

Workshop Notice (updated 12/16/11)

Update to the Recommended Guidance for Land Use Emission Reductions

A workshop will be held on **January 19, 2012 at 10 a.m.** at the SMAQMD office, 777 12th Street, Sacramento, to introduce the draft update to the SMAQMD's ***Recommended Guidance for Land Use Emission Reductions*** document (AQMP Guidance). Staff plans to provide an overview of the update, discuss concepts with stakeholders, and receive feedback.

The air quality analysis model CalEEMod (released in February 2011) provides criteria pollutant and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions estimates for land development projects and a robust mitigation component covering all pollutants using the most current guidance on quantifying mitigation measures. SMAQMD goal with this AQMP Guidance update is to incorporate CalEEMod's mitigation component along with a few off-model mitigation measures. The AQMP Guidance will inform planners and developers what criteria must be met before a CalEEMod mitigation measure can be utilized for a land development project.

The draft document will be posted on the SMAQMD's webpage on December 20, 2012.