

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9916-25-ORD]

EPA Board of Scientific Counselors Advisory Board; Notice of Charter Renewal

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of Charter Renewal.

Notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has determined that, in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C. App. 2, the EPA Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) Advisory Board is a necessary committee which is in the public interest. Accordingly, the BOSC will be renewed for an additional two-year period. The purpose of the BOSC is to provide advice and recommendations to the Administrator, through the Assistant Administrator of the Office of Research and Development (ORD), regarding ORD science and engineering research, programs and plans, laboratories, and research management practices. Inquiries may be directed to Tom Tracy, U.S. EPA, (Mail Code 8104R), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460, telephone (202) 564-6518, or tracy.tom@epa.gov.

Dated: April 24, 2014.

Lek Kadeli,

Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Research and Development.

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Release of Final Documents Related to the Review of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Ozone

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing the availability of three final documents titled *Policy Assessment for the Review of the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards* (PA); *Health Risk and Exposure Assessment for Ozone* (HREA); and *Welfare Risk and Exposure Assessment for Ozone* (WREA). The PA,

HREA, and WREA have been prepared by staff in the EPA's Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS) as part of the Agency's ongoing review of the primary (health-based) and secondary (welfare-based) national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) for ozone (O₃). The PA presents analyses and staff conclusions regarding the policy implications of the key scientific and technical information that informs this review of the O₃ NAAQS. The HREA and WREA present analyses of O₃ exposures and risks.

DATES: The PA, HREA, and WREA will be made available on or about August 29, 2014.

ADDRESSES: These documents will be available primarily via the Internet at the following Web site: http://www.epa.gov/ttn/naaqs/standards/ozone/s_o3_index.html.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Susan Stone, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (mail code C504-06), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711; telephone number: 919-541-1146; fax number: 919-541-0237; email address: stone.susan@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Two sections of the Clean Air Act (CAA) govern the establishment and revision of the NAAQS. Section 108 (42 U.S.C. 7408) directs the Administrator to identify and list certain air pollutants and then to issue air quality criteria for those pollutants. The Administrator is to list those air pollutants that in her "judgment, cause or contribute to air pollution which may reasonably be anticipated to endanger public health or welfare;" "the presence of which in the ambient air results from numerous or diverse mobile or stationary sources;" and "for which . . . [the Administrator] plans to issue air quality criteria . . ." Air quality criteria are intended to "accurately reflect the latest scientific knowledge useful in indicating the kind and extent of all identifiable effects on public health or welfare which may be expected from the presence of [a] pollutant in the ambient air . . ." 42 U.S.C. 7408(b). Under section 109 (42 U.S.C. 7409), the EPA establishes primary (health-based) and secondary (welfare-based) NAAQS for pollutants for which air quality criteria are issued. Section 109(d) requires periodic review and, if appropriate, revision of existing air quality criteria. The EPA is also required to periodically review and, if appropriate, revise the NAAQS based on the revised criteria. Section 109(d)(2) requires that an independent scientific review committee "shall complete a

review of the criteria . . . and the national primary and secondary ambient air quality standards . . . and shall recommend to the Administrator any new . . . standards and revisions of existing criteria and standards as may be appropriate . . ." Since the early 1980's, this independent review function has been performed by the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC).

Presently, the EPA is reviewing the NAAQS for O₃. The PA, HREA, and WREA build upon information presented in the *Integrated Science Assessment for Ozone*¹ prepared for this review by the EPA's Office of Research and Development (ORD). Drafts of the PA, HREA, and WREA were reviewed by CASAC, and were commented upon by members of the public, at public meetings held on September 11-13, 2012, and March 25-27, 2014. The CASAC issued final reports on the second drafts of these documents on June 18, 2014 (WREA), June 26, 2014 (PA), and July 1, 2014 (HREA). The final versions of the PA, HREA, and WREA reflect staff's consideration of the comments and recommendations made by CASAC, as well as comments made by members of the public, in its review of the draft versions of these documents. The final PA, HREA, and WREA are available through the Agency's Technology Transfer Network (TTN) Web site at http://www.epa.gov/ttn/naaqs/standards/ozone/s_o3_index.html.

Dated: August 27, 2014.

Mary Henigin,

Acting Director, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards.

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[FRL-9916-29-OAR]

Clean Air Act Advisory Committee (CAAAC): Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice; meeting.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) announces upcoming public meetings of the Clean Air Act Advisory Committee (CAAAC). The

¹ Integrated Science Assessment of Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC. EPA/600/R-10/076F. Available at: <http://cfpub.epa.gov/ncea/isa/recordisplay.cfm?deid=247492#Download>.

EPA established the CAAAC on November 19, 1990, to provide independent advice and counsel to EPA on policy issues associated with implementation of the Clean Air Act of 1990. The Committee advises on economic, environmental, technical, scientific and enforcement policy issues.

