

BACWA-Bay Area Air District Implementation Workgroup Meeting Agenda

Date: October 20, 2025

Time: 1:30-3:30 pm

Location: Bay Area Air District Offices (375 Beale Street, Suite 600, San Francisco, CA 94105, CR6102-Bay Area Conference Room)/Zoom

- 1) **Introductions (All)**
- 2) **Outlook on Engagement**
 - a) Update from Air District on Engineering Project Manager position
 - b) Update from Air District on Strategic Plan and Resulting Rule Making Priorities
 - c) Update from Air District on BACT Manager
 - d) Air District Source Testing for Compliance Purposes
 - e) Discussion of BACWA comments on Rule 11-18 Amendments
 - f) Update from Air District on targeted inspection program pilot
 - g) Update from BACWA on the CASA Statewide Air Toxics Pooled Emissions Study Coordination
 - h) Update from Air District on Anaerobic Digester White Paper
 - i) Update from BACWA on Status of Edits to Standard Permit Conditions
- 2) **Other Opportunities for Collaboration between BACWA and Air District**
- 3) **Decision/Action Item Summary**
- 4) **Next Meetings**
 - a) **Quarterly Meeting:** TBD – January 26, 2026?
- 5) **Adjourn**

Subject	Actions	Lead	Initiated	Status	General Comment
Report to the Air District Board on Workgroup Activities	<i>Air District to include Report in Air District Board meeting packet.</i>	Air District	4/2023	Complete	Lorien Fono presented on July 17, 2024, at the Stationary Source Control Committee meeting. Next update anticipated in 2026.
Engineering Program Manager Pilot Program	<i>Air District Board approved two, three-year Engineering Program Manager positioned as part of a pilot to help streamline permit processing.</i>	Air District	7/2025	Ongoing	BACWA Board provided some initial feedback on the pilot program in July 2025. Air District had a workshop on August 20, 2025. BACWA and Air District scheduling meeting to discuss implementation details and logistics.
Source Testing	<i>Jerry would like to receive source test protocols as early as possible. Offered to review RFPs for source testing.</i> <i>Source Test has scheduled a workshop with source test contractors.</i>	BACWA & Air District Air District	6/2024 7/2025	Pending Pending	The Air District and source test specialists are under-resourced. BACWA has shared with member agencies that the Air District needs to receive protocols as soon as available to facilitate review by the Air District prior to testing. BACWA shared the list of CARB certified source test companies with member agencies.
Air District Strategic Planning Initiative	<i>BACWA will track Finance and Administration Committee (FAC) agendas to identify opportunities to engage in Strategic Planning.</i>	Air District & BACWA	2/2023	Ongoing	BACWA to monitor. At the 7/16/2025 FAC meeting, staff presented the concept of a permit task force that would include industry. BACWA would like to participate.
Climate Pollutants	<i>Air District Rule Development working on white paper on Sewage Treatment and Anaerobic Digestion. May become part of Regulation 13, if there needs to be a rule. BACWA to assist with technical support related to POTWs, as appropriate</i>	Air District	6/2023	Ongoing	Chris Easter from Rule Development is the point of contact. Initial meeting September 30, 2024. BACWA to continue to provide informational support to staff. The Air District has reached out directly to a number of BACWA members. Draft White Paper expected August 2025.
Rule 11-18 Amendments	<i>Air District amending Rule 11-18.</i>	BACWA	2/2024	Ongoing	BACWA to engage with Rulemaking process. Comment letter submitted February 29, 2024. Draft staff report and draft rule language anticipated August 2025. 11-18 Workshop planned for October 2025.

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Air District/CASA Statewide Air Toxics Pooled Emission Study Coordination	<i>Coordination via CASA and with CARB.</i> <i>CASA to meet with Air District.</i>	CASA CASA	12/2020 2/2023	Ongoing Complete	First meeting with the Air District on December 7, 2022. Track alignment between CARB two-step process and Bay Area Air District Rule 11-18. Meeting with CASA and Air District occurred January 14, 2025. Sanjeev is the point of contact for the Air District.
Edits to Standard Permit Conditions	<i>Brenda responded to edits and has begun work on additional SPCs for BACWA review. Source Testing engaged in development of SPCs.</i> <i>Consider source testing in permit conditions. Revisions to the Permit Handbook include Source Testing to review SPCs (permit engineer/supervisor to consult with Source Testing).</i>	Air District Air District	2/2023 7/2022	Ongoing Ongoing	BACWA to work directly with Brenda Cabral and copy Sanjeev on emails. The Air District provided initial feedback to BACWA in May 2024. BACWA to provide comments in July 2025. BACWA and the Air District to work together to discuss comments and additional SPCs. The Air District to continue working internally to include appropriate test methods in SPCs.
Review PM 2.5 Local Risk Method	<i>BACWA to monitor Stationary Source, Advisory Council, and Community Advisory Council meetings. Air District staff engaged in Rule Development for Regulation 6 Particulate Matter</i>	BACWA	7/2022	Ongoing	The Air District finalizing draft methodology and sending OEHHA. Advisory Council is considering Cumulative Impacts, particularly with respect to Indirect Sources (like warehouses).