

## **In-Use Locomotive Regulation**

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### Emission Reduction by 2037 in 2022 State SIP Strategy





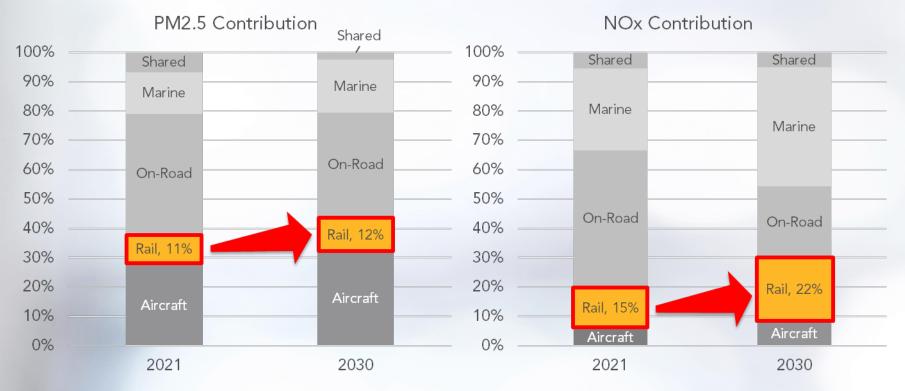
#### **Zero Emission Operations**



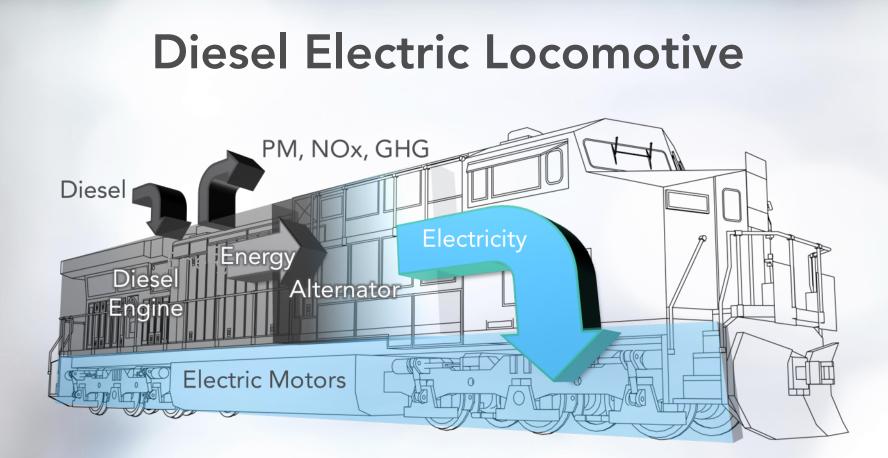




# **California Freight Sector Emissions**



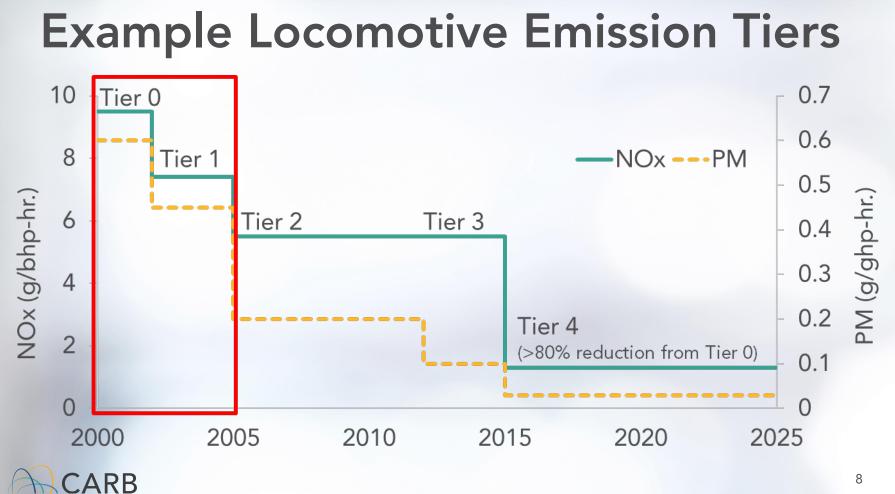






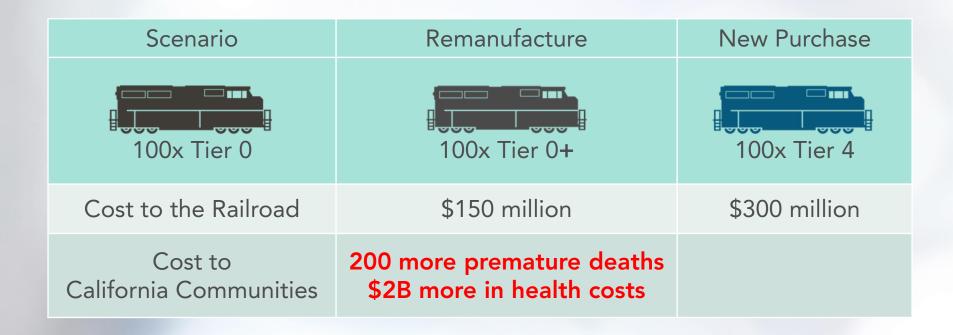
#### **Types of Locomotives**

	Line Haul	Switcher	Passenger	Historic
Power	High (~3,000hp+)	Low (~<3,000hp)	High	Low-High
