BOARD MEETING DATE: November 6, 2026 AGENDA NO. 29

REPORT: California Air Resources Board Monthly Meeting

SYNOPSIS: The California Air Resources Board meeting was held on October 22, 2026. The following is a summary of the meeting.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:
Receive and file.

Patricia Lock Dawson, Member
South Coast AQMD Governing Board

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The October 22, 2026 Board meeting of the California Air Resources Board (Board) was held in Sacramento, California at the California Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters Building. The key item presented is summarized below.

DISCUSSION ITEM

26-7-1: Public Meeting to Hear an Informational Update on the California Corporate Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program

The Board heard an informational update on considerations for further developing the California Corporate Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program under Senate Bill 253 (Wiener, Stats. 2023, Ch. 382). The initial regulation for this program set first-year requirements for certain business entities that do business in California to disclose their Scope 1 and Scope 2 greenhouse gas emissions. Staff are developing concepts for a future regulation that would build upon the first-year reporting of Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions with mandatory assurance requirements and include Scope 3 emissions. The program supports transparency to help inform consumer and investor decisions.

Attachment
CARB October 22, 2026 Meeting Agenda

CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Gavin Newsom, Governor
Yana Garcia, CalEPA Secretary
Lauren Sanchez, CARB Chair

Public Meeting Agenda

Thursday, October 22, 2026 @ 12:00 p.m.

Zoom Webinar: *Register*
Phone Number: (669) 900-6833
Webinar ID: 822 0034 7416

ww2.arb.ca.gov/ma10222026

California Environmental Protection Agency
1001 "I" Street, Sacramento, California 95814
Byron Sher Auditorium, 2nd Floor
Webcast (Livestream/Watch Only)

The October 22, 2026, meeting of the California Air Resources Board (CARB or Board) will be held at 1001 I Street in Sacramento, with remote participation also available. This facility is accessible to persons with disabilities and by public transit. For transit information, call (916) 321-BUSS (2877) or visit *http://sacrt.com/*.

To only watch the Board Meeting and not provide verbal comments, please view the *webcast*. If you do not wish to provide oral comments, we strongly recommend watching the webcast as this will free up space on the webinar for those who are providing oral comments. Please do not view the webcast and then switch over to the webinar to comment as the webcast will have a time delay; instead, register to participate via the Zoom webinar.

Public Comment Guidelines and Information

- *In-Person Public Testimony*
- *Remote Public Participation*

The Board will set a two-minute time limit on oral comments; however, the amount of time could change at the Chair's discretion. In-person speakers signed up to comment will be called upon first, followed by public Zoom and phone participants wishing to comment. The Chair may close speaker sign-ups 30 minutes after the public comment portion of an item has begun.

Please note that under the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 7920.000 et seq.), your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the public record and can be released to the public upon request.

Spanish interpretation will be available for the October 22 Board Meeting

- *Agenda de la Reunión Pública*
- *Spanish Webcast*

Thursday, October 22, 2026 @ 12:00 p.m.

Hard copies of the Public Agenda and Proposed Resolutions (when applicable) will be provided at the meeting; copies of all other documents linked below will only be available upon request.

Discussion Item:

26-7-1: Public Meeting to Hear an Informational Update on the California Corporate Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program

The Board will hear an informational update that includes external experts on considerations for further developing the California Corporate Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program under Senate Bill 253 (Wiener, Stats. 2023, Ch. 382). The initial regulation for this program set first-year requirements for certain business entities that do business in California to disclose their Scope 1 and Scope 2 greenhouse gas emissions. Staff are developing concepts for a future proposed regulation that would build upon the first-year reporting of Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions and include Scope 3 emissions. The program supports important transparency to help inform consumer and investor decisions.

- *More Information*
- *Submit and View Written Comments (available on day of meeting)*

Closed Session

The Board may hold a closed session, as authorized by Government Code section 11126(a) for the annual evaluation of the Executive Officer, and as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e) to confer with, and receive advice from, its legal counsel regarding the following pending litigation, potential litigation on additional challenges to federal decisions regarding waivers and authorizations, and other matters as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e)(2)(B) or (C):

American Free Enterprise Chamber of Commerce v. Engine Manufacturers Association, et al. (United States District Court Northern District of Illinois, Western Division, Case No. 3:24-cv-50504)

American Free Enterprise Chamber of Commerce v. Steven S. Cliff in his official capacity as the Executive Officer of the California Air Resources Board (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Case No. 2:25-cv-03255-DC-AC)

