

Region 4 Air Permitting Workshop

July 23-25, 2024

Atlanta, GA

The Embassy Suites by Hilton Atlanta Buckhead, 3285 Peachtree Rd. NE, Atlanta, GA 30305

The Chastain Ballroom

AGENDA

Tuesday, July 23, 2024		
10:00 a.m.	State and Local Agencies Morning Discussion	
11:30 a.m.	LUNCH (on your own)	
1:00 p.m.	Welcome and Introductions	
Session 1A	- Denisse Diaz, EPA Region 4, Air and Radiation (ARD) Division Director	
	- Greg DeAngelo, Executive Director, Metro 4 / SESARM	
1:15 p.m.	EPA National and Regional Perspectives	
Session 1B	- Lynorae Benjamin, EPA Region 4, Acting ARD Deputy	
1:45 p.m.	Summary of State and Local Agencies' Morning Discussions	
Session 1C	- Greg DeAngelo, Executive Director, Metro 4 / SESARM	
2:00 p.m.	Legal Updates	
Session 1D	- EPA Region 4, Office of Regional Counsel	
2:30 p.m.	BREAK	
2:45 p.m.	Evolving PSD Modeling Issues – PM _{2.5} NAAQS Implementation	
Session 1E	- Rick Gillam and Chris Howard, EPA Region 4, Air Data and Analysis Section	
3:15 p.m.	New Source Review Implementation Updates	
Session 1F	- Dave Svendsgaard, EPA, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS)	
4:00 p.m.	ADJOURN	
Evening	Optional Group Activity – Embassy Suites Evening Reception	

Wednesday, July 24, 2024		
8:30 a.m.	Day 2 Welcome; Day 1 Recap and Follow-up	
Session 2A	- Brad Akers, EPA Region 4, Air Permits Section (APS)	
8:45 a.m.	Operating Permitting Program Implementation Updates	
Session 2B	- Matt Spangler, EPA, OAQPS	
9:15 a.m.	Permit Processing with Resource Constraints	
Session 2C	- Katherine Stephens, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)	
9:45 a.m.	BREAK	
10:15 a.m.	Florida Division of Air Resource Management's Permitting Process	
Session 2D	- David Read, Florida Department of Environmental Protection	
10:45 a.m.	Diversification of Title V Permit Fees	
Session 2E	- Jimmy Johnston, TDEC	
	- Dave Matos, Georgia Environmental Protection Division	
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1:00 p.m.	Environmental Justice in Permitting	
Session 2F	- Matt King, Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control District	
	- Mark Cuilla, North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality	
	- Jonathan Yoon and Neha Sareen, EPA Region 2, Air Permitting Section	
2:15 p.m.	BREAK	
2:30 p.m.	Title V Petition Trends	
Session 2G	- Wes Thornhill, Alabama Department of Environmental Management	
	- Steve McCaslin, South Carolina Department of Environmental Services	
	- Matt Spangler, EPA, OAQPS	
3:30 p.m.	Breakout Meeting (States and Locals Meet with R4 Contacts)	
Session 2H		
4:30 p.m.	ADJOURN	
Evening	Optional Group Activity – Fado Irish Pub Buckhead (5:30 PM)	

Thursday, July 25, 2024		
8:30 a.m.	Day 3 Welcome; Day 2 Recap and Follow-up	
Session 3A	- Lori Shepherd, EPA Region 4, APS	
8:45 a.m.	Emerging Contaminants Update – PFAS and Cumulative Impacts	
Session 3B	- Aaryn Jones, EPA Region 4, Environmental Justice, Children's Health, and	
	Environmental Review Division	
9:15 a.m.	Pyrolysis and Plastics Recycling	
Session 3C	- Bridget Anderson, EPA, Office of Policy	
9:45 a.m.	Wood Pellet Production Facilities and Case-by-Case MACT	
Session 3D	- Jake Carpenter, EPA Region 4, Regulatory and Communities Air Toxics Section (RCATS)	
	- Kathleen Weil, EPA Region 4, APS	
10:30 a.m.	BREAK	
10:45 a.m.	Stationary Source Topics and Rule Updates	
Session 3E	- Ryan Brown and Tracy Watson, EPA Region 4, RCATS	
11:45 a.m.	Meeting Wrap-Up and Next Steps	
Session 3F		
12:00 p.m.	ADJOURN	