Agenda Item: 30

## Budget and Economic Outlook Update

**Board Meeting** 

September 4, 2020



#### **Presentation Topics**

- Economic Indicators
- South Coast AQMD Metrics and Economic Implications
- Summary Charts

#### Summary of Metrics – Monthly

Metric			
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Statewide Refinery Activity (Million Barrels Crude Oil Input)	48	42	
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Expired Permits	125	390 (worst case)	Have 1 year to reinstate
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CEQA Activity	84	43	3

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CEQA Activity	475	320	4

#### Revenue



#### Expenditures



### Staffing Levels as of 9/4/20

- 945 budgeted FTEs
- 153 vacant positions
- 792 filled positions
- 16.2 % vacancy rate

#### Workforce Characteristics as of 7/30/20



#### Age Distribution



#### **Emission Trends**



#### **Permit Activity**



#### Permit Revenue



#### **Annual Operating Fee Revenue**



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Annual operating fees are billed 60 days in advance. Invoices generated in May & June are recognized as revenue in July Annual RECLAIM fee invoices are sent in November of each fiscal year

#### Fee Review Committee Requests



#### **Expired** Permits



Dotted lines represent permits that have time to be reinstated

# **CEQA** Activity



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