

March 1, 2021

Via Email Read Receipt Requested

Ali Aghayan University of California - Santa Barbara Env. Health & Safety Bldg 565 Santa Barbara, CA 93106-5132

Re: Conditional Approval of Revised 2018 Air Toxics Emission Inventory Plan UCSB Air Toxics "Hot Spots" Information and Assessment Act (AB 2588)

Dear Mr. Aghayan:

The Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District (District) has reviewed your Air Toxics Emission Inventory Plan (ATEIP) for inventory year 2018 dated June 2020. Based on our review of this plan, the District conditionally approves the revised ATEIP subject to changes noted in the Attachment; the numbering corresponds to our letter dated May 11, 2020.

Please submit a final ATEIP, response letter and Air Toxics Emission Inventory Report (ATEIR) by September 1, 2021. In addition, for ease of review, please submit a Track Changes version of the final ATEIP that shows all changes from the revised submittal dated June 2020. See Section 3 of the District's Guidelines for Preparing Air Toxics Emission Inventory Plans and Reports (https://www.ourair.org/wpcontent/uploads/Guidelines-for-Preparing-ATEIPs-and-ATEIRs-in-Santa-Barbara-County.pdf) for a complete list of requirements for the ATEIR. Electronic copies of the final ATEIP, ATEIR and response letter should be sent via email to CobbsR@sbcapcd.org.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at CobbsR@sbcapcd.org.

Sincerely,

Robin Cobbs

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Engineering Division

UCSB SSID 02795 Project File cc:

UCSB SSID 02795 Toxics File

Toxics Group Engr Chron File

Attachment: ATEIP Conditional Approval Items

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UCSB 2018 ATEIP Conditional Approval Items

- 1. <u>Review Process</u>. No further action required.
- 2. <u>Correlating Devices</u>. The District is working with your consultant, Adam Poll of Dudek, to resolve issues with correlating devices and source parameters, which may be completed during the ATEIR process.
- 3. <u>Hot Water Heaters, Furnaces, Kilns, Cooktops, and Boiler (Section 2.1)</u>. The District is working with your consultant, Adam Poll of Dudek, to resolve issues with source parameters, including use of source test data, which may be completed during the ATEIR process.
- 4. <u>Detection Limit (Section 2.1)</u>. No further action required.
- 5. Diesel-Fired Generators (Section 2.2.1). No further action required.
- 6. <u>Natural Gas- and Propane-Fired Generators (Section 2.2.2)</u>. Address the remaining items:
 - a. No further action required.
 - b. The polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) emission factor from the District's <u>Approved</u> <u>Emission Factors for Toxic Air Contaminants</u> toxics profile for 4 Stroke-Rich Burn IC-Stationary and Portable: Natural Gas Combustion for your natural gas-fired generators was omitted from the ATEIP. Please add the PAHs (excluding naphthalene) emission factor of 0.1438 lb/MMscf.
 - c. Address the remaining propane gas-fired generator issues:
 - i. On page 12 of the ATEIP, the hourly emission equation for the propane fired generator is labeled as the equation for the natural gas fired generators. Correct the ATEIP accordingly.
 - ii. The PAHs emission factor from the District's <u>Approved Emission Factors for Toxic Air</u> <u>Contaminants</u> toxics profile for IC-Stationary and Portable: LPG, Butane, or Propane 4 Stroke-Rich Burn for UCSB's propane fired generators was omitted from the ATEIP. Please add the PAHs (excluding naphthalene) emission factor of 0.0129 lb/1000 gal.
- 7. Generator Load (Appendix G). No further action required for the ATEIP.
- 8. Gasoline-Fired Generators (Section 2.2.3). No further action required.
- 9. Laboratory Processes (Section 2.3). No further action required.
- 10. ROC Emission Factors for Fuel Storage and Transfer (Section 2.4).
 - a. Address the remaining comments on reactive organic compound (ROC) emission factors for gasoline dispensing facilities (GDFs):
 - i. The ROC emission factors for the GDFs should be based on the District's current emission factors, as described in the memo dated November 18, 2019 regarding <u>GDF Emission Factors</u> for Phase I EVR and Phase II EVR. As shown below, Table 4 of this memo lists the Phase I breathing emission factor for aboveground tank as 2.100 lb ROC/1000 gal, not 1.0 lb ROC/1000 gal as shown in Table 12 of the ATEIP. Update Table 12 accordingly.

