

ALBUQUERQUE – BERNALILLO COUNTY AIR QUALITY CONTROL BOARD



Vincent E. Griego Chambers Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Government Center One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102

DRAFT MINUTES – October 14, 2020 Regular Meeting

AQCB MEMBERS PRESENT

Ms. Kitty Richards (COUNTY), Chair

Ms. Susan Langner (COUNTY), Vice Chair

Mr. Arturo Sandoval (CITY)

Ms. Judy Calman (COUNTY)

Ms. Maxine Paul(CITY)

Ms. Elizabeth Reitzel (CITY)

Ms. Lauren Meiklejohn (CITY)

AQCB MEMBERS ABSENT

STAFF PRESENT

Ms. Mara Elana Burstein, EHD Deputy

Director

Ms. Susan Chappell, Via- Phone AQCB

Attorney

Mr. Joel Young, Assistant City Attorney

Ms. Stephanie Apodaca, AQCB Liaison

Ms. Christella Armijo, EH Scientist

Ms. Lisa Serna-Cordova, Program Analyst

Mr. Andrew Daffern, Field Ops Officer

Ms. Regan Eyerman, Sr. EH Scientist

Ms. Maggie Fitzgerald, EH Comm Liaison

Mr. Dan Gates- Sr. EH Scientist

Mr. Jon Lutz, EH Supervisor

Mr. Ed Merta, Reg. Dev. Coordinator

Mr. Travis Miller, EH Manager

Ms. Carina Munoz-Dyer, EH Supervisor

Mr. Dario Rocha, EH Manager

Mr. Jeff Stonesifer, Sr. EH Scientist

Mr. Isreal Tavarez, EH Manager

Mr. Kyle Tumpane, EH Scientist

VISITORS PRESENT

Mayor Tim Keller

Mr. Steven Abeyta

Ms. Penny Avery

Ms. Marisol Brito

Ms. Helen Maestas

Mr. Jeremy Nichols

Ms. Callan Pope

Ms. Jane Romero-Kotovsky

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Richards called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

Item #1 Approval of October 14, 2020 Agenda (Chair)

Member Sandoval moved to approve the October 14, 2020 agenda and Member Meiklejohn seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 7-0.

Item #2 Approval of September 9, 2020 Meeting Minutes (Chair)

Member Sandoval moved to approve the September 9, 2020 meeting minutes and Member Languer seconded. Chair Richards sustained. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0, with 1 abstention.

AIR PROGRAM REPORT

Deputy Director Mara Elana Burstein delivered the Air Program report.

REPORTS

Item #3 Presentation on 20.11.39 NMAC, *Permit Waivers and Air Quality Notifications for Certain Source Categories*; by EHD staff.

Isreal Tavarez, EH Manager, delivered the Presentation.

Item #4 Presentation on Ozone and Particulate Matter levels in Albuquerque and Bernalillo County, by EHD staff.

Dario Rocha, EH Manager, and Dan Gates, Sr. EH Scientist, delivered the Presentation.

Item #5 Closed meeting session under the Open Meetings Act, NMSA § 10-15-1(H)(7), for Air Board members and Air Board attorney, only - status update regarding EPA Complaint No. 13R-14-R6 (Title VI Complaint) Mediation.

Member Calman moved to approve going into closed session. Member Languer seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 7-0.

The Board then went into closed session.

After the end of the closed session, Chair Richards took roll call, announced that all members had returned from the closed session, except for Member Sandoval, and stated that the closed session discussed only the matter identified in item #5.

PUBLIC COMMENT

(Suggested five minute time limit)

Steven Abeyta delivered public comment on cumulative impact.

ACTION ITEMS

There were no action items.

OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business.

PUBLIC COMMENT WRAP UP (Three minute time limit)

There was no additional public comment

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Richards adjourned the meeting at 7:19 p.m.

NEXT SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING: November 12, 2020 will be conducted using Zoom Video Conference.

Note: Due to Veterans Day the AQCB meeting will be held on Thursday, November 12, 2020.

SUBMITTED: **READ AND APPROVED:**

Ms. Mara Elana Burstein date Board Secretary/Deputy Director Environmental Health Air Quality Program, Environmental Health Department.

Ms. Kitty Richards date Albuquerque - Bernalillo County Air Quality Control Board