSC to identify specific industries or facilities that were of concern to the community, and actions to address those concerns; staff identifies that this would be done in early to mid-2021.

Lastly, staff notified attendees that a new meeting date of October 29th was added to our SELA CSC meeting schedule. This meeting was added so that the CSC can view and discuss the draft CERP and CAMP before our last regularly scheduled meeting on November 5, 2020.

Public Comment was then received from meeting attendees.

This meeting was recorded and can be watched in its entirety at the link provided below:

https://www.facebook.com/watch/live/?v=667417424209806&ref=watch_permalink