Operation	Moving heavy freight	Moving railcars in and around railyards	Higher speed Lighter load Engine for A/C, lights etc.	Used for historic and educational experiences
Distance (Range)	Nationwide or Local	Local (railyards or industrial facilities)	Nationwide or Local	Local
Used by	Class I-III	Class I-III, Industrial, and Passenger	Passenger Agencies	Historic and Heritage Railroads
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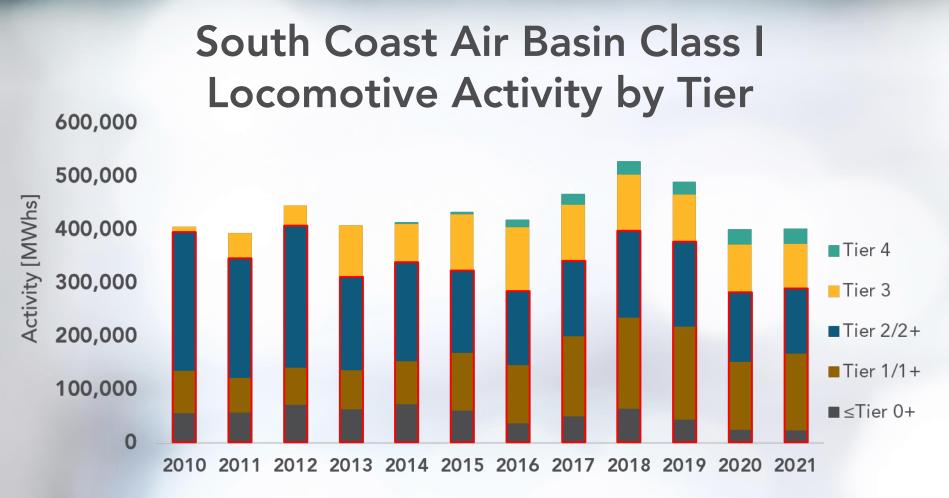


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# **Remanufacture vs New Purchase**

