ALBUQUERQUE-BERNALILLO COUNTY

AIR QUALITY PROGRAM

CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT (505)768-1972





Environmental Health Department Air Quality Program 2021 Goals Status Update November 2021

The Albuquerque-Bernalillo County Joint Air Quality Program, administered by the City of Albuquerque's Environmental Health Department, is authorized to implement and enforce clean air laws to protect public health within the boundaries of the City of Albuquerque and Bernalillo County.

Permitting Division

- 1. Complete processing of the outstanding Title V permit applications:
 - a. City of Albuquerque Cerro Colorado Landfill- COMPLETE
 - b. Public Service Company of New Mexico Rio Bravo Generating Station- COMPLETE
 - c. Kirtland Air Force Base- COMPLETE

Enforcement & Compliance Division:

1. Establish tracking mechanism in EnvisionConnect for permittees' assigned inspector, reports, compliance testing, reporting as well as status- IN PROGRESS; COMPLETE by year end

Monitoring Division:

- 1. Install and launch HAPS ambient air monitoring trailer in San Jose- COMPLETE
- 2. Install and launch PAMS ambient air monitoring at NCore site- DELAYED indefinitely due to lack of funding

Vehicle Pollution Management Division:

- 1. Make progress on updating Part 100, including updating the Motor Vehicle Emissions Control City Ordinance- COMPLETE & IN PROGRESS
- 2. Submit the 2020 National Emissions Inventory Data for Bernalillo County to EPA due December 31, 2021 (due every 3-years)- COMPLETE

Control Strategies:

- 1. Prioritize local, outdated air quality regulations for the regulatory development process so that they can be proposed to the Board- COMPLETE
- 2. Implement Ozone Initiative, including Ozone Advance program (under EPA guidance) to address local ozone issues- COMPLETE & IN PROGRESS
- 3. Meet State Implementation Plan (SIP) deadlines as soon as possible- COMPLETE, except Regional Haze SIP which will be submitted to EPA with all western states.

Communication and outreach:

- 1. Complete major website update- COMPLETE
- 2. Initiate a county-wide listening and outreach effort, including development of a comprehensive stakeholder database, consistent and accessible AQP informational materials, attendance at existing neighborhood and other organization meetings, and summary documentation and analysis for recommendations to mitigate challenges between the Department and residents.- DELAYED DUE TO PANDEMIC
- 3. Develop a Public Involvement Handbook to provide clear guidance to the regulated community about the Department's requirements and expectations for public involvement- IN PROGRESS; COMPLETE by year end