

AGENDA

The seventh meeting of the Joint Advisory Committee for the Improvement of Air Quality in the Ciudad Juárez, Chihuahua, El Paso, Texas, and Doña Ana County, New Mexico Air Basin

DATE: Thursday 14 May, 1998
PLACE: El Paso City-County Health & Environmental District
TIME: 11:00 am - (Mountain Time)
ADDRESS: 1148 Airway Blvd
El Paso, TX

1. Welcome and introduction. JAC Federal Representatives
2. Presentation and approval of current agenda JAC Members & General Public
3. Approval of minutes of the 19 February meeting
4. Consent Agenda (Short **2-3 Minute** Updates)

Announcement of New JAC Member

Bill Luthans

The U.S. Delegation will introduce the new appointment to the JAC filling a vacancy for the City of El Paso.

Announcement of the Mexican Administrative Liaison

Ing. Luis Raul Cordova

The Mexican Co-Chair will introduce the person who will be in charge of the Position of Administrative Liaison.

Announcement of the dimission of Dr. Hector Quevedo

Dr. Victor Hugo Paramo

The Mexican Co-Chair will announce the dimission of Dr. Quevedo to the JAC and announce the call for candidates to fill the vacancy.

Air Quality Report

Ing. Oscar Ibañez
Jesus Reynoso

JAC members will report latest data on air quality.

Report from Air Work Group Meeting

Dr. Victor Hugo Páramo

The Co-Chairs will present a letter from the Air Work Group (AWG) to the JAC responding to issues brought to the AWG. The letter discusses vehicle importation, oxy-fuels for Juárez, and Supplemental Environmental Projects (SEPs)

Report on Oxygenated Gas Initiative for Cd. Juarez

Dr. Victor Hugo Páramo

Action item to be determined based on letter from the AWG.

Report on Vehicle Importation Requirements

Dr. Victor Hugo Páramo

Action item to be determined based on letter from the AWG.

Cd. Juárez Air Quality Improvement Plan

Dr. Victor Hugo Páramo

Mexican delegation will inform the JAC on an initiative to present air quality information for Cd. Juárez. (Tentative)

Dedicated Commuter Lane Initiative

Danny Vickers

Update on progress to improve vehicle crossing times between El Paso and Juárez.

AIRNET

Dr. Octavio Chavez

Update on a List-server for Internet communication on air quality issues for the Paso del Norte Region.

5. Regular Agenda (10-15 minute presentations w/ discussion)

Jesus Reynoso - EPCCHED

El Paso Inspection/Maintenance Program

Update on I/M program for El Paso

Ing. Oscar Ibañez - Ecologia de
Cd. Juárez

Cd. Juarez Emissions Verification Program

Discussion regarding current state of Cd. Juárez vehicle emissions verification program.

Update on Supplemental Environmental Projects Workshop

Matthew Witosky

Draft Strategic Plan

Discussion on development of a strategic plan for the JAC.

Ing. Luis Raul Cordova
SEMARNAP

Paso del Norte Ozone Visualization Project

Report on technology being introduced for viewing formation and movement of ozone throughout the airshed.

Bob Gray, UTEP - IM³

6. Observations and Comments from the Public

Dr. Victor Hugo Paramo

7. Establishment of date for next meeting

Mexican Federal Co-Chair

8. Adjournment

JAC Members