PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

Meeting of the
AB 32 Environmental Justice Advisory Committee

The California Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) is hosting a public meeting for the AB 32 Environmental Justice Advisory Committee (Committee). The Committee will advise the Board on the development of the 2017 Climate Change Scoping Plan Update: The Strategy for Achieving California’s 2030 Greenhouse Gas Target (Scoping Plan). Staff intends to bring the Scoping Plan to the Board in June of 2017. The meeting will be held at the following dates, times and location listed below:

Dates: Wednesday, March 29, 2017 and Thursday, March 30, 2017

Times: Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Thursday: 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Location: Japanese American Cultural and Community Center
244 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

The meeting is open to the public and participation is encouraged. The Committee will be discussing their March Community Meetings and developing recommendations for the Final Proposed Scoping Plan.

Background

In 2006, the Legislature passed the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 (Assembly Bill 32 (AB 32); Stats. 2006, chapter 488). AB 32 created a comprehensive, multi-year program to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in California.

AB 32 requires ARB to convene an environmental justice advisory committee to advise it in developing the Scoping Plan and any other pertinent matter in implementing AB 32. The First Update to the Climate Change Scoping Plan was approved by the Board on May 22, 2014. In April 2015, Governor Brown set a new interim statewide target to reduce greenhouse gas emissions to 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030 and directed ARB to further update the Scoping Plan.

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- Documents made available in an alternate format or another language;
- A disability-related reasonable accommodation.

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Contact

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