

# Incentive Program Advisory Group (IPAG)

California Air Resources Board (CARB) April 20, 2022

# IPAG Advisory Group Agenda

- Welcome: Vice Chair Berg; Boardmembers Hurt & Kracov
  - Advisory Group project expectations
  - Principles to guide our group to meaningful outcomes
- Presentations: CARB & CAPCOA....Setting the Table
- Group Brainstorming: Moyer & Transition to Zero-Emission Trucks (ZETs)
  - Discussion: Goals and Outcome for the Advisory Group
  - Brainstorming: Key Issues for the group to address
- Kick off discussion on 2 of the Key Issues: (1) Small Fleets and (2) Infrastructure both with accelerating access to Environmental Justice (EJ) communities
- Next Steps and Timeframe



## IPAG Advisory Group Expectations & Guiding Principles

# Aligned expectations opens up possibilities beyond *what is possible.*

Boardmembers will share their expectations and how they will show up to make our time meaningful and productive.

Participants please use the chat feature to chime in:

What are the 2 key expectations and or outcomes that would be meaningful to you?



# Carl Moyer Incentives for ALL Zero Emission Fleets

### Setting the Table for IPAG Discussions CARB Staff Presenting



# **Presentation Agenda**

- Incentives Program Advisory Group (IPAG)
- Roles of Incentives
- Moyer On-Road Updates
- Voucher Incentive Program
- ZETs Time is NOW!



# Incentive Program Advisory Group (IPAG)

- November 2021 Board Meeting
  - Stakeholders requested Advisory Group with Board Support
  - Board directed further accelerate zero-emission vehicles (ZEV) and equity work in Moyer, with a focus on-road vehicles.
  - Look at all tools, including Voucher Incentive Program (VIP).
- Board Member Panel IPAG Leads
  - Vice Chair Sandra Berg
  - Board Member Davina Hurt Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD)
  - Board Member Gideon Kracov South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD)



# Incentives Play a Critical Role



Support the State's climate change, air quality, ZEV deployment, and petroleum reduction goals

Accelerate the transition of fleets to zero-emission



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Support equitable, community-driven clean transportation and multi-sector approaches

Promote economic growth and job training and apprenticeship opportunities



Build on successes of previous investments and incorporate lessons learned



# CARB's Portfolio of Incentive Programs

### **CARB** Implementation

Low Carbon Transportation Incentives (LCTI) and Air Quality Improvement Program (AQIP) [\$1.5B Fiscal Year (FY) 21-22] Advance technologies to provide **Priority Populations benefits with** criteria pollutant, air toxics, and Green House Gas (GHG) reductions

- Hybrid and Zero-Emission Truck and Bus Voucher Incentive Project (HVIP) (\$569.5M)
- Clean Off-Road Equipment Voucher Incentive Project (CORE) (\$194.95M)

#### Volkswagen (VW) Mitigation Trust (\$223.5M\*)

Mobile source incentives for nitrous oxide (NOx) mitigation and zeroemission, mainly scrap and replace projects

### **CARB** Guidelines for **Air Districts Implementation**

FARMER Program (\$212.6M FY 21-22) Grant program for equipment, including mobile equipment, used in agricultural operation

#### **Proposition 1B Program** (\$40M end of 2021)

Incentives for freight movement equipment with early and extra criteria air pollutants and toxic air contaminant emission reductions

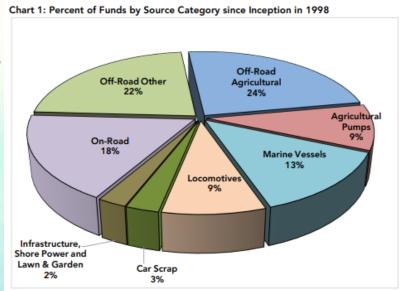
### Carl Moyer Program (\$247M FY 21-22)

Mobile source and infrastructure incentives that are cost-effective and State Implementation Plan (SIP) creditable for air pollutant and toxic air contaminant emission reductions

AB617 Community Air Protection Program (CAP) Incentives (\$260M FY 21-22) Criteria, toxics and GHG reductions for community goals 8

# Carl Moyer Program Overview

- Statewide emission reduction program supporting multiple categories
- By statute, emission reductions must be
  - SIP Creditable Surplus, Permanent, Quantifiable, and Enforceable
  - Cost-Effectiveness Limit Board approved limit increase in November 2021
- Partnership between State and Air Districts



Source: 2020 Carl Moyer Statistics (PDF)



