

BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNITY EQUITY, HEALTH, AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE March 12, 2025

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Bay Area Metro Center 1st Floor Yerba Buena Room 375 Beale Street San Francisco, CA 94105

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COMMUNITY EQUITY, HEALTH, AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2025 1:00 PM

Chairperson, Noelia Corzo

1. Call to Order - Roll Call

The Committee Chair shall call the meeting to order and the Clerk of the Boards shall take roll of the Committee members.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

CONSENT CALENDAR (Item 3)

The Consent Calendar consists of routine items that may be approved together as a group by one action of the Committee. Any Committee member or member of the public may request that an item be removed and considered separately.

3. Approval of the Draft Minutes of the Community Equity, Health, and Justice Committee Meeting of February 19, 2025

The Committee will consider approving the Draft Minutes of the Community Equity, Health, and Justice Committee Meeting of February 19, 2025.

INFORMATIONAL ITEM(S)

4. Development of a Targeted Inspection Program & Policy

The Committee will discuss opportunities to integrate new strategies to prioritize inspections in overburdened and Assembly Bill (AB) 617 communities. Staff will share new approaches to review compliance trends, identify patterns of non-compliance, and utilize the knowledge of our regulatory partners and impacted communities to transform the current inspection program. This item will be presented by Dennis Quach, Air Quality Specialist, Compliance & Enforcement Division.

5. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Initiatives and Action Plan Update

The Committee will discuss an update on a two-year Equity Action Plan to further develop and refine internal programs, processes, and practices that advance diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives as part of the Air District's 2024-2029 Strategic Plan. This item will be presented by Tim Williams, Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.

OTHER BUSINESS

6. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Matters

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7. Committee Member Comments

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8. Report of the Deputy Executive Officer of Equity and Community Programs

9. Time and Place of Next Meeting

Wednesday, April 9, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. at 375 Beale Street, San Francisco, CA 94105. The meeting will be in-person for the Community Equity, Health, and Justice Committee members and members of the public will be able to either join in-person or via webcast.

10. Adjournment

The Committee meeting shall be adjourned by the Chair.

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