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STANDARDS LABORATORY NEWSLETTER

DID YOU KNOW!

The standards laboratory has a PDF form where you can record your ozone instrument critical values before you transport or ship your ozone transfer standards to the Standards Laboratory. When the instrument arrives in the Standards Laboratory, we will record as received values and as shipped values (available on website).

UPDATE:

STANDARDS LABORATORY TEMPORARY SHUTDOWN: JULY 8 – 26, 2019

We will be shutting down for 2 weeks to perform maintenance of our certification stations and primary reference standards. We will not be performing any certifications during this period, but will be open for equipment drop off/pick up.

Anticipate to see a 2 week temporary shutdown every 6 months. The next shutdown is expected to be in January 2020.

"Without data, you're just another person with an opinion." (W.Edwards Deming)

IN THE WORKS:

It has been brought to our attention that some of our customers may not be aware that the certification equation, provided on the

certification report for ozone transfer standards, has been corrected for zero. We are working on a new ozone certification report template where we will no longer be correcting for zero. It is currently being reviewed by CARB monitoring staff.

REFERENCE STANDARDS STATUS:

<u>Standard Reference Photometer</u>: We will not be performing any ozone certifications from **7/8 - 7/26 2019**. The photometer will be shipped out for its annual certification against the national standard photometer.

COMMENTS/QUESTIONS:

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