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Smoke Management Program Development Stakeholder Process

The Smoke Management Program was developed through a facilitated stakeholder process over a six-month period. The stakeholder process involved representatives from federal, state and municipal land management agencies, other local government agencies, agriculture, tribes, neighboring states, private landownership, environmental groups and other interested parties.

The Smoke Management Program was drafted by a Working Team of a dozen stakeholder representatives with direct technical expertise or working knowledge of burning and/or smoke management on air impacts from smoke. This group, in conjunction with AQB staff, held seven meetings during which they reviewed background material, discussed and decided on issues, and developed products to be sent out for review.

The Working Team's products were reviewed by a larger group of stakeholder representatives, the Representative Review and Input Team. This group met three times to give input to the Working Team, in addition to providing detailed written and verbal comments to the Working Team throughout the Smoke Management Program development process.

When the Review Team provided consensus approval on the Smoke Management Program document, as well as the major elements of the Smoke Management Regulation, both documents were then reviewed by the Regional Haze Stakeholder group. This group provided official written comments that were used to further revise the Smoke Management Program and the Smoke Management Regulation, which were then presented for public comment, and finally reviewed and approved by the Environmental Improvement Board and became effective on December 31, 2003.

The Smoke Management Program will be reviewed each year by the AQB and stakeholder representatives.

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