

District Highlights

June 16, 2016 Actions by the Governing Board

Air District Appropriates \$4,000,000 for the Tune In Tune Up Vehicle Repair Program

The Governing Board approved \$4 million for the continued implementation of the award-winning Tune In Tune Up Vehicle Repair Program. This successful partnership with Valley Clean Air Now (Valley CAN) provides funding for Valley residents to make smog-related repairs to their existing vehicles. To date, the District has held more than 85 weekend repair events and repaired over 17,000 vehicles at a combined cost-effectiveness of \$7,500 per ton of emissions reduced. In addition, the new vehicle replacement component continues to be successfully incorporated into the Tune In Tune Up weekend event model. To date the District has replaced over 630 older high emitting vehicles replaced with newer, cleaner, and more fuel efficient models.

Air District Awards \$5 Million Public Benefit Grants to Municipalities throughout the Valley

The Valley Air District Governing Board approved six alternative fuel infrastructure projects under the District's Public Benefit Grants Program. The Public Benefit Grants program was developed to bring direct benefits to Valley residents through local emission reduction projects implemented by local government agencies and public educational institutions. This latest solicitation received strong interest, District wide, with twenty-four proposals submitted seeking over \$16 million in funding. The recipients are listed on the following table:

Region	Project	Approved Funding
North	City of Manteca – F2E/R-CNG Fueling Station (New R-CNG Fueling Station)	\$1,893,000
Northern Region Total:		\$1,893,000
Central	Sanger Unified School District – Reduced Emissions and Consolidated Transportation (New CNG fueling station)	\$410,000
	Clovis Unified School District – CNG Station Expansion	
	City of Fresno – CNG Fueling Infrastructure Expansion	\$852,153
Central Region Total:		\$2,132,153
South	City of Porterville – City of Porterville Transit Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (New large-scale electric vehicle charging station)	\$629,177
	Visalia Unified School District – CNG Fuel Station Expansion	\$345,670
Southern Region Total:		\$974,847
Grand Total for Approved Projects:		\$5,000,000

District Brings \$25.5 million in Cap and Trade Funds to the Valley for Advanced Transportation Projects throughout the Valley

The Valley Air District Governing Board accepted \$25,550,900 in funding from the California Air Resources Board to fund four zero-emission truck and bus deployment projects throughout the San Joaquin Valley. Consistent with the District's Board-approved Cap and Trade Action Plan,

the District partnered with a wide range of Valley public agencies and technology providers to propose a series of projects to deploy advanced, zero-emission trucks and transit buses in locations throughout the Valley. These projects have a significant focus on vehicle deployment within the Valley's many disadvantaged communities. The projects selected for funding by ARB include the San Joaquin Valley Transit Electrification Project, the Green On-Road Linen Delivery Project and the USPS Zero-Emission Delivery Truck Pilot Commercial Demonstration Project. In addition to these awards, the District assisted the City of Porterville with a successful application for deploying electric transit buses on all of the City's fixed bus routes. The District will assist the City of Porterville with the administration of this project. The continued advancement and deployment of zero-emission technology, particularly in the heavy-duty and transit segments, is critical to meet ever-toughening air quality standards.

April District Activities

Outreach and Communications

- The District spent April attending various Earth Day events throughout the Valley, gearing up for Ozone season, updating the S.T.A.R. Video, and compiling content for Inside Air.
- In April, District staff responded to 8 media calls and 43 public calls and 32 emails, issued one news release and attended 19 events and presentations.

Grant and Incentive Programs

- In April, the District received 353 incentive program applications. 97 were for the Wood Stove Change-Out Program and 85 were for the Heavy Duty Engine Program.
- In April, \$5,535,430.24 was placed under contract in the Heavy Duty Engine Program and 170 claims were paid.
- In April, \$441,651.50 was paid out in REMOVE II program claims.
- In April, \$351,696.52 was paid in Burn Cleaner program claims and 220 claims were processed.

	April 2016	Applications	Grants Offered		Grants Executed		Amount Paid	
Key	Program	Number Received & Entered	Number of Contracts sent out	Sum of Grant Funding	Number of Contracts Executed	Sum of Grant Funding	Number of Claims paid	Sum of Grant Funding
Burn Cleaner	Burn Cleaner	97	100	\$191,000.00	100	\$191,000.00	220	\$351,696.52
Heavy Duty	Ag Engine	7	0	\$0.00	4	\$48,239.67	4	\$105,878.73
	Off-Road	46	73	\$4,374,897.99	62	\$4,359,188.69	119	\$3,336,600.00
	On-Road DERA VIP	1	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	16	\$241,264.89
	On-Road TVP	30	16	\$777,393.35	16	\$777,393.35	27	\$1,255,153.51
	School Bus Replacement	1	1	\$363,166.16	1	\$81,806.84	1	\$86,553.10
	School Bus Retrofit	0	1	\$19,972.74	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00
	School Bus Tank Replacement	0	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	3	\$47,785.40
Lawn Garden	Lawn Mower Replacement	24	23	\$4,535.79	23	\$4,535.79	22	\$4,105.28
Public Benefit	Alt-Fuel	1	2	\$176,000.02	4	\$240,831.54	44	\$1,840,196.73
Remove II	Car Crushing	0	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	7	\$169,209.39
	Charge Up	1	1	\$10,000.00	4	\$36,000.00	0	\$0.00
	VVIP - Commuter	50	2460	\$73,800.00	2460	\$73,800.00	1,960	\$75,442.11

