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MEETING OF THE STAFF WORKGROUP TO SUPPORT THE REGIONAL TARGETS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The California Air Resources Board's (ARB) Staff Workgroup to support the Regional Targets Advisory Committee (RTAC) will hold its first public meeting on February 19, 2009. The workgroup will prepare information that will be presented at the next RTAC meeting in response to questions raised by RTAC members at the February 3, 2009 meeting. The topics to be discussed include the current state of modeling among MPOs and current market trends for development in California.

Date/Time

February 19, 2009
1:30 p.m. –
5:00 p.m.

Public Workshop Location

Coastal Hearing Room, Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Agenda:

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/sb375/meetings/meetings.htm>

Background. Senate Bill 375 (SB 375), signed by the Governor last year requires the California Air Resources Board (ARB) to set regional targets for the purpose of reducing greenhouse gas emissions from passenger vehicles, for 2020 and 2035. On January 23, 2009, ARB appointed members to the RTAC created by the bill. RTAC is required to recommend factors to be considered and methodologies to be used for setting regional greenhouse gas reduction targets. The committee's recommendations are due to ARB by no later than September 30, 2009.

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For any questions regarding this meeting, please contact Jamesine Rogers of the State Implementation Plan and Local Government Strategies Section, at jrogers@arb.ca.gov call (916) 323-2722.

Sincerely,

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