



September 9, 2010

Doug Ito
Air Quality & Transportation Planning Branch
California Air Resources Board
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SUBJECT: Greenhouse Gas Emission Targets for the Monterey Bay Area

Dear Mr. Ito:

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments on August 23, 2010, staff recommended greenhouse gas emission targets of 0% reduction in GHGs by 2020 and by 2035 from 2005 per capita levels. The Board of Directors voted to recommend that CARB adopt the following greenhouse gas emission targets for the Monterey Bay Area, comprising Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties:

0% Increase in GHGs by 2020 from 2005 per capita levels

5% decrease in GHGs by 2035 from 2005 per capita levels

Please take these recommendations into consideration at the CARB Board meeting on September 23, 2010.

Sincerely,


John Doughty
Executive Director