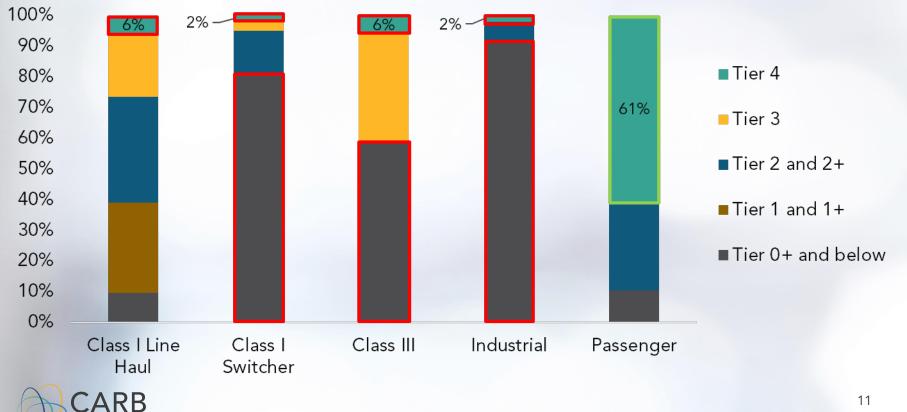




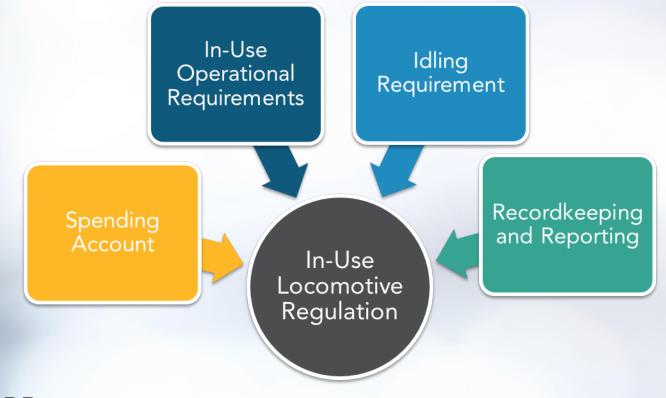




### 2021 Tier Breakdown of Locomotive Activity in California



### **Proposed Regulation**





# Spending Account (2023+)



- Funding Requirement = PM & NOx Emission Factor x Usage (MWh)
- Funds are held in internal account
- Alternative Compliance Plan can be used instead

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#### Zero Emission Spending Account Credit

- Spending Account Credit for use of ZE locomotives, ZE rail vehicles, and wayside power
- 2x credit in disproportionally affected communities





#### In-Use Operational Requirements (2030+)



- Locomotives must be less than 23 years old
- 2030 and 2035 ZE operations are required for some locomotives
- Alternative Compliance Plan can be used instead
- 2027 and 2032 technology assessments



# **Zero Emission Locomotives**

- Battery Electric
  Good for railyard and local operations
  - Switchers and Industrial Locomotives
  - Short freight and passenger routes
- Hydrogen Fuel Cell
  - Better suited for longer distances
    - Interstate freight line haul and passenger routes





# Plans to get to Zero Emission





# Locomotive Idling (2023+)

- 30 minute idle limit for AESS equipped locomotives
- Enforcement by Air Districts possible through enforcement MOU





#### Registration, Reporting, and Annual Payment

- One time registration for locomotives operating in California
- Annual locomotive reporting by Air District
- Annual \$175 per locomotive administrative payment





# **Flexibility and Safeguards**



- Temporary Operating Waivers
- Small Business Hardship Extension
- Historic Locomotive Low-Use
   Exemption
- 2027 and 2032 Technology Assessments
- Alternative Compliance Plans

