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Dear CSC members,

Please find the additional documents for tomorrow's meeting attached:

- Spanish translation of the presentation;
- Spanish translation of the DRAFT Focused List of Actions to Address Air Quality Priorities with the two DRAFT action examples;

The meeting summary in English from CSC meeting #5 (April 18th, 2019) has been uploaded on the website: <https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ab-617-ab-134/steering-committees/san-bernardino/meeting-summary-april18-2019.pdf?sfvrsn=8>

In addition, we wanted to forward the following notification from the California Air Resources Board (CARB) about the "Community Air Grants Draft Guidelines and Workshop" for your consideration. The application period is currently not open; however, we encourage everyone to review the guidelines and to apply when the period opens. The Community Air Grants provide funds for projects in the community to advance and support the AB 617 process and to further reduce emissions.

- Your AB 617 team

Estimados miembros del comité,

Aquí les mandamos estos documentos adicionales para la reunión de mañana:

- *Traducción de la presentación al español;*
- *Traducción al español del BORRADOR de la Lista Enfocada de Acciones para Abordar las Prioridades de Calidad del Aire con dos ejemplos, también BORRADORES;*
- *Resumen de las notas de la 5ª reunión en inglés.*

El resumen en inglés de la 5ª reunión del comité (18 de abril del 2019) ha sido subido en la página web: <https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/ab-617-ab-134/steering-committees/san-bernardino/meeting-summary-april18-2019.pdf?sfvrsn=8>

También queríamos enviarles la siguiente notificación de la Junta de Recursos del Aire de California (CARB) sobre las "Guías de las Subvenciones del Aire en la Comunidad" para su consideración. El período de aplicación no está abierto actualmente; sin embargo, animamos a todos a que revisen las pautas y apliquen cuando se abra el período. Las Subvenciones del Aire en la Comunidad proporcionan fondos para proyectos en la comunidad para avanzar y respaldar el proceso de AB 617 para reducir aún más las emisiones.

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May 14, 2019

Community Air Grants Draft Guidelines and Workshop Notice

En Español

Today the California Air Resources Board (CARB) announced the release for public comment of its draft guidelines for the Community Air Grants Program (Air Grants Program). The Air Grants Program is a part of CARB's overall efforts to implement Assembly Bill 617.

AB 617 established a community-based framework to improve air quality and reduce exposure to toxic air pollutants in California communities most impacted by air pollution. As an initial step toward building the capacity of California communities to participate in the implementation of AB 617, CARB developed the Air Grants Program.

The grants will fund projects that allow eligible applicants to participate in the AB 617 process and to build their own capacities to become active partners with government to help identify, evaluate, and ultimately reduce exposure to harmful air emissions in their communities. Grants will be awarded on a competitive basis.

This is only a draft and CARB is requesting your comments on this draft. After the end of the comment period, CARB will release a final version of the guidelines and a subsequent email will announce the date of publication of the final guidelines.

The public comment period begins May 14, 2019 and ends at 5:00 p.m. on May 29, 2019. Electronic comments may be [submitted](#) starting on May 14, 2019.

CARB is also hosting a workshop, at the location and date shown below, to provide information and solicit feedback on the draft guidelines. Prior to the workshop, a [presentation](#) will be posted.

DATE: May 24, 2019
TIME: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
LOCATION: California Environmental Protection Agency
California Air Resources Board | Byron Sher Auditorium
1001 I Street Sacramento, California 95814

A [webcast](#) of this workshop will be available. Questions and comments may be emailed to AirGrants@arb.ca.gov during the workshop.

The Air Grants Program is part of [California Climate Investments](#), a statewide initiative that puts billions of cap-and-trade dollars to work, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, strengthening the economy, and improving public health and the environment – particularly in disadvantaged communities.

\$1.9 billion of the \$3.4 billion in cumulative California Climate Investments made through 2018 are benefiting disadvantaged communities, low-income communities, and low-income households. Projects include affordable housing, renewable energy, public transportation, zero-emission vehicles, environmental restoration, more sustainable agriculture, recycling and much more.

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