



NEWS

DATE:
November 9, 2016

CONTACT: Ralph Borrmann
415.749.4900

MEDIA ADVISORY

Air District holding San Jose open house

Open house will showcase health risk reduction rule on facilities' toxic emissions

SAN FRANCISCO – The Bay Area Air Quality Management District is holding an open house in San Jose to present and get public input on draft Regulation 11, Rule 18 – Reduction of Risk from Air Toxic Emissions at Existing Facilities.

Rule 11-18 was proposed to ensure that emissions of toxic air contaminants, or TACs, from existing stationary facilities do not pose an additional health risk to people living and working nearby. Air District staff estimates that hundreds of facilities will be subject to the proposed rule.

The open house events are organized to offer an opportunity to learn about the air quality benefits of the proposal, ask questions and provide input into the planning process. A formal presentation as well as interactive displays will allow visitors to review materials in multiple formats.

The San Jose open house will take place on **Tuesday, November 15, 5:30 – 8:00 p.m.** at the following location:

Biblioteca Latinoamericana Public Library
Community Room
921 S. 1st Street
San Jose, CA

Interpretation will be available for visitors who primarily speak Spanish or Chinese upon request.

Para asistencia en español, llame al 415-749-4609.

如需华语服务·请致电 415-749-4609.

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (www.baaqmd.gov) is the regional agency responsible for protecting air quality in the nine-county Bay Area.

###