

Assembly Natural Resources Committee Oversight Hearing March 18, 2019

Implementation of Assembly Bill 617 in the South Sacramento – Florin Community

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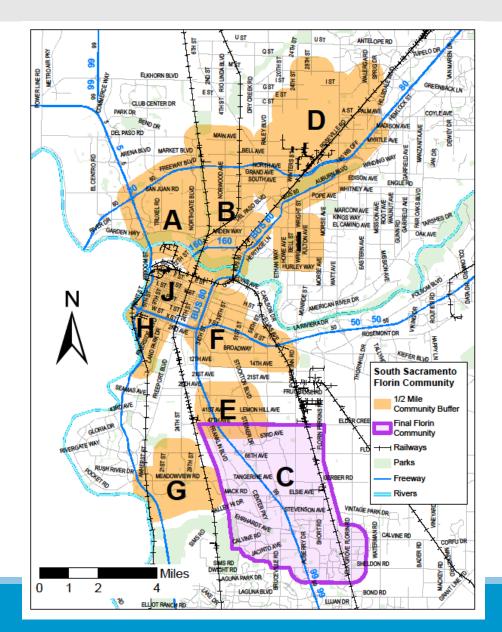
Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District

Priority Communities in Sacramento County

Top Ten Priority Communities Identified in Sacramento County

Considerations:

- Comprehensive analysis of multiple pollution impact indicators
- CalEnviroScreen air pollution indicators
- Socio-economic considerations
- Proximity of schools, hospitals, parks to emission sources
- Community Health Needs Assessment
- Toxics screening performed by CARB

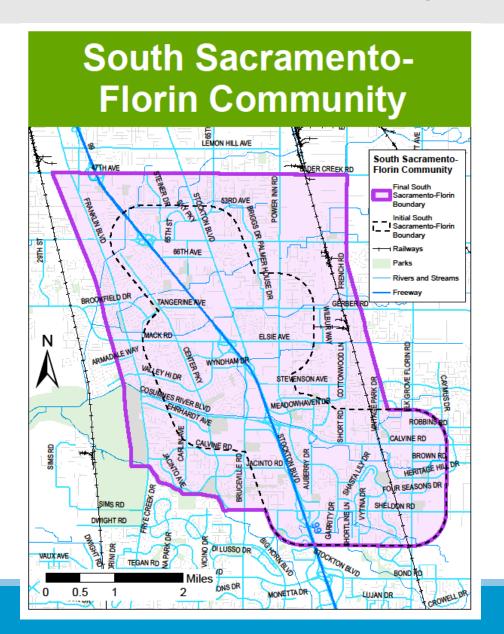




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- Final boundary approved by community steering committee
- Includes areas designated as disadvantaged communities
- Major impacts from freeways and major roadways
- Numerous schools, parks and hospitals
- Most significant pollution source mobile truck, car, and locomotive emissions
- Impacts from and on businesses





Working with our Community

Objective:

- High community interest
- Robust engagement and feedback from the community at large (residents, businesses, civil society, etc.)
- Provide information to the committee as requested to help inform decisions
- Develop monitoring plans that provides information to inform change
- Achieve tangible emission reductions that directly benefit the community

Challenges:

- Aggressive timelines established in AB617
 - Need for information so District and steering committee can make informed decisions
 - Time to procure and install monitoring equipment
- Ongoing resources
 - Resource commitment required to meet expectations of existing work and meet the expectation of adding additional communities in the future
 - Incentive funding for emission reductions



Meet South Sacramento-Florin Community

South Sacramento-Florin Community Representatives:

Chair and Vice Chair of our Steering Committee

Mr. Bill Knowlton, Mack Road Partnership

Ms. Patricia Shelby, community resident