American Free Enterprise Chamber of Commerce v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-89)

American Free Enterprise Chamber of Commerce v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-106)

American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers and Energy Marketers of America v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia, Case No. 25-1084)

American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers and the American Waterways Operators v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 25-1088) and *American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers and the American Waterways Operators v.* U.S. *Environmental Protection Agency, et al.* (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-1615)

American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-1493)

American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 25-1089 United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-1614)*American Petroleum Institute v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 25-1478)

American Public Health Association, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Lee Zeldin, Administrator (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 26-1037 and consolidated cases)

California Air Resources Board v. Daimler Truck North America LLC, et al. (Superior Court of California, Alameda County, Case No. 25CV151420)

California Air Resources Board v. Gintani, Inc., et al. (Superior Court of California, Los Angeles County, Case No. 25STCV30071)

California Air Resources Board v. Noil Energy Group, Inc. and Speedy Fuel Inc. (Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. 2OSTCV30142 and Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. 2OSTCV30292; California Court of Appeal, Second District, Case No. B339478)

California Air Resources Board v. Wan Hai Lines (USA) Ltd. (Superior Court of California, Los Angeles County, Case No. 25STCV30174)

Chamber of Commerce of the United States et al. v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (United States District Court, Central District of California, Case No. 2:24-cv-00801)

City of Los Angeles, acting by and through its Department of Water and Power v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Los Angeles County, Case No. 24STCP01428)

Committee for a Better Arvin, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 24-7270)

Commonwealth of Kentucky, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1050)

Commonwealth of Kentucky, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1087)

Communities for a Better Environment v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. 26STCP02498)

Communities for a Better Environment v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (Fresno County Superior Court, Case No. 24CECG05430); *Defensores del Valle Central para el Aire*

y Agua Limpio, et al. v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (Fresno County Superior Court, Case No. 24CECG05508); *Growth Energy v. California Air Resources Board, et al*. (Superior Court of California, Fresno County, Case No. 24CECG05514)

Daimler, et al. v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Case No. 2:25-cv-02255-DC-AC)

Diamond Alternative Energy, LLC, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Supreme Court, Case No. 24-7, certiorari granted from *Ohio, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al.* (United States United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 22-1081, consolidated with Case Nos. 22-1083, 22-1084, and 22-1085)

Environmental Defense Fund, et al. v. Andrew Wheeler, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 20-1360)

Exxon Mobil Corp. v. Lauren Sanchez, et al. (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Case No. 2:25-cv-03104-DJC-JDP)

Friends of Oceano Dunes, Inc. v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (United States District Court, Central District of California, Case No. 2:17-cv-8733)

Government Accountability and Oversight v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Sacramento County, Case No. 24CV012372)

GreenPower Motor Company, Inc. v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Sacramento County, Case No. 23WM000083)

Karl Trautwein v. Gavin Newsom, et al. (United States District Court, Central District of California, Case No. 8:26-cv-02188-SPG-CTS)

Kenneth C. Johnson v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Sacramento County, Case. No. 26WM000134)

Natural Resources Defense Council v. National Highway Traffic Safety Admin. et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 22-1080, consolidated with Case Nos. 22-1144 and 22-1145)

Outdoor Power Equipment Institute v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case Nos. 25-881 and 25-1481)

People of California, CARB v. Kevin Thomas, Jack Spania Racing, LLC et al. (Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 25STCV37747)

People v. Southern California Gas Company (Superior Court of California, Los Angeles County, Case No. BC602973)

Ryan Murray Partners, Inc. v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, Case No. 25CV005264)

South Coast Air Quality Management District v. City of Los Angeles, et al. (Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. 20STCP02985; transferred to Superior Court of California,

San Diego County, Case No. 37 2021 00023385 CU TT CTL; California Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1, Case. No. D080902)

State of California, et al. v. David Bernhardt, et al. (United States District Court, Northern District of California, 472 F. Supp. 3d 573 (N.D. Cal. 2020) Case No. 3:18-cv-5712-DMR; BLM, Wyoming, and industry appeal to United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, Case No. 20-16793)

State of California, et al. v. United States, et al. (United States District Court, Northern District of California, Case No. 4:25-cv-04966)

State of California, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 21-1034, consolidated with *California Communities Against Toxics, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency*, Case No. 21-1024)

State of California, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 21-1014)

