

**To:** Northern Sierra Air Quality Management District Board of Directors

**From:** Tasha Coleman, APCS II

**Date:** August 25, 2025

**Agenda Item Number:** VI.C

**Description:** Permitting Information – Quarter 2

**Permit to Operate/Authority to Construct/Air Pollution Permit:**

| Month        | Renewed Stationary Sources | New Stationary Engines | Open Burning (Residents) | Open Burning (Ranger Districts) | Notice to Comply |
|--------------|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| April        | 5                          | 0                      |                          |                                 | NTC – 4 VR       |
| May          | 3                          | 2                      |                          |                                 | NTC – 8 VR       |
| June         | 1                          | 2                      |                          |                                 | NTC – 1 VR       |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>9</b>                   | <b>4</b>               |                          |                                 | <b>13</b>        |

| Types of Permits                              | 2025-2026 Active Permit | Permits Discontinued |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Stationary Sources                            | 27                      | 1                    |
| Stationary Engines                            | 225                     | 5                    |
| Vapor Recovery – Gasoline Dispensing Facility | TBD                     | TBD                  |

Permits allow the District to specify operating conditions consistent with our countywide clean air strategy and state air toxics requirements. The District has multiple permits to process to help control any device that may be a source of air contaminants or is intended to control or mitigate those air contaminants.

**Emission Inventory:** In-progress.

Inventory data helps identify what is being emitted into the air, by who, and where; Emissions inventory data helps to understand the sources of emissions that may contribute to adverse health risks or other impacts at the local, regional, and statewide level. CARB's "[Regulation for the Reporting of Criteria Air Pollutants and Toxic Air Contaminants](#)" (or CTR), Phase 1, Group B started this year for the District. CTR supports the mandates of AB 617, AB 197, and AB 2588 and annual reporting of criteria air pollutant and toxic air contaminant emissions data from facilities.

**2025 Hot Spots Report:** In-progress

Assembly Bill (AB) 2588 (Connelly), the Air Toxics "Hot Spots" Information and Assessment Act, requires the Districts to prioritize facilities to determine which facilities must perform a health risk assessment. These facilities, for purposes of risk assessment, are ranked into high, intermediate, and low priority categories. Each district is responsible for establishing the [prioritization score threshold](#) at which facilities are required to prepare a health risk assessment.

**Requested Action:**

None, informational only