| | Table 4. RO | C GDF Emission | Factors for A | boveground S | Storage Tanks | S . |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Aboveground Tanks | Loading (lb/1000 gal) | Breathing (lb/1000 gal) | Refueling (lb/1000 gal) | Spillage (lb/1000 gal) | Hose Permeation |
| ı | No Control | 8.400 | 2.100 | 8.400 | 0.610 | D. M. CH |
| ı | Phase I only | 0.420 | 2.100 | 8.400 | 0.610 | By No. of Hoses & Hose Type – |
| ı | Phase I and II w/o Vent Valve | 0.420 | 2.100 | 0.420 | 0.420 | See Table 3 |
| | Phase I and II w/Vent Valve | 0.420 | 0.525 | 0.420 | 0.420 | See Table 5 |

ii. Update the ATEIP to include emissions from hose permeation. The hose permeation emission factors from Table 3 of the November 18, 2019 memo regarding *GDF Emission Factors for Phase I EVR and Phase II EVR* are shown below.

| Table 3. Hose Perme | eation Emission Factors | |
|---|--|---|
| System Type | ROC Emission Factor (lb/day-per hose) | ROC Emission Factor (lb/year-per hose) |
| Conventional, Assist Uncontrolled (Pre-EVR) | 0.030 | 10.98 |
| Assist Controlled (EVR for both Phase I and II) | 0.001 | 0.47 |
| Balance (All Balance System Types) | 0.010 | 3.74 |

b-c. No further action required.

- 11. <u>Hazardous Waste Collection Center (Section 2.5)</u>. Address the remaining comment below regarding the Hazardous Waste Collection Center (HWCC):
 - a. No further action required.
 - b. The maximum hourly emissions equation for breathing loss on page 27 of the ATEIP should be divided by T, the number of operating days per year. Update the equation accordingly.
 - c. No further action required.
- 12. Paint and Coating Operations (Section 2.6).
 - a. Address the following remaining comments regarding Safety Data Sheets (SDSs):
 - i. Some of the SDSs list mixtures (e.g., petroleum distillates) instead of listing each individual toxic air contaminant (TAC). CARB's *Emission Inventory Criteria and Guidelines* requires that each listed TAC is individually reported. However, the District may not require reporting each individual TAC if the specific product usage is low. The District will notify you during the ATEIR review if individual TAC reporting of mixtures is required. **No further action required for ATEIP.**
 - ii. The SDS on pages 102 and 103 of the file, *Appendix H.pdf*, is illegible. Based on the sequence of products, it appears that the SDS is for Dunn Edward's Waterborne Latex Coatings. Please submit a legible copy of the SDS.
 - iii. In the ATEIR, for ease of review, please include both the product name as listed on the SDS and the name as shown in the 2018 Semi-Annual Compliance Verification Reports. **No further action required for ATEIP.**

b-c. No further action required.

- 13. <u>Safety Data Sheets Assignment (Appendix H)</u>. No further action required.
- 14. Safety Data Sheets Weight Fraction Range. No further action required.

- 15. Missing Devices. Address the remaining items:
 - a-b. The District is working with your consultant, Adam Poll of Dudek, to resolve issues with correlating devices and source parameters, which may be completed during the ATEIR process.
 - c. No further action required.
 - d. UCSB's 2019 2nd Semi-Annual Compliance Verification Report notes that the fuel meter was broken throughout 2019 for DID 393027. In addition, a tune up report from 2018 indicates that DID 393027 operated in 2018. UCSB's 2018 2nd Semi-Annual Compliance Verification Report indicates that the boiler began operations on November 15, 2018. Since gas usage records are not available for this boiler in 2018, the District recommends using the same assumptions that are used for other UCSB boilers without a fuel meter (e.g., the gas for the building will be apportioned to the boiler based on boiler capacity or building operating conditions). Update the ATEIP accordingly.

