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AGENDA: 4

Discussion and Review of Draft Community Equity, Health & Justice Committee 2021 Work Plan

Community Equity, Health and Justice Committee
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Requested Board Action



- Action Requested: None; Informational Only
- Outcome: Update on the development of the Community Equity, Health, and Justice 2021 Work Plan

Outline



- Process for developing the plan
- Review of anticipated high-priority 2021 projects:
 - Assembly Bill (AB) 617
 - Community Advisory Council
 - Development of District-Wide Equity Plan
- Next Steps

Process for Developing the Plan



1. Introduce process and initial plan (today)

- Staff develops initial schedule with high priority items

2. Community Convening

- Co-Chairs meet with community advocates for open dialogue
- Discuss overall priorities
- Lay out two-year, high-level workplan

3. Finalize work plan (April meeting)

- Review proposed Calendar Year (CY) 2021 Committee Schedule and two-year workplan
- Reflects collaborative process between staff, Co-Chairs and community

Ongoing and Upcoming AB 617 Work



- **West Oakland**
 - West Oakland Community Action Plan Annual Report
- **Richmond-North Richmond-San Pablo**
 - Monitoring data
 - Progress/status updates
- **Upcoming AB 617 Work**
 - Pre-selection work in each high-priority community
 - Nominating a new community for an emission reduction and/or monitoring plan

Community Advisory Council



- The Committee will receive updates on the development of the Community Advisory Council, including:
 - Recruitment period
 - Review and selection of applicants
 - Member training
 - Next steps including administration of the Community Benefit Fund

Development of District-Wide Equity Plan



- The Committee will receive updates on the development of a district-wide equity plan including:
 - Development of project action plan sequencing to reflect scope and timeline of activities
 - Equity plan development to include collaborative process between staff, Committee Co-Chairs, and community environmental justice advocates throughout plan development
 - Next steps: Committee updates May/June timeframe

Transparent and Equitable Funding



- The Committee will receive updates on the Transparent and Equitable Funding project, including:
 - Distribution of Air District resources by community and race
 - Community funding opportunities
 - AB 617 budget and narrative
 - Recommendations for improved transparency and equity in funding

Feedback Requested/Prompt



None. Questions?