



Regional Planning Partnership Committee

September 21, 2016

Update on Project of Air Quality Concern Determinations

Issue: What actions have MTC and the Project Level Conformity Group taken since March 2016?

Recommendation: None, this item is for information only.

Discussion: The Sacramento Federal Nonattainment Area (SFNA) for PM_{2.5} includes all of Sacramento County and portions of El Dorado, Placer, Yolo, and Solano Counties. The majority of the PM_{2.5} SFNA and all of the PM₁₀ SFNA (i.e., Sacramento County) fall within the boundaries of SACOG's metropolitan planning area. Using delegated authority from the RPP, the Project Level Conformity Group (PLCG) is tasked with reviewing and taking action on PM_{2.5} and PM₁₀ Project of Air Quality Concern (POAQC) determinations and hot spot analyses within the SACOG region.

For the portion of the PM_{2.5} SFNA outside of the SACOG region, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) is responsible for making conformity determinations for projects. A representative of the SFNA is responsible for participating in MTC's interagency consultation and providing quarterly reports of POAQC determinations in Eastern Solano County to the SACOG Regional Planning Partnership, and determining if individual projects need to be presented to both MTC's Air Quality Conformity Task Force and SACOG's PLCG. Mr. Matt Jones of Yolo Solano Air Quality Management District serves as the SFNA representative for MTC's interagency consultation.

Since March 2016, five projects were reviewed and determined not to be POAQCs.

1. Ramp Meters at Various Locations (reviewed by SACOG's PLCG)
2. Fair Oaks Boulevard Improvements, Phase 3B (reviewed by SACOG's PLCG)
3. US 50 HOV Lanes, I-5 to Watt Ave. (reviewed by SACOG's PLCG)
4. Kammerer Rd. Extension (reviewed by SACOG's PLCG)
5. SR 65 Capacity & Operational Improvements Phase 1 (reviewed by SACOG's PLCG)

Since the adoption of this process in 2011, the PLCG has reviewed 23 projects (Attachment A). Anyone from the RPP is welcome to be a member of the PLCG (Attachment B) and review POAQCs within the SACOG region. If you would like to join, please contact jcaceres@sacog.org.

Attachments

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Actions Taken by the Project Level Conformity Group, September 2011 through August 13, 2015.

#	Date Circulated	Action Date	Action	ID	Title	Sponsor
1	12/23/2011	1/4/2012	POAQC Approved	CAL20452	SR 113/SR 99 Interchange	Caltrans District 3
2	1/19/2012	1/27/2012	POAQC Approved	PLA25502	Rocklin Rd/Meyers St. Roundabout	City of Rocklin Division of Engineering
3	4/23/2012	5/10/2012	POAQC Approved	SAC24470	White Rock Rd. - Sunrise Blvd. to City Limits	City of Rancho Cordova
4	7/5/2012	7/17/2012	POAQC Approved	PLA25499	Rocklin Rd/Grove St Roundabout	City of Rocklin Division of Engineering
5	8/6/2012	8/13/2012	POAQC Approved	PLA25252	Swetzer Road / King Road Signalization	Town of Loomis Dept of Public Works
6	9/11/2012	9/18/2012	POAQC Approved	SAC16800	Fair Oaks Boulevard Improvements Phase 2	Sacramento County Dept of Transportation
7	12/5/2012	4/23/2013*	POAQC Approved*	PLA25440	I-80/SR 65 Interchange Improvements	Placer County Transportation Planning Agency
8	1/4/2013	2/4/2013	POAQC Approved	PLA20721/ PLA25299	Placer Parkway Project	Placer County Dept of Public Works
9	3/21/2013	3/28/2013	POAQC Approved	PLA25520	Oak Street Improvements	City of Roseville Dept of Public Works
10	4/15/2013	4/30/2013	POAQC Approved	PLA25509	Nelson Ln/Markham Ravine Bridge Replacement	City of Lincoln Dept of Public Works
11	4/9/2014	5/5/2014	POAQC Approved	YOL17400	Kentucky Avenue Widening & Complete Streets	City of Woodland
12	12/11/2014	12/19/2014	POAQC Approved	SAC24610 & SAC24656	14th Ave. Extension Phase 1 & 2	City of Sacramento
13	12/20/2014	12/22/2014	POAQC Approved	YOL19329	Pioneer Bluff Bridge Phase 2 - Village Parkway Extension	City of West Sacramento
14	2/20/2015	2/23/2015	POAQC from 2007 Rea	SAC24220	Rancho Cordova Parkway Interchange	City of Rancho Cordova
15	5/8/2015	5/22/2015	POAQC Approved	SAC21280	Green Valley Road Widening	City of Folsom
16	8/11/2015	8/26/2015	POAQC Approved	PLA25542 & PLA25519	I-80 EB and WB Auxiliary Lane	Placer County Transportation Planning Agency
17	12/8/2015	12/8/2015	POAQC Approved	SAC24380	Elk Grove – Florin Rd. Bridge	Sacramento County Dept of Transportation
18	12/8/2015	12/16/2015	POAQC Approved	PLA25440	I-80/SR 65 Interchange Improvements Phase 1A	Placer County Transportation Planning Agency

Actions Taken by the Project Level Conformity Group, March 24, 2016 to September 21, 2016

19	4/14/2016	4/28/2016	POAQC Approved	CAL20695	Ramp Meters at Various Locations (G13 Contingency Project)	Caltrans District 3
20	4/14/2016	4/18/2016	POAQC Approved	SAC24650	is Fair Oaks Boulevard Improvements, Phase 3B	Sacramento County
21	4/18/2016	4/25/2016	POAQC Approved	CAL18838	US 50 HOV Lanes, I-5 to Watt Ave.	Caltrans District 3
22	6/3/2016	6/13/2016	POAQC Approved	SAC24094	Kammerer Rd. Extension	Sacramento County
23	6/17/2016	8/9/2016	POAQC Approved	PLA25529	SR 65 Capacity & Operational Improvements Phase 1	Placer County Transportation Planning Agency

* Action taken by Regional Planning Partnership at its April 23, 2013 Meeting.

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