

Commercial Harbor Craft Rulemaking

Opportunities for Public Participation in Rulemaking Process

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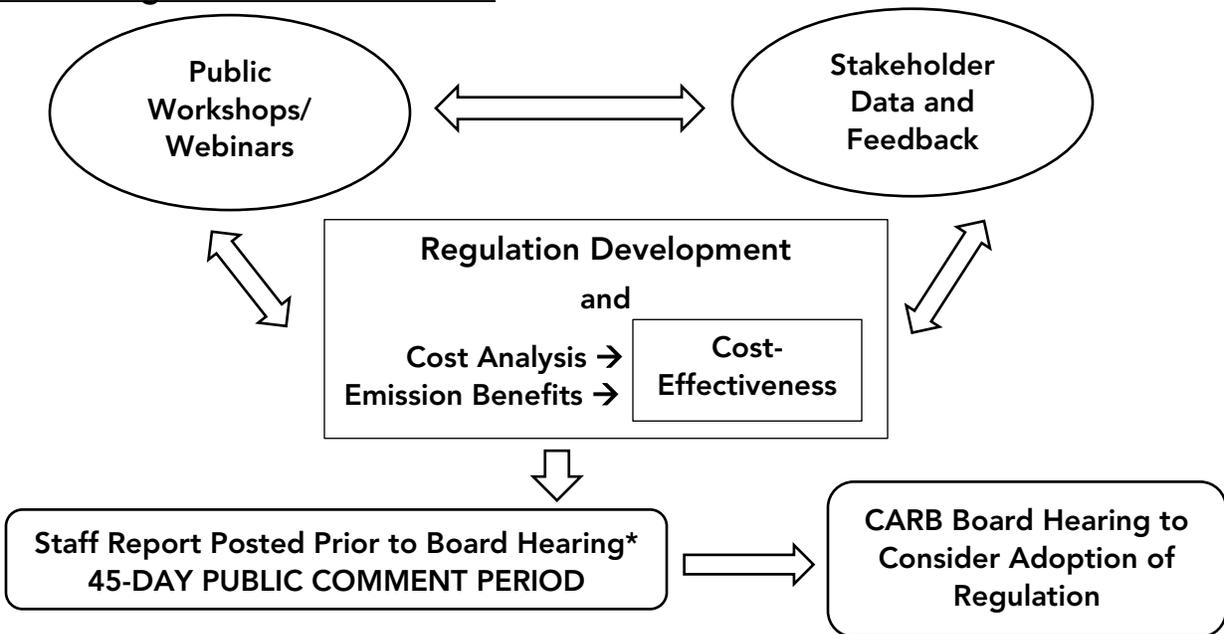
CARB is undergoing a public rulemaking process to amend the Commercial Harbor Craft (CHC) Regulation. Regulation development is an iterative process with many opportunities for stakeholders and the public to engage with CARB staff to help inform potential requirements and provide comments prior to Board consideration of the proposed rule.

Public and Stakeholder Engagement in Rulemaking

The most useful ways for stakeholders and the public to participate in the rulemaking process is by providing feedback during the following times:

1. **Participate in workshops and webinars:**
 - a. During the March 5, 2020 webinar, staff requested feedback on rule concepts by April 30, 2020 to be incorporated into the first iteration of draft regulation language and cost calculations. However, staff will continue to welcome feedback and data after this date.
 - b. Next public workshops scheduled for summer 2020 (date TBD)
2. **Submit comments during 45-day formal public comment period** prior to the Board Hearing to consider regulatory amendments, anticipated July 2021
3. **Provide oral testimony during Board Hearing, anticipated July 2021**

Rulemaking is an Iterative Process



*Staff report includes proposed regulation, economic analysis, health benefits, environmental assessment, emission inventory, and other information

How to get CHC Rulemaking Updates

To receive email updates for the CHC rulemaking, **including notifications of future public workshops** and documents posted to the CARB website, please sign up for GovDelivery notices at:

https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/CARB/subscriber/new?topic_id=listserv

(Check the box for “Harbor Craft (Commercial Harbor Craft Regulatory Activities)” under the “Diesel” heading.)

Key Websites and Documents

CARB Commercial Harbor Craft Regulation Webpage: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/commercial-harbor-craft>

Includes:

- **March 5, 2020 webinar materials for CHC rulemaking:**
 - Proposed Concepts (see pages 41-42 for CARB staff’s questions for vessel operators)
 - Webinar video
 - Staff presentation
- October 2019 Cal Maritime report: *Evaluation of the Feasibility and Costs of Installing Tier 4 Engines and Retrofit Exhaust Aftertreatment on In-Use Commercial Harbor Craft*
- Reporting Forms for existing CHC Regulation
- Information and fact sheets for existing CHC Regulation

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