



Arvin-Lamont Community Enforcement Update **Second Quarter 2024**

Covering enforcement activities in the community from 4/1/2024 through 6/30/2024:

Fugitive Dust – District Regulation VIII

- CERP commitment: One targeted enforcement effort during the 2nd (April – June) and 3rd (July – September) quarters, which tend to be the driest times of the year and most likely to have issues with fugitive dust from earthmoving activities
- No public complaints received
- No violations of Regulation VIII observed

Statewide Anti-Idling Enforcement

- CERP commitment: One targeted enforcement effort every quarter
- No violations of CARB's truck and bus regulation observed

Stationary Source Inspections

- CERP commitment: Increased inspection frequency at facilities with emission violations in the last 3 years
- 32 total stationary source inspections (27 compliance inspections, 4 follow-up inspections, 1 breakdown/deviation investigation)

Enforcement Action Summary

- Stationary Source: 9 violation notices issued (1 procedural/administrative, 8 emissions related); 3 notices to comply issued (3 procedural/administrative)
- Non-stationary Source: 3 violation notices issued (1 procedural/administrative, 2 emissions related)

Public Complaints

- 5 total public complaints responded to in the community
 - 1 odor
 - 2 agricultural burns
 - 2 open burns
- No violation notices issued
- Complaints can be reported to the District by:
 - Telephone: (800) 870-1037
 - District website: www.valleyair.org
 - Through the District mobile app (Valley Air app)

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Summary of Violations Found

Date	Type	Violation #	Issued To	Facility ID	Location	Description	Rules
04/04/24	NOV	5032888	Kern Energy	S-37	Panama Ln & Weedpatch Hwy, Bakersfield	i. failure to source test within 60 days of startup ii. failure to certify CEMS unit	2010 (Permits Required) 2201 (New and Modified Stationary Source Review Rule) 2520 (Federally Mandated Operating Permits)
04/15/24	NOV	5032929	Griffin Resources Llc	S-8312	Light Oil Central, Bakersfield	COGR Violations discovered: (1) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on Separator Valve. (2) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on Separator Valve. (3) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on Separator Valve. (4) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on a union connected to Well A78-4. (5) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on a casing collar connected to Well D85. (6) Leak exceeding 50k ppm on a valve connected to Well D77	95669 (CA Code of Regulations, Title 17)
04/16/24	NOV	5032935	Kern Energy	S-37	Panama Ln & Weedpatch Hwy, Bakersfield	Exceedance of the 162ppm H2S limit on 03/14/24, 03/15/24, and 03/16/24.	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 2520 (Federally Mandated Operating Permits)
04/16/24	NOV	5032940	Kern Energy	S-37	7724 E Panama Ln, Bakersfield	Failure to comply with H2S limit of 162 ppmv	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 2520 (Federally Mandated Operating Permits)
04/17/24	NOV	5032947	Kern Energy	S-37	Panama Ln & Weedpatch Hwy, Bakersfield	Excess NOx emissions	2201 (New and Modified Stationary Source Review Rule) 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters - 2.0 to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)
04/26/24	NOV	5032763	Kern Energy	S-37	Panama Ln & Weedpatch Hwy, Bakersfield	PTO -109: VOC loss detected at pressure vessel's manway; PTO -118: >50,000ppm gas leak; and PTO -121: > 30 dpm at valve	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 2201 (New and Modified Stationary Source Review Rule) 2520 (Federally Mandated Operating Permits) 4455 (Components at Petroleum Refineries, Gas Liquids Processing Facilities, and Chemical Plants)
05/02/24	NOV	5033014	Lamont Elementary School	S-9826	7998 Alicante Street, Lamont	Failure to maintain the vapor recovery system. (650 ml drained from vapor path of hose.)	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 4622 (Gasoline Transfer into Motor Vehicle Fuel Tanks)
05/22/24	NOV	5033096	Kern Energy	S-37	7724 E Panama Ln, Bakersfield	Failure to comply with H2S limit of 162 ppmv	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 2520 (Federally Mandated Operating Permits)
05/22/24	NOV	5033101	Paragon Bridgeworks Inc.		11228 S. Edison Road, Bakersfield	Operating without a permit	2010 (Permits Required) 4603 (Surface Coating of Metal Parts and Products)
06/03/24	NTC	5031969	Jaco Hill Co	S-2359	801 Haven Dr, Arvin	Failure to conduct and pass the required vapor recovery performance test (V/L). Test was not conducted by a certified technician.	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 4622 (Gasoline Transfer into Motor Vehicle Fuel Tanks)
06/03/24	NTC	5031976	Jamieson Hill	S-2383	800 Bear Mtn Blvd, Arvin	Failure to conduct and pass the required vapor recovery performance tests (CAS, dispenser integrity, and V/L). Tests were not conducted by a certified technician.	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 4622 (Gasoline Transfer into Motor Vehicle Fuel Tanks)
06/03/24	NTC	5031977	Jamieson Hill	S-2383	800 Bear Mtn Blvd, Arvin	Failure to conduct and pass the required vapor recovery performance test (V/L). Tests was not conducted by a certified technician.	2070 (Standards for Granting Applications) 4622 (Gasoline Transfer into Motor Vehicle Fuel Tanks)
06/19/24	NOV	5033186	Grimmway Enterprises Inc		11412 Malaga Rd, Arvin	Failure to cleanup trackout greater than 50 feet as required by Rule 8041 section 5.0.	8041 (Carryout and Trackout)
06/19/24	NOV	5033187	Tasteful Selections		11413 Malaga Rd, Arvin	Failure to cleanup trackout greater than 50 feet as required by Rule 8041 section 5.0.	8041 (Carryout and Trackout)
06/25/24	NOV	5033202	Caballero Operations Llc.	S-890	Kruater Lease, Bakersfield	Open hatch on Tank 503	95669 (CA Code of Regulations, Title 17)