

**San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District
SOUTHERN REGION HEARING BOARD MEETING**

Southern Region Office Video Teleconference (VTC) Room
34946 Flyover Court, Bakersfield, CA 93308

ACTION SUMMARY MINUTES

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

*Meeting held via teleconferencing with the
Central Region Office (Fresno) and the
Southern Region Office (Bakersfield)*

1. Call Meeting to Order

The Vice Chair, John Stovall, called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

2. Roll Call

William Bland – Public	Absent
John Stovall – Attorney	Present
Nancy Dunn– Public	Present
Robert Moeller– Medical	Present

Staff Present:

Southern Region (Bakersfield): Jennifer Ledergerber, Supervising Air Quality Inspector

Central Region (Fresno): Jessi Fierro, Assistant Counsel; Patrick Houlihan, Senior Air Quality Specialist; See Thao, Operations & Support Supervisor

3. Approval of Consent Calendar (Items 9-11)

These items are routine in nature and are usually approved by a single vote. Prior to action by the Hearing Board, the public will be given the opportunity to comment on any consent item.

9. Approve Minutes of September 11, 2019

10. Emergency Variance

11. Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is on November 13, 2019. The meeting will be held in the Southern Region Office (Bakersfield) with the Central Region Office (Fresno) included via VTC.

Public Comments: None

Moved: Dunn
Seconded: Moeller
Ayes: Dunn, Stovall, Moeller
Nays: None

Motion unanimously carried to approve Consent Calendar Items 9-11

4. Public Hearing

The Chair, Bill Bland swore in all those present to testify for all matters.

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
A. S-19-16R	Regular	California Paper Products, LLC 5901 Zerker Road Shafter, CA 93263

Petitioners: Joe Selgrath and David Chakola

Mr. Houlihan presented the Staff Report.

California Paper Products has requested a regular variance from the applicable of District Rules 2070, 2201, 4305, 4306, and 4320, in addition to conditions of the subject permits. The requested regular variance period would be from October 9, 2019, through May 31, 2020. If granted, the variance would allow for excess NO_x and NH₃ emissions from the boiler until the new catalyst is installed and a compliance source test initiated. In addition, to postpone the triennial compliance source test that was due no later than August 29, 2019.

Petitioner Comments: None

Public Comments: None

Moved: Dunn
Seconded: Moeller
Ayes: Dunn, Stovall, Moeller
Nays: None

Motion unanimously carried to approve Docket No. S-19-16R

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B. S-19-22S Short

Aera Energy
59231 Main Camp Road
McKittrick, CA 93251

Petitioners: John Ludwick

Mr. Houilhan presented the Staff Report.

Aera has requested a short variance from the applicable requirements of District Rules 2070, 2201, and 4623, in addition to applicable conditions of the subject permits. The requested variance period would be for a 48 hour period to occur sometime between October 9, 2019, and January 6, 2020, inclusive. If granted, the variance would allow Aera to continue to store VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without an operating or functional vapor recovery systems while they perform the proposed work.

Petitioner Comments: Mr. Ludwick mentioned that he would be provide the District with more accurate cost of lost in production.

Public Comments: None

Moved: Moeller
Seconded: Dunn
Ayes: Dunn, Stovall, Moeller
Nays: None

Motion unanimously carried to approve Docket No. S-19-22S

5. Public Comments: None
6. Hearing Board Member Comments: None
7. New Business: None
8. Adjournment: The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:30 am.