# **Current Moyer ZET Incentives**

- Maximum funding amounts:
  - Light Heavy-Duty (LHD) (class 4 & 5 trucks) up to \$170K
  - Medium Heavy-Duty (MHD) (class 6 & 7 trucks) up to \$180K
  - Heavy Heavy-Duty (HHD) (class 8 trucks) up to \$410K
- 50% Battery charging station and alt fuel stations
  - Higher funding percentages available for;
    - Publicly accessible 60%
    - Solar/wind power systems 65%
    - Disadvantaged community (CAP) incentives +10%



# Moyer On-Road Updates

- Available now!
  - Under Executive Officer's (EO) authority; chapter 4 published April 7, 2022
- Summary of updates:
  - Increased Cost-Effectiveness thresholds
  - Increased State Funding caps for LHD, MHD, and HHD
  - Updated engine model year eligibility
  - Increased flexibility for required minimum annual usage
  - Increased flexibilities on air districts, dealership and dismantler requirements.



# Voucher Incentive Program (VIP)

- Funding option for districts to address smaller fleets
- Streamline, Simple, and Speedy
  - Complements Moyer On-Road Contract
  - Easy for dealership to implement
  - Pre-determined funding amounts



- Participating Air Districts Bay Area, North Coast, San Diego, South Coast, San Joaquin Valley, and Siskiyou
- ZETs eligible in 2022 VIP

# ZETs Time is NOW!

- Regulatory Landscape
  - Governor's Executive Order N-79-20
- ZETs commercially available now
  - Significant fleet demand for ZETs (as seen in HVIP)
- Small Fleet Turnover
  - Underserved communities asking for zero-emission (ZE) now
- SIP Attainment Goals
  - Since 2005, over \$1 billion provided in State incentives for Natural Gas (NG)
  - NG investment alone will not achieve SIP attainment
- Moyer/VIP increased funding incentives for early ZE adoption



# CAPCOA Making the Magic Happen

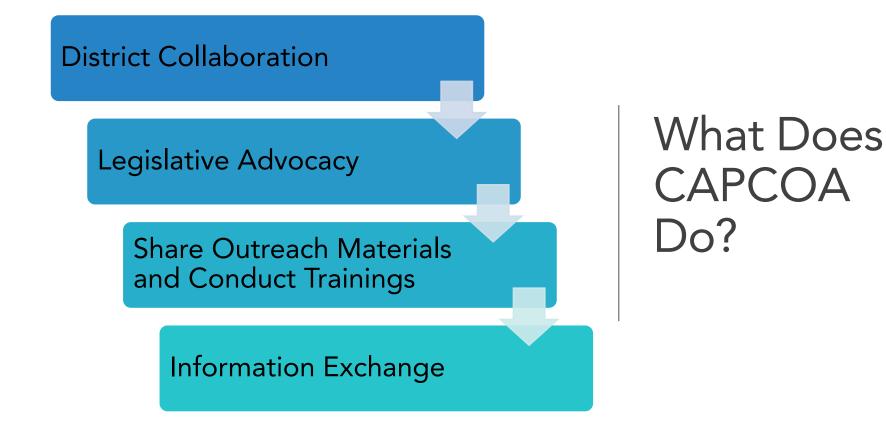
# What does Moyer do well and what are the obstacles as we head towards ZE fleet?



California Air Pollution Control Officers Association

CAPCOA is a nonprofit association of the air pollution control officers from all 35 local air quality districts throughout California.







### Carl Moyer Program

Replaced over 68,000 engines

Reduced over 194,000 tons of ozone-forming pollutants

Reduced over 7,100 tons of diesel particulate matter

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# CARB IPAG: Key Issues

- Overarching Issue to Operationalizing EJ into all discussions and outcomes. For example:
  - Integrate EJ to improve the incentive programs EJ performance
  - Consider uniform definition across districts and metrics used to measure outcomes

### 1. Infrastructure

• More effective partnering fleet adoption with infrastructure deployment

### 2. Small Fleets

• Support and extend incentives program use by small fleets and businesses statewide as electrification accelerates



# **Operationalizing Environmental Justice**

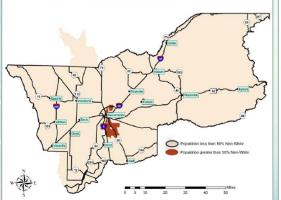
- We are looking for tools to focus funds appropriately in EJ communities within the various aspect of the program
- VIP currently does not have specific EJ requirements
  - Health and Safety Code (H&SC) § 43023.5 applies to the entire Carl Moyer program
  - Large opportunity for VIP to fund on-road projects in EJ areas
- Independent approaches to EJ consideration
  - BAAQMD, SCAQMD, San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD), and CARB, each have independent EJ advisory group(s), community equity committees, or community partnerships

