

Community Air Protection Program

Consultation Group Study Session, Sep 14, 2026

CARB Office of Community Air Protection

Date: Monday, September 14, 2026, 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Location: [Zoom](#) (Meeting ID: 880 2718 1967 | Passcode: 570127) Virtual Only

[Webinar Registration](#)

[Meeting Information](#)

Agenda

The following agenda items may be heard in a different order at the meeting.

1. Housekeeping and Meeting Logistics

The Consultation Group will receive information on meeting procedures, member participant attendance, and the planned topics to orient members for a robust meeting.

- a. Housekeeping
- b. Roll Call
- c. Meeting Objectives
- d. Agenda Review

2. Welcome and Introductions

The meeting facilitator will provide introductory remarks to begin the meeting and welcome participants to introduce themselves.

3. Community Air Protection Program Budget Update

CARB staff will provide a brief overview of the program budget for FY2026_27.

4. Study Session Purpose

Co-Chair Dr. John Balmes will provide a brief refresher on the path that led to these study session topics from the [July 22nd Consultation Group meeting](#). Dr. Balmes and other volunteers will provide a brief summary of the ad hoc meetings to design the framework.

5. Community Air Protection Program Theory of Change - framing questions about health and ways to assess the impact

The Consultation Group will receive an overview from the Co-Chairs, CARB staff, and staff from the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) on analysis of health impacts of air pollution and OEHHA's [ECHO-AIR tool](#). The Consultation Group will discuss using ECHO-AIR as one approach to estimating benefits from Community Air Protection Program Incentives.

- a. Presentation and Discussion
- b. Public Comment

OPTIONAL BREAK: 5 minutes

6. CARB's Roadmap to Reduce Air Toxics

The Consultation Group will hear an update from CARB staff on the [draft Roadmap to Reduce Air Toxics](#) and how it relates to Community Air Protection. The Consultation Group will discuss the draft Roadmap and its alignment with the development of Blueprint 3.0.

- a. Presentation and Discussion
- b. Public Comment

7. Recap, Next Steps, and Close

The Consultation Group and facilitators will summarize any follow-up actions from the meeting.

8. Final Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

The Consultation Group may set a three-minute time limit on oral comments; however, the amount of time could change at the Consultation Group Co-Chair's discretion. The Co-Chair may close speaker sign-ups 30 minutes after the public comment portion of an item has begun.

Please note that under the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 7920.000 et seq.), your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the public record and can be released to the public upon request.

9. Meeting Adjourn

Other Information

If you have any questions, please contact:

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CARB Consultation Group webpage: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/capp/mdc/abcg/community-air-protection-program-consultation-group>

Special Accommodations

Special accommodations must be requested by September 7, 2026.

A special accommodation request consistent with California Government Code Section 7296.2, may be provided for any of the following:

- An interpreter to be available at the meeting.
- Documents made available in an alternate format or another language.
- A disability-related reasonable accommodation.

To request these special accommodations, please contact [Andrea Juarez](#) via email or by phone at 951-542-3222, as soon as possible, but no later than September 7, 2026. If requested by the deadline, interpretation will be made available at the meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 711 for the California Relay Service.

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Adaptación Razonable Debe ser solicitado antes del 7 de septiembre de 2026.

Se puede solicitar una adaptación razonable según la Sección 7296.2 del Código de Gobierno de California para cualquiera de los siguientes casos:

- Tener un intérprete disponible durante la reunión.
- Documentos en un formato alternativo o en otro idioma.
- Un alojamiento razonable relacionado con una discapacidad.

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