



Paul J. Rogers, Director

# Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Air Quality Control Board



## MINUTES – November 12, 2025

This Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Air Quality Control Board (“Board”) meeting was conducted via Zoom video conference.

### I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Armijo called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Board Liaison Anita SdeArmijo called roll and the Chair determined a quorum was present.

Present: 5 – Dennis Armijo, Thomas De Pree, Joseph Galewsky, Josephine Lopez, Kitty Richards

Absent: 2 - Jane Cudney-Black, Nancy Montaño

### II. CONSENT AGENDA (*Items may be removed at the request of any Board Member*)

#### A. Approval of the November 12, 2025 Meeting Agenda

Member Galewsky moved to approve the agenda. Member Lopez seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0      Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

#### B. Approval of the September 10, 2025 Minutes

Vice Chair Richards requested a small edit to the minutes and then moved to approve the September 10, 2025 minutes with the revision. Member Galewsky seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0      Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

### III. AGENDA ITEMS

#### A. Resolution 2025-1, Determining Reasonable Notice of Public Meetings of the AQCB

Air Program Administrator Catalina Lehner gave a brief summary of Resolution 2025-01. After some discussion, Vice Chair Richards moved to table Resolution 2025-01 until the December meeting. Member De Pree seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0      Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

#### B. Resolution 2025-2, Setting the Official List of Regular AQCB Meetings for the Year 2026

Ms. Lehner gave a brief summary of Resolution 2025-02. Member De Pree moved to approve Resolution 2025-02. Member Galewsky seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0      Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

### **C. Dissolution and Formation of Subcommittees**

After a brief discussion, Vice Chair Richards moved to dissolve the committees on technology, mapping and public interest. Member Lopez seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0 Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

After discussion, Members Lopez and De Pree indicated that they were interested on serving on a committee with board attorney Jane Yee. Member De Pree made a motion to form a committee to examine the role and authority of the board. Vice chair Richards seconded. The motion passed by the following vote:

For: 5 – Armijo, De Pree, Galewsky, Lopez, Richards

Against: 0 Abstain: 0      Absent: 2 - Cudney-Black, Montaño

### **D. Resources for Boards and Commissions**

Ms. Lehner gave a presentation on available materials and resources provided by the Clerk's Office for all board and commissions.

### **E. EHD Reports and Updates**

- Division updates

Monitoring-Fires

- HEEI updates

BACT- Permitting

Deputy Director Terrance Smith gave a brief summary and answered questions from the board.

## **IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**

No one signed up for public comment.

## **V. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Resolution 2025-01

Presentations from Air Quality divisions

Monitoring Station updates

NASA TEMPO presentation

Committee update

## **VI. CLOSED SESSION**

The Board will consider whether or not to go into closed session with the Board Attorney to discuss i) pending litigation: AQCB and BCC of Bernalillo County vs. CoA (202-CV-2-23-09295) and GCC Rio Grande et al vs AQCB and CoA (D-202-CV-2023-09435), and ii) appeals of Clean Cars II regulations and the HEEI regulation.

- The board will discuss, make a motion with reasonable specificity, and vote whether or not to go into closed session, following procedures outlined in Section 10-15-1 (I) of the OMA. Exceptions to open meetings are outlined in Section 10-15-1 (H).

Member Galewsky made a motion to go into closed session to talk about the litigation. Vice Chair Richards seconded. After a brief discussion, the motion passed by the following vote:

For: 4 – Armijo, Galewsky, [Lopez](#), Richards

Against: 0 Abstain: 1- De Pree Absent: 2 – Cudney-Black, [Montaño](#)

- If there is a closed session, the Board will announce what was discussed and will make any motions based on the closed session discussion. *Topics discussed during a closed session are limited to those expressly excepted from the open meeting requirements.*

The Board was in closed session from 6:41 - 7:39 p.m. After coming out of closed session, Chair Armijo stated that the board discussed the pending litigation and did not take any actions or motions for any of the cases.

## VII. PUBLIC COMMENT

No one signed up for public comment.

## VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Armijo adjourned the meeting at 7:40 p.m.

**NEXT SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING:** December 10, 2025 at 5:30 p.m.

SUBMITTED:

READ AND APPROVED:

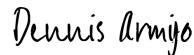
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Dennis Armijo Sr., Chair  
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