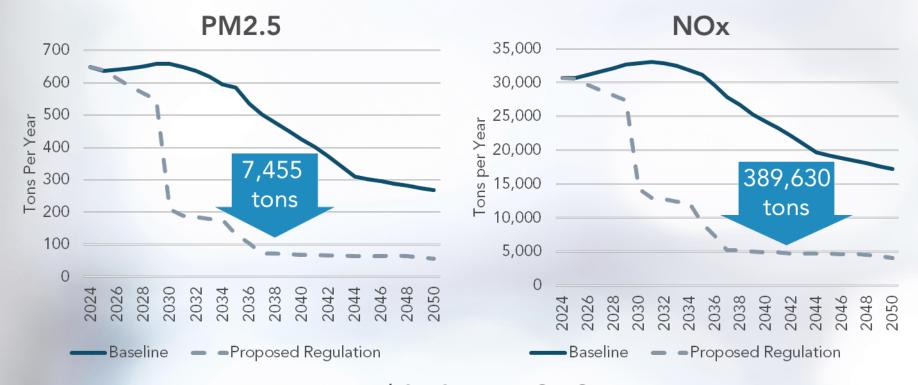


# **Alternative Compliance Plans**

- Replaces the Spending Account and/or the In-Use Operational Requirements
- Plan must reduce equivalent or greater emissions
- Five-year verification period allows for reevaluation and modifications as necessary

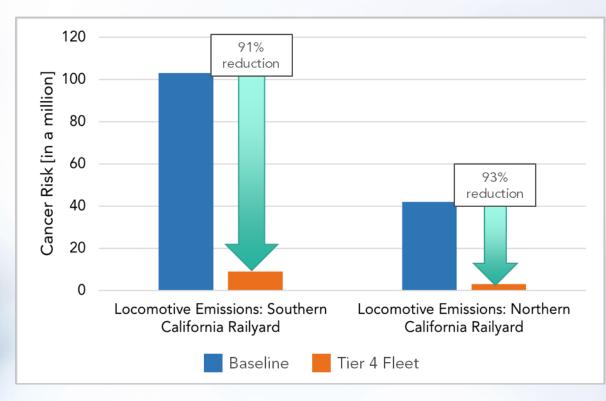


### **Estimated Emission Reductions**



and 21.9 MMT GHG

# **Cancer Risk Reduction Near Railyards**





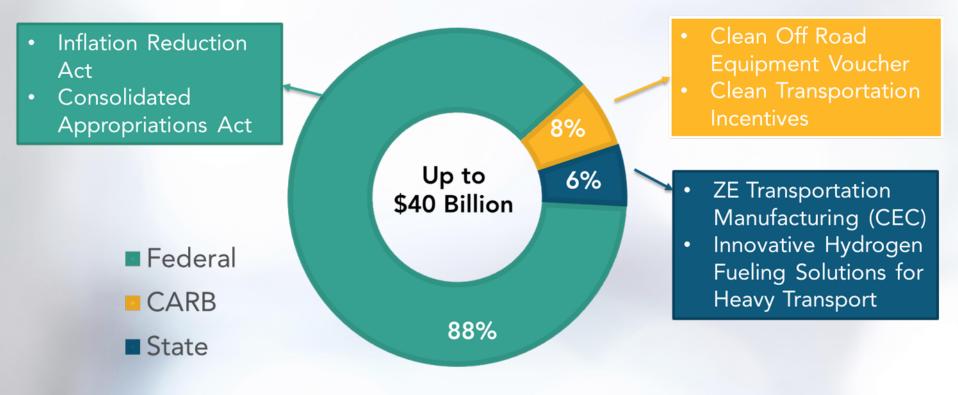


- 3,233 fewer deaths
- 1,097 less hospital stays
- 1,486 fewer ER visits

- \$32 average per household annually
- \$0.39 to \$2.27 average fare increase if cost is passed through to consumers



#### **2022 Locomotive Funding**





# **Environmental Analysis**

- Draft Environmental Analysis
  - Released for public comment September 23, 2022 –
     November 7, 2022



- Next Steps:
  - Prepare written responses to comments
  - Present Final Environmental Analysis and written responses to comments to the Board



# **Next Steps**

- Make non-substantive changes
- Clarify intent to collaborate with transit agencies to both transition to zero emission and increase ridership
- Include federal safety approvals as part of the technology assessment
- Return with a final proposal Spring 2023

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# Conclusion

- The Proposed In-Use Locomotive Regulation is a comprehensive plan to help us meet the goal of clean locomotive transport.
- We ask for your support.

