

## CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD

### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO CONSIDER THE GREENHOUSE GAS QUANTIFICATION DETERMINATION FOR THE SAN JOAQUIN COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS' REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN/SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES STRATEGY**

The Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) will conduct a public meeting at the time and place noted below to consider action to accept or reject the greenhouse gas (GHG) quantification determination of the San Joaquin Council of Governments (SJCOG) that its 2014 Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS), if implemented, would achieve the region's per capita greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets for 2020 and 2035. Staff will present its technical evaluation of SJCOG's GHG determination for the SCS which was adopted on June 26, 2014.

DATE: May 21, 2015

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: California Environmental Protection Agency  
Air Resources Board  
Byron Sher Auditorium  
1001 I Street  
Sacramento, California 95814

This item will be considered at a one-day meeting of the Board, which will commence at 9:00 a.m., May 21, 2015. Please consult the agenda for the meeting, which will be available at least 10 days before May 21, 2015, to determine the order in which this item will be considered.

Each of California's MPOs must prepare and adopt an SCS as an integral part of its Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). The SCS is expected to contain land use, housing, and transportation strategies that, if implemented, would allow the region to meet the per capita GHG emissions reduction targets established for the region by the Board. The Board must either accept or reject an MPO's determination that its SCS would, if implemented, meet the GHG emissions reduction targets. The targets established by the Board for SJCOG are 5 percent per capita reduction by 2020 and 10 percent per capita reduction by 2035, from a base year of 2005.

Staff will present the results of its evaluation of SJCOG's GHG determination, which is based on a review of the technical methodology that SJCOG used to quantify its GHG emissions reductions.

ARB staff has prepared a written staff report documenting ARB staff's technical evaluation of SJCOG's SCS GHG emissions quantification. When copies of this staff

report are available, a listserv notification will be sent. After the staff report is available, copies may be obtained from ARB's Public Information Office, 1001 I Street, First Floor, Environmental Services Center, Sacramento, California, 95814, (916) 322-2990 or from ARB's Web site at: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/sb375/sb375.htm>.

Interested members of the public may present comments orally or in writing at the meeting and may provide comments by postal mail or by electronic submittal before the meeting. To be considered by the Board, written comments not physically submitted at the meeting, must be received **no later than 5:00 pm, May 18, 2015**, and addressed to the following:

Postal mail: Clerk of the Board, Air Resources Board  
1001 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814

Electronic submittal: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/lispub/comm/bclist.php>

The electronic comment docket will be available when the staff reports become available. Please note that under the California Public Records Act (Government Code section 6250 et seq.), your written and verbal 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.

ARB requests that written comments on this item be filed no later than 5:00 pm on May 18, 2015, so ARB staff and Board members have sufficient time to consider each comment. Further inquiries regarding this matter should be directed to Ms. Terry Roberts, Sustainable Communities Policy and Planning Manager, (626) 450-6182 or Ms. Jennifer Gray, Air Pollution Specialist, (916) 327-0027.

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

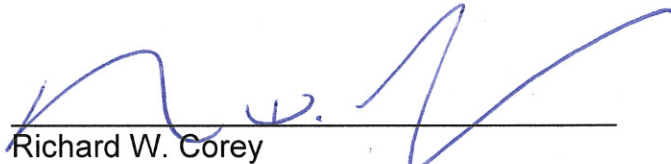
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- Una acomodación razonable relacionados con una incapacidad.

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Richard W. Corey  
Executive Officer

Date: *May 4, 2015*

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