



Air Resources Board



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Amendments to the AB 32 Cost of Implementation Fee Regulation

The Air Resources Board (ARB) invites you to participate in a public workshop to discuss proposed amendments to the AB 32 Cost of Implementation Fee Regulation (COI Regulation).

The COI Regulation provides a schedule of fees to be paid by sources of greenhouse gas emissions to support the administration costs of implementing AB 32, the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, and was adopted by ARB pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 38597. Under AB 32, ARB has developed numerous measures supported by the regulation to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and help clean the air, protect the environment and drive innovative new solutions to clean energy.

When and Where is the Meeting?

The workshop will be held at the following location:

DATE: Friday, January 21, 2011
TIME: 1:30 p.m.
PLACE: Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
Sierra Hearing Room, 2nd Floor
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Meeting Topic Details

The purpose of this workshop is to discuss with stakeholders ARB's proposed amendments to the COI Regulation that are necessary to be consistent with recent amendments to ARB's Regulation for Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gas Emissions. Staff will make the proposed amendments to the COI Regulation available prior to the workshop and plans to take the amendments to the Board for consideration at its April 28, 2011 public meeting. The workshop will also provide an opportunity for comments from stakeholders and the public.

Meeting Materials

The materials for this workshop will be posted prior to the workshop at ARB's website <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/adminfee/meetings/meetings.htm>.

At this website, you may also join our electronic mailing list to receive further notices of ARB activities and public meetings related to the implementation of AB 32.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.

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Can't Make it to the Meeting?

This meeting will be webcast, and viewers can E-mail written comments or questions during the session to ccworkshops@arb.ca.gov. Webcast links are posted at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast/?BDO=1>. ARB recommends that you do not run other programs while viewing the webcast, as it may interrupt or lower the quality of the signal.

Directions to Cal/EPA

There are many ways to arrive at the Cal/EPA Headquarters Building but we encourage you to take public transportation or drive low emission/high efficiency vehicles whenever possible. Use the following link for directions and information on public transit:

<http://www.calepa.ca.gov/EPAbldg/location.htm>.

Special Accommodations or Language Assistance

If you require special accommodations or language needs, please contact Mary Farr at (916) 445-8290 or mfarr@arb.ca.gov as soon as possible, but no later than 7 business days before the scheduled event/meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech to Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

We Value Your Input

We welcome and encourage your participation in this important effort. If you have questions regarding the workshop or the COI Regulation, please contact Bill Blackburn at (916) 322-7154 or bblackbu@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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