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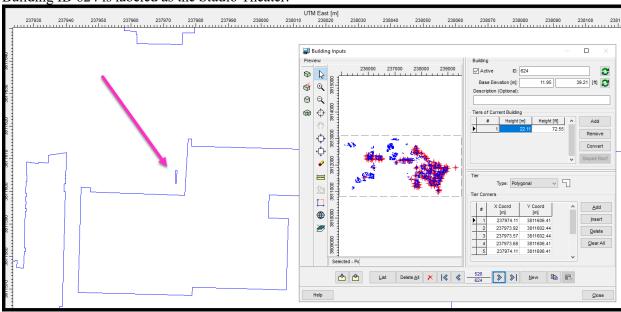
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- 16. <u>Variable Emissions (Appendix C)</u>. No further action required.
- 17. Device Schedule (Appendix C). Address each comment below regarding the Device Schedule:
 - a-b. No further action required.
 - c. Section 2.5 of the ATEIP states that the HWCC operates for 348 days/year while the tab, *Device Schedule* of Appendix C shows the HWCC operates 3650 hr/yr (i.e., 365 day/yr * 10 hr/day). Please correct this discrepancy.
- 18. Property Boundary Receptors (Appendix C). No further action required.
- 19. Worker Receptors (Appendix C). Based on the UTM coordinates provided, it appears that the Isla Vista Foot Patrol (IVFP) is located within the UCSB property boundary. Worker receptors must be placed at the IVFP since workers not employed by UCSB are present (e.g., employees of Santa Barbara County Sherriff's Office). Please revise Appendix C to add worker receptors at IVFP.
- 20. <u>Receptor Table (Appendix C)</u>. Address the remaining items on the *Receptor Table* tab of Appendix C.

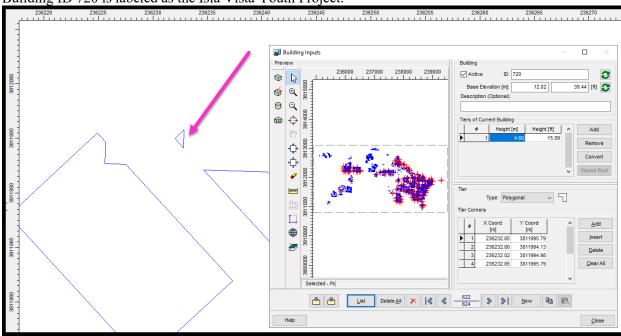
- a. The *Receptor Table* tab of Appendix C included 11,576 receptors labeled as "Residential" and an additional 280 receptors labeled as "Residentia". It appears that many of these receptors are grid receptors and not at actual residential locations. Please revise the *Receptor Table* tab to correctly label residential receptors.
- b. Isla Vista Elementary School was not included as a sensitive receptor. Due to the close proximity and large campus, multiple receptors must be place at Isla Vista Elementary School. Update the *Receptor Table* tab accordingly.
- c. Only one receptor was placed at Friendship Manor, a large area of senior housing units. Since a residential grid will be placed over that area, no additional receptors will be required at this time. If there is an elevated risk at one of the gridded receptors or the single receptor placed at Friendship Manor, then additional receptors may be required. No further action is required for the ATEIP.
- 21. Onsite Receptors (Appendix C). Address the remaining comments:
 - a. All onsite residential receptors must be labeled (e.g., Anacapa Residence Hall) in the *Receptor Table* tab of Appendix C. The following onsite UCSB residences were not included as labeled receptors.
 - i. Storke
 - ii. West Campus
 - iii. West Campus Point
 - iv. Ocean Walk at North Campus
 - v. El Dorado
 - vi. San Joaquin Villages
 - vii. Santa Ynez
 - viii. Tropicana Villas
 - ix. Westgate
 - x. Santa Catalina
 - xi. Tropicana Gardens
 - b. Include worker receptors at the IVFP, as noted in Comment No. 19.
 - c. Only one receptor was placed at the University Children's Center (UCC). Additional receptors may be required if the initial HRA shows an elevated risk at the UCC receptor. **No further action is required for the ATEIP.**
 - d. Fine grid receptors covering most of UCSB were included in Appendix C. However, there are a few areas without a fine grid, including the San Clemente Villages and much of the West Campus and North Campus areas. Acute onsite receptors with a grid spacing no greater than 25 meters must be placed over any area accessible to the public. Onsite receptors are not required in fenced and gated areas that prohibit public access. Update the *Receptor Table* tab of Appendix C to include acute onsite receptors with a grid spacing no greater than 25 meters at all areas accessible to the public. If there are areas where onsite receptors are intentionally excluded, provide a map or aerial photo that highlights the portions where public access is prohibited due to fences and gates.
- 22. <u>AREAPOLY Sources for Natural Gas Wall Heaters (Appendix C)</u>. Thank you for revising the AREAPOLY sources. While the shape and size of the buildings are appropriate, please address the following:

