

Clean Air Action Plan Update



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Presentation Outline

- CAAP Background
 - Accomplishments to Date
- Updates to the CAAP
 - San Pedro Bay Standards
 - Measures
 - Emissions Benefits





What is the Clean Air Action Plan?

- Joint plan for POLA & POLB
- To reduce air quality impacts from port-related mobile sources over the next five years
- Developed in cooperation with USEPA, CARB, AQMD





Clean Air Action Plan Principles

- Minimize health risk
- Contribute "fair share" reductions in mass emissions
- Set consistent standards
- Allow port development to continue





Accomplishments

- CAAP Adopted in November 2006
- Clean Truck Program (HDV1)
 - Established in 2007
 - Compliance schedule phase-in
 - Clean trucks: 77% POLB, 84% POLA (Feb 2010)
- LNG on-road truck fueling station constructed and operational since early 2009 (HDV2)



Accomplishments (cont.)

- Technology Advancement Program (TAP)
 - Established in March 2007
 - As of early-2010, ports have provided \$5.4 million in funding







Accomplishments (cont.)

- Vessel Speed Reduction (OGV1)
 - Incentive programs expanded to 40nm from Point Fermin
 - 2010 Compliance:
 - POLB: 96% to 20 nm, 77% to 40 nm
 - POLA: 91% to 20 nm, 63% to 40 nm
- Vessel Engine Fuels (OGV3 & 4)
 - Port Fuel Incentive Program (7/08 6/09)
 - CARB vessel fuel rule effective 7/09



Vessel Speed Reduction





Accomplishments (cont.)

- Shorepower (OGV2)
 - POLA
 - 3 container berths completed
 - 2 cruise
 - 13 container berths to be completed by (January 1, 2014)
 - POLB
 - 1 container berth completed
 - 1 liquid bulk berth completed
 - 1 dry bulk terminal completed
 - Remaining Cruise & Containers Terminals by 2014



Accomplishments (cont.)

- Port switcher locomotives upgraded in 2008 to Tier 2 and Tier 3 gensets (RL1)
- Significant upgrades of harbor craft and cargo handling equipment (HC1, CHE1)





Progress Toward Achieving Original CAAP Goals 2011 goal:



2008 Port Contribution to the SCAB



Updates to the CAAP

- CAAP is a "living" document:
 - Review existing measures
 - Evaluate new measures and technologies
 - Incorporate new regulations
 - Incorporate new information



CAAP Update Highlights

- Development of San Pedro Bay Standards
 - Emissions Reduction Standards
 - Health Risk Reduction
 Standard
- Update measure implementation





San Pedro Bay Standards

- Provide long-term goals for cumulative port-related operations
 - Reduction in "fair-share" of emissions to enable the region to attain the 2014 and 2023 ambient air quality standards
 - Expeditious reduction in health risk from port-related mobile sources





Emissions Forecasting

- Developed an agreed upon methodology and results extensively reviewed with the TWG
- Utilized the ports' latest cargo forecast (2007)
- Included port CAAP commitments and currently adopted regulations as of July 2008
- Forecasted emissions to 2014 and 2023 and compared to 2005 baseline



Emissions Forecasting Results

- 2014 reductions compared to 2005
 - 72% less DPM
 - 19% less NOx
 - 93% less Sox
- 2023 reductions compared to 2005
 - 75% less DPM
 - 18% less NOx
 - 92% less SOx



Health Risk Assessment

- Developed an agreed upon protocol with the TWG
 - Consistent with ARB Exposure Study Methodology completed for ports in 2006, with updates
- HRA based upon spatially allocated 2005 baseline and 2020 forecast DPM emissions
- Comparison of 2020 to 2005 baseline



Health Risk Assessment Results





Health Risk Assessment Results





Proposed San Pedro Bay Standards

- Emissions Reduction Standards
 - By 2014, reduce emissions by:
 - 72% DPM
 - 22% NOx
 - 93% SOx
 - By 2023, reduce emissions by:
 - 77% DPM
 - 59% NOx
 - 92% SOx



Proposed San Pedro Bay Standards

- Health Risk Reduction Standard
 - By 2020, reduce the population-weighted residential cancer risk of port-related DPM emissions by 85%, in highly-impacted communities located proximate to port sources and throughout the residential areas in the port region





San Pedro Bay Standards Implementation

- The Standards will be achieved through:
 - Implementation of the strategies in the CAAP
 - In individual projects, all existing CAAP strategies and regulations will be included and any new and feasible measures beyond the CAAP
 - In updates to the CAAP, the ports will include new and feasible measures
 - Regulatory actions by the agencies to implement requirements to control specific source categories



New/Revised Measures in the CAAP

- Measure Enhancements
 - OGV5 Cleaner OGV Engines
 - OGV6 Vessel Technologies
 - RL2 Class 1 Operations
 - RL3 Near-dock Rail Yards
 - All measures have been updated to reflect actual implementation & latest planning





Thank you

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