

March 24, 2025

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Dear Administrator Cook:

The California Air Resources Board is transmitting to the United States Environmental Protection Agency the *Portola Wood Stove Change-out 2025 Progress Report* for the Northern Sierra Air Quality Management District. The attached 2025 Progress Report fulfills the reporting requirement as outlined in the *Portola Fine Particulate Matter (PM_{2.5}) Serious State Implementation Plan* submitted by the California Air Resources Board to the United States Environmental Protection Agency as a revision to the California State Implementation Plan.

The 2025 Progress Report is publicly available on CARB's website at the following address: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/resources/documents/wood-stove-change-out-program-greater-portola-nonattainment-area-and-progress>.

Thank you for providing the Targeted Air Shed Grant funds that are making this program possible. If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Ms. Alicia Kindred, Manager, Particulate Matter Analysis Section, by email at Alicia.Kindred@arb.ca.gov or Ms. Kasia Turkiewicz, Air Resources Engineer, Central Valley Air Quality Planning Section, by email at Kasia.Turkiewicz@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure (1)

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