

## Faye Thomas

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**From:** Brianna Dodson [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 25, 2024 5:04 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Brianna, and I am a community member deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Sincerely,  
Brianna

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**From:** Sharon Lautner-Iglesias [REDACTED]  
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Sincerely,  
Sharon Paiz

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**From:** Erick Aguinaldo [REDACTED] >  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 8:48 AM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Erick Aguinaldo, and I am a community member deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Sincerely,

**Erick R. Aguinaldo, M.S.** ([él/he](#))

PhD Candidate

Department of Psychology and Women's & Gender Studies

University of Michigan

*"I can't believe what you say, because I see what you do." - James Baldwin*

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 29, 2024 10:36 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Karla Cervantes, and I am a community member deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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**From:** Franco Pacheco <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 29, 2024 10:23 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Franco Pacheco with Inland Valley Alliance and I am a community member deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Regards,  
Franco Pacheco

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Johnny Ramos [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 2:32 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

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Sincerely,  
Juan Ramos

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**From:** Stacey Ramos [REDACTED] >  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 2:17 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Stacey Ramos, and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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**From:** patconnec [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 4:30 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Patricia Foley and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Sincerely,  
Patricia Foley

Sent from my iPhone



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**From:** Lorraine Enriquez [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 3:08 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

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Sincerely,

Lorraine Enriquez

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**From:** Sarah Gardam-Thomas <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 3:05 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Sarah, and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Sarah Gardam-Thomas

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**From:** D Mejia <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 3:03 PM  
**To:** COB  
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Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Damian Mejia and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Damian

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Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is Joshua, and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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Joshua

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** James Albert <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 2:54 PM  
**To:** COB  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Urgent Action Needed: Support PR 2306 for Cleaner Air and Healthier Communities

Dear Chair Delgado and Members of the Governing Board,

My name is James Albert and I represent the Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCA EJ). Our community is deeply affected by the air quality issues caused by nearby railyards. I urge the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Governing Board to adopt the Railyard Indirect Source Review (ISR) Rule (PR 2306) today.

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James Albert  
San Bernardino, CA

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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 30, 2024 2:39 PM  
**To:** COB  
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Mari C

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All of our children deserve to breathe clean air. Please do the right thing.

Sincerely,  
Jo Ann Bollen

Jo Ann Bollen (She/Her/Hers)  
Field Team 6 Coach and Trainer  
([helpmydrive@fieldteam6.org](mailto:helpmydrive@fieldteam6.org))  
President, Democrats of the Morongo Basin  
Member, San Bernardino County Democratic Central Committee

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