

Environmental Newsletter

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All,

For those of you fortunate enough to attend the in-person meeting on Friday August 20, 2021, I look forward to seeing each of you. For those of you unable to make it, this year I will be pushing to allow a Teams/ WebEx option. Hopefully in the next few days I will be able to send that out. I will also be presenting a short power point that will be made available for review. Below is the current agenda, please feel free to submit to me other topics.

FRIDAY 08/20/2021 MEETING AGENDA

1. New Mexico Ozone Rule
 - Walk through of Direct Testimony & Witness Statements
 - Rebuttal Testimony Options
 - Next Steps
2. Colorado Update
 - How to get involved
 - What we've done so far
 - Big Items to Watch
3. Website
 - Suggestions
 - Environmental Committee Contact List with Pictures
4. Potential Speakers and Topics for 2022
5. Suggestions on Membership Generation

GCA Environmental Committee - What is Happening

GCA Environmental Website – This will be a prominent topic for our August meeting. Any suggestions to help make the website more interactive are encouraged.

Topics for the August Meeting:

1. Published Comments Section
2. Complete Environmental Committee Contact List with Pictures – Login Issues
3. Speaker & Titles to Past Presentations
4. Meeting Teams/ WebEx option

Colorado Climate Action Plan to Reduce Pollution –

[Visit the division's website](#) for more information on the stakeholder process and GHG reduction goals for oil and gas sources.



Public Meeting Reminder

Air Pollution Control Division Proposed Revisions to Regulation 23 and Colorado's Regional Haze State Implementation Plan

Tuesday, August 10, 2021
2:00 pm-4:00 pm (Remote Access Only)

[Register to provide comments here](#)

Please see the attached pdf for further registration details

Air Quality Enterprise Board

On June 30, 2020, Governor Polis signed into law [Senate Bill 20-204](#), Additional Resources to Protect Air Quality. The enterprise, through the department and contractors, conducts:

- science-based, unbiased air quality modeling and monitoring, and
- provides emission mitigation services.

Check out the link below for ways to stay involved:

<https://cdphe.colorado.gov/air-quality-enterprise>

New Mexico Methane Strategy –Ozone Precursor Rule for Oil and Gas Sector

As many of you are aware the GCA Board voted to submit Direct Testimony under the GCA Environmental Committee. Thank you to everyone who provided technical expertise for the testimony.

Rebuttal Testimony is *due September 06, 2021*. The legal team and consortium (Archrock, J-W Power, Expert Witnesses & CSI) are currently reviewing all pleadings that the GCA may wish to provide rebuttal testimony. Should any member of the GCA wish to provide suggestions or comments please submit those to me via email dwatson@jwenergy.com no later than the scheduled August 20, 2021 Environmental Committee meeting in Galveston, TX.

Below is a link for the pleadings log to review the Direct and Indirect testimony filed NMED as well as other interested parties.

<https://www.env.nm.gov/environmental-improvement/eib-21-27-petition-for-regulatory-change/>

Should anyone have any other regulatory updates pertaining to other states please send that information along so that the GCA can be proactively involved. As always if there are any questions or the need for specific documents please feel free to contact me at any of the numbers or email listed below.