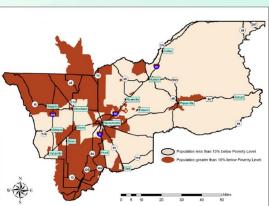


## Environmental Justice... Continued

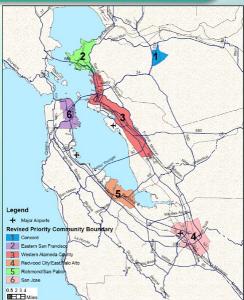
Districts define their EJ boundaries according to H&SC §43023.5: "...communities with the most significant exposure to air contaminants or localized air contaminants, or both, including, but not limited to, communities of minority populations or low-income populations, or both."

Sacramento Metropolitan AQMD EJ boundaries (communities of color and low-income) communities:









# Partnering ZETs with Infrastructure Programs

- Transitioning to ZETs requires new fueling
  - Many considerations and decisions Fuel type (electricity or hydrogen), On site, public or contracted fueling
- Opportunities to enhance VIP for ZETs and Infrastructure
  - California Energy Commission and utilities infrastructure investments
  - Other California Climate Investments and transportation agency programs
  - Local air district and port programs
  - VW Electrify America ZEV investments



## Infrastructure

- Introduction
  - Analisa Bevan, Zero Emission Infrastructure Specialist
    - Coordination of CARB zero emission infrastructure activities across sectors
    - Coordination with partner state, local and federal agencies
- Infrastructure lead partner
  - California Energy Commission, Elizabeth John
    - Infrastructure grant programs
    - Planning and analysis



# Infrastructure Needs

- Both electricity and hydrogen
- Equitable access

- Public fueling network
- Large scale, rapid deployment





# Infrastructure Considerations in the Community

- Changes in fleet traffic patterns
- Need for site upgrades (site control)
- Opportunities for multi-modal fueling
- Need for utility upgrades
- No increase in emissions



California Energy Commission: ZEV Infrastructure Incentives

 Download a copy of the California Energy Commission (CEC) Presentation for IPAG here: <u>CEC Presentation for Incentives Program Advisory</u> <u>Group (IPAG) led by California Air Resources Board</u>



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# **Small Fleets**

- Introduction
  - Board member: Gideon Kracov
  - Teeing up Small Fleets including Accelerating access for EJ communities
  - CARB staff lead: Sondra Wynne
- Increasing small fleet program participation statewide
  - Outreach and Feedback: how to better serve small fleet owners?
  - ZEV technology adoption: what tools/resources are helpful?
- Environmental Justice: How can the program...
  - Better promote prioritizing funds for small fleets in EJ communities?
  - Modernize its approach to defining EJ communities, particularly in relation to AB 617?



# ZET Small Fleet Opportunities

- Moyer/VIP and CAP incentives
  - Looking for a range of Moyer tools VIP is one key tool
  - VIP Exclusive funding option for small fleets (10 vehicles or less)
  - Funding Cap and Percentages:
    - Moyer/VIP 80% for small fleets; up to \$410K for ZETs (Class 8)
    - CAP 90% to 95% for small fleets; no funding cap
- HVIP
  - Up to \$120K for ZETs (Class 8)
  - Disadvantaged Community (DAC)/Small Fleet up to \$138K (15%)



# **Current Small Fleet Status**

- What is the definition of small fleets?
  - Currently, 10 trucks or less
- TRUCRS reported data (120K fleets)
  - 84% reported as fleets of 10 vehicles or less
- Total Carl Moyer funded engines over 900 vehicles
  - Over 1/3 ZE engines
  - 18% ZE engines funded for small fleets
  - 15% ZE engines funded for small fleets in EJ areas

Clean Air Reporting Log (CARL) Data July 1, 2017 to June 30 2020



# IPAG: Goals & Outcomes

- Goal: Building Consensus and Producing an Advisory Memo to the CARB Board outlining AG work:
  - Taking Moyer policy to next level: ZET transition
    - Identifying high-level Moyer policy revisions with 100% ZET focus
  - Accelerating equitable access to ZET & infrastructure
    - Identifying what changes will produce access results and benchmarks to assure accountability.



# IPAG: Goals & Outcomes

- Outcomes:
  - Board Memo by November 2022
  - Draft/Final 2023 VIP Guidelines
  - Feed back for Assemblymember Garcia on Moyer what works and what doesn't – legislative guardrails.



# 2022 Next Steps

- June August: Additional meeting(s)
- September: 45-Day Notice
- November: Final IPAG Meeting



## **Contact Information**

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