State of California, et al. v. Wheeler, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 20-1167; consolidated under No. 20-1145, with Nos. 20-1168, 20-1169, 20-1173, 20-1174, 20-1176, and 20-1177)

State of California, et al. v. Zeldin, et al. (United States District Court for the Northern District of California, Case No. 3:26-cv-03500)

State of California v. United States Environmental Protection Agency (United States District Court, District of Columbia, Case No. 1:26-cv-02185)

State of Nebraska, et al. v. Steven S. Cliff, et al. (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Case No. 2:24-cv-01364-TLN-CKD)

State of Nebraska, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1129; consolidated with Case Nos. 24-1133, 24-1157, 24-1207, 24-1208, 24-1209, 24-1210, and 24-1214)

State of North Dakota v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 15-1381)

State of North Dakota, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 16-1242)

State of Texas, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 22-1031 consolidated with Case Nos. 22-1032, 22-1033, 22-1034, 22-1035, 22-1036, 22-1038)

State of Texas, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1054)

State of West Virginia, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al. (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1120)

State of West Virginia, et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 24-1009)

The Two Hundred for Homeownership, Robert Apodaca, and Jose Antonio Ramirez v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Fresno, Case No. 1:22-cv-01474-KES-BAM)

United States of America and United States Department of Transportation v. California Air Resources Board and Steven S. Cliff (United States District Court, Eastern District of California, 2:26-cv-00847Fr-DJC-SCR)

Valero Renewable et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 25-1078); *American Petroleum Institute v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No 25-1082); and *American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers et al. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al.* (United States Circuit Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 25-1085)

Victor Vasquez Sr. and Western States Trucking Association v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Fresno County, Case No. 25CECG04967)

Western States Petroleum Association v. California Air Resources Board, et al. (Superior Court of California, Fresno County, Case No. 22CECG03603)

Western States Petroleum Association v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 25-1080)

Western States Petroleum Association v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Fresno County, Case No. 23CECG02976)

Western States Trucking Association v. California Air Resources Board (Superior Court of California, Fresno County, Case No. 23CECG02964)

Western States Trucking Association, Inc. and Construction Industry Air Quality Coalition, Inc. v. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, Case No. 23-1148)

Zeromar, Inc. v. Angel Island-Tiburon Ferry, Inc., et al. (Superior Court of California, Marin County, Case. No. CV0009660)

Opportunity for Members of the Board to Comment on Matters of Interest

Board members may identify matters they would like to have noticed for consideration at future meetings and comment on topics of interest; no formal action on these topics will be taken without further notice.

Open Session to Provide an Opportunity for Members of the Public to Address the Board on Subject Matters within the Jurisdiction of the Board

Although no formal Board action may be taken, the Board is allowing an opportunity to interested members of the public to address the Board on items of interest that are within the Board's jurisdiction, but that do not specifically appear on the agenda. Each person will be allowed a maximum of two minutes to ensure that everyone has a chance to speak. The public will also have an opportunity to *submit written comments* for open session the morning of the Board Meeting.

Other Information

Submit and View Comments Electronically the Day of the Board Meeting

Please Note: PowerPoint presentations to be displayed during public comment at the Board meeting must be electronically submitted via email to the Clerks' Office at *cotb@arb.ca.gov* no later than noon on the business day prior to the scheduled Board Meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact the Clerks' Office:

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CARB Homepage: *www.arb.ca.gov*

Special Accommodation Request

Consistent with California Government Code sections 7296.2 and 11135, special accommodation or language needs may be provided for any of the following:

- An interpreter to be available at the hearing;
- Documents made available in an alternate format or another language;
- A disability-related reasonable accommodation.

To request these special accommodations or language needs, please contact the Clerks' Office at *cotb@arb.ca.gov* or at (279) 842-9679 as soon as possible, but no later than 7 business days before the scheduled Board hearing. TTY/TDD/Speech to Speech users may dial 711 for the California Relay Service.

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- Un intérprete que esté disponible en la audiencia;
- Documentos disponibles en un formato alterno u otro idioma;
- Una acomodación razonable relacionados con una incapacidad.

Para solicitar estas comodidades especiales o necesidades de otro idioma, por favor contacte la secretaria de La Junta al (279) 842-9679 o por correo electronico al *cotb@arb.ca.gov* lo más pronto posible, pero no menos de 7 días de trabajo antes del día programado para la audiencia de La Junta. TTY/TDD/Personas que necesiten este servicio pueden marcar el 711 para el Servicio de Retransmisión de Mensajes de California.