	Subsidy							
	Drive Clean - Light and Medium Duty	95	101	\$287,000.00	101	\$287,000.00	73	\$197,000.00
TAP	Technology Advancement	0	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	2	\$5,887.80
	Totals	353	2778	\$6,277,766.05	2775	\$6,099,795.88	2,498	\$7,716,773.46

Reductions from Executed Contracts (tons)			
Nox	PM	ROG	Total
538	42	44	624

Smoking Vehicles	10
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Operations Overview

- Completed 3,177 inspections in April, and 161 NOVs were issued. Mutual settlement case completions totaled 219.
- Received 102 permit applications in April, and 237 permits were issued.
- Received 10 smoking vehicle reports in April.
- Received 129 environmental documents in April.

May District Activities

Outreach and Communications

- The District spent May approving illustrations for the new kid's activity book, attending events promoting HAL, and gearing up for and executing a small outreach campaign for the Clean Green yard Machines lawn mower exchange program.
- In May, District staff responded to 10 media calls and 59 public calls and 40 emails, issued one news release and attended 10 events and presentations.

Grant and Incentive Programs

- In May, the District received 390 incentive program applications. 93 were for the Wood Stove Change-Out Program and 102 were for the Heavy Duty Engine Program.
- In May, \$7,679,170.24 was placed under contract in the Heavy Duty Engine Program and 105 claims were paid.
- In May, \$769,612.92 was paid out in REMOVE II program claims.
- In May, \$304,619.09 was paid in Burn Cleaner program claims and 175 claims were processed.

Key	May 2016 Program	Applications	Grants Offered		Grants Executed		Amount Paid	
		Number Received & Entered	Number of Contracts sent out	Sum of Grant Funding	Number of Contracts Executed	Sum of Grant Funding	Number of Claims paid	Sum of Grant Funding
Burn Cleaner	Burn Cleaner	93	96	\$173,500.00	96	\$173,500.00	175	\$304,619.09
Heavy Duty	Ag Engine	3	2	\$26,421.58	0	\$0.00	6	\$88,550.10
	Off-Road	60	75	\$3,057,938.86	58	\$2,858,250.00	77	\$2,168,800.00
	On-Road DERA VIP	0	1	\$50,000.00	0	\$0.00	4	\$42,864.93
	On-Road TVP	36	30	\$1,407,731.11	30	\$1,407,731.11	18	\$845,771.37

	School Bus Replacement	0	2	\$ 352,215.68	2	\$629,573.84	0	\$0.00
	School Bus Retrofit	1	7	\$2,623,745.63	2	\$39,972.74	0	\$0.00
	School Bus Tank Replacement	2	2	\$161,117.38	2	\$54,264.07	0	\$0.00
Lawn Garden	Lawn Mower Replacement	12	21	\$4,850.00	21	\$4,850.00	18	\$3,949.50
Public Benefit	Alt-Fuel	6	15	\$673,808.54	9	\$499,453.40	17	\$248,180.29
Remove II	Car Crushing	0	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	9	\$476,312.92
	Charge Up	5	1	\$10,000.00	3	\$87,761.88	0	\$0.00
	VVIP - Commuter Subsidy	60	1597	\$124,560.00	1597	\$124,560.00	1	\$5,300.00
	Drive Clean - Light and Medium Duty	112	90	\$249,000.00	90	\$249,000.00	104	\$288,000.00
TAP	Technology Advancement	0	0	\$0.00	0	\$0.00	2	\$5,460.30
	Totals	390	1939	\$8,914,888.78	1910	\$6,128,917.04	431	\$4,477,808.50

Reductions from Executed Contracts (tons)			
Nox	PM	ROG	Total
452	47	45	544

Smoking Vehicles	9
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Operations Overview

- Completed 2,784 inspections in May, and 140 NOVs were issued. Mutual settlement case completions totaled 170.
- Received 107 permit applications in May, and 233 permits were issued.
- Received 9 smoking vehicle reports in May.
- Received 173 environmental documents in May.

Upcoming Meetings

Governing Board*
9:00 a.m. Aug. 18, 2016

Citizens Advisory Committee*
10:00 a.m. Aug. 2, 2016

Enviro. Justice Adv. Grp.
5:30 p.m. Aug. 25, 2016

Meetings are held in the Fresno office Governing Board Room and via video teleconference to the Modesto and Bakersfield offices. Details: www.valleyair.org

*Webcast