DATES & ADDRESSES: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. App. 2 Section 10(a)(2), notice is hereby given that the CAAAC will hold its next face-to-face meeting on October 29, 2014, tentatively from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn and Suites Alexandria, 625 First Street, Alexandria, VA 22314. The Permits, New Source Review and Toxics Subcommittee will meet at the same location on October 28, 2014, tentatively from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Inspection of Committee Documents: The Committee agenda, confirmed times for the meetings, and any documents prepared for these meetings will be publicly available on the CAAAC Web site at <http://www.epa.gov/oar/caaac/> prior to the meeting. Thereafter, these documents, together with CAAAC meeting minutes, will also be available on the CAAAC Web site or by contacting the Office of Air and Radiation Docket and requesting information under docket EPA-HQ-OAR-2004-0075. The Docket office can be reached by email at: a-and-r-Docket@epa.gov or FAX: 202-566-9744.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For more information about the CAAAC, please contact Jeneva Craig, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), Office of Air and Radiation, U.S. EPA by email at craig.jeneva@epa.gov or by telephone at (202) 564-1674 or, for information on the Permits, New Source Review and Toxics Subcommittee, please contact Alan Rush at rush.alan@epa.gov or (202) 564-1658. Additional information on these meetings, CAAAC, and its Subcommittees can be found on the CAAAC Web site: <http://www.epa.gov/oar/caaac/>.

For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities, please contact Jeneva Craig at (202) 564-1674 or craig.jeneva@epa.gov, preferably at least 10 days prior to the meetings to give EPA as much time as possible to process your request.

Dated: August 26, 2014.

Jeneva Craig,

Designated Federal Officer, Clean Air Act Advisory Committee, Office of Air and Radiation.

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[FRL-9916-34-OCFO]

Meeting of the Environmental Financial Advisory Board—Public Notice

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting of the Environmental Financial Advisory Board.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Environmental Financial Advisory Board (EFAB) will hold a public meeting on October 28-29, 2014. EFAB is an EPA advisory committee chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) to provide advice and recommendations to EPA on creative approaches to funding environmental programs, projects, and activities.

The purpose of this meeting is to hear from informed speakers on environmental finance issues, proposed legislation, and EPA priorities; to discuss activities, progress, and preliminary recommendations with regard to current EFAB work projects; and to consider requests for assistance from EPA offices.

Environmental finance discussions and presentations are expected on the following topics:

Small Water Systems in Puerto Rico; Financing Small Community/Rural Brownfields Site Remediation; Certified Green Bonds; Leveraging Technology and Finance; and Financial Capability Assessment Framework.

The meeting is open to the public; however, seating is limited. All members of the public who wish to attend the meeting must register in advance no later than Friday, October 17, 2014.

DATES: The full board meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 28, 2014 from 1:00 p.m. to 5 p.m., EST and Wednesday, October 29, 2014 from 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m., EST.

ADDRESSES: Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED), 1200 G Street NW., Suite 400, Washington, DC 20005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information on access or services for individuals with disabilities, or to request accommodations for a person with a disability, please contact Sandra Williams, EPA, at (202) 564-4999 or williams.sandra@epa.gov, at least 10 days prior to the meeting, to allow as much time as possible to process your request.

Dated: August 28, 2014.

David Bloom,

Acting Deputy Chief Financial Officer.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-9916-30-OGC]

Proposed Consent Decree, Clean Air Act Citizen Suit

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice of proposed consent decree; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 113(g) of the Clean Air Act, as amended ("CAA" or the "Act"), notice is hereby given of a proposed consent decree to address a lawsuit filed by the Sierra Club in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia: *Sierra Club v. McCarthy*, Civil Case No. 1:14-cv-00222 (D.D.C.). On February 17, 2014, Plaintiff filed a complaint which alleged that Gina McCarthy, in her official capacity as Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), failed to perform a mandatory duty to promulgate a Federal Implementation Plan ("FIP") for Montana's Prevention of Significant Deterioration ("PSD") program to properly regulate nitrogen oxides as an ozone precursor. The proposed consent decree would establish a deadline for EPA to take this action.

DATES: Written comments on the proposed consent decree must be received by October 8, 2014.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID number EPA-HQ-OGC-2014-0627, online at www.regulations.gov (EPA's preferred method); by email to oei.docket@epa.gov; by mail to EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Mailcode: 2822T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; or by hand delivery or courier to EPA Docket Center, EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. Comments on a disk or CD-ROM should be formatted in Word or ASCII file, avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption, and may be mailed to the mailing address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephanie Hogan, Air and Radiation Law Office (2344A), Office of General Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection