

**NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DECISION
FOR THE PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF
AN AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District solicits public comment on the proposed issuance of Authority to Construct to Homen Dairy Farms LP for the expansion of an existing dairy operation from a maximum herd capacity of 1,300 milk cows, not to exceed a combined total of 1,550 mature cows (milk and dry), and 1,400 total support stock (heifers and calves); to a maximum capacity of 3,360 milk cows, not to exceed a combined total of 3,860 mature cows (milk and dry), 3,450 heifers, and 410 calves (0 - 3 months), at 5511 W Sandy Mush Rd, Merced.

The analysis of the regulatory basis for this proposed action, Project #N-1120738, is available for public inspection at http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public_notices_idx.htm and at any District office. For additional information, please contact the District at (559) 230-6000. Written comments on this project must be submitted by June 8, 2016 to **ARNAUD MARJOLLET, DIRECTOR OF PERMIT SERVICES, SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT, 1990 EAST GETTYSBURG AVENUE, FRESNO, CA 93726.**