- a. Source ID 487, Storke Campus Water and Wall Heater, is located at the West Campus Point Faculty Housing. Please correct the location of Source ID 487 in the *Source Parameters* tab of Appendix C.
- b. It appears that natural gas water heaters and wall heaters at the West Campus Point Faculty Housing and the Ocean Walk Faculty Housing were not included in the ATEIP because these housing units are individually owned. Please confirm that this is the reason for omitting these heaters in the ATEIP. In addition, add a clarifying note in the ATEIP that natural gas water heaters and wall heaters at the West Campus Point Faculty Housing and the Ocean Walk Faculty Housing were not added as emitting sources since these homes are individually owned.
- c. Please clarify why there are AREAPOLY sources with identical UTM coordinates and shape, but different release heights. For example, Source 504, Storke Campus Water and Wall Heater, and Source 276, NG WATER HEATER, are identical except for the release height. Revise as necessary.
- 23. <u>AREAPOLY Source Emission Rate (Appendix C)</u>. The emission rates for several AREAPOLY sources were not set at the unit emission rate of 1 g/s divided by area as shown below. Correct the emission rates to 1 g/s divided by the area of the following AREAPOLY sources.
 - a. Source 246, NG WATER HEATER, was set at 1.1167 g/s.
 - b. Source 250, NG WATER HEATER, was set at 1.1057 g/s.
 - c. Source 254, NG WATER HEATER, was set at 1.1218 g/s.
 - d. Source 255, NG WATER HEATER, was set at 1.3021 g/s.
 - e. Source 293, NG WATER HEATER, was set at 1.2527 g/s.
 - f. Source 328, NG WALL HEATER, was set at 3135.2 g/s.
 - g. Source 329, NG WALL HEATER, was set at 1589.8 g/s.
- 24. 8-hr Chronic Non-Cancer Risk (Appendix C). No further action required.
- 25. 8-hr Chronic Non-Cancer Risk Method (Appendix C). No further action required.
- 26. Chicken Pathway (Appendix C). No further action required.
- 27. <u>DEM Files (Appendix C)</u>. Thank you for providing the names of the DEM quads. However, the DEM files were not included in this submittal. Please submit the DEM files.
- 28. Elevations (Appendix C). No further action required.
- 29. <u>Building Name and Numbers (Appendix C)</u>. Several building height discrepancies were found between the 2008 ATEIP data and the 2018 ATEIP data, as Robin Cobbs noted to Adam Poll by email on January 14, 2021. Building height revisions were provided for the buildings present in 2008 in the January 15, 2021 email from Adam Poll of Dudek regarding Building Height Discrepancies UCSB's 2018 ATEIP. Please note that the District did not review the heights of the newer buildings as confirmation data is not readily available. However, if obvious building height discrepancies are found during the HRA or ATEIR process, the District will notify you of the required revisions. **No further action required for ATEIP.**
- 30. <u>Building Shape (Appendix C)</u>. It appears there may be an error in the shape or size of three buildings listed below. See the screenshots below and revise the buildings' UTM coordinates in Appendix C as necessary.

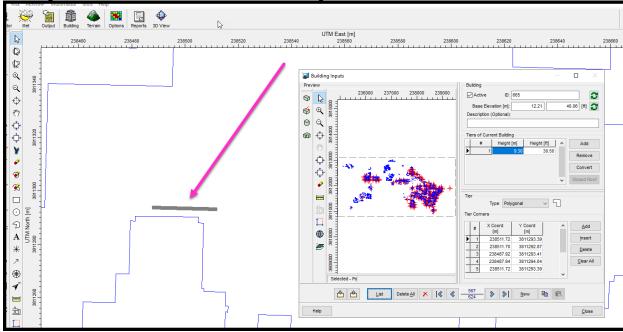
a. Building ID 624 is labeled as the Studio Theater.



b. Building ID 720 is labeled as the Isla Vista Youth Project.



c. Building ID 665 is labeled as the De La Guerra Dining Commons.



31. <u>Identical Release Parameters for Natural Gas Boilers (Appendix C)</u>. No further action required.