

Air Quality Agencies

Federal



United States Environmental Protection Agency

Sets and enforces national air quality standards. Regulates interstate transportation.



Trains



Ships



Planes

State



California Air Resources Board (CARB)

Regulates mobile sources of air pollution, greenhouse gases, and consumer products



Cars



Trucks



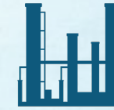
Buses

Local



Local Air District (SJV – Valley Air)

Regulate stationary and local sources of air pollution



Refineries



Residential
woodstoves



Dust

Reducing Community Exposure: Responsibilities

Local – Arvin/Lamont Steering Committee

- Prioritize community air quality concerns
- Provides direction on committee structure, objectives, and identifies strategies
- Partner in monitoring & achieving emissions reductions



State – CARB

- Launched AB 617 –Community Air Protection Program
- Develop statewide strategies
- Administer community air grants



Region – SJV Air District

- Partner with communities on air monitoring & emission reductions
- Administer incentive funding
- Write and enforce rules requiring controls on industrial sources

