



South Central Fresno Enforcement Update

First Quarter 2021

Covering enforcement activities in the community from 1/1/21 through 3/31/21:

Residential Wood Burning – District Rule 4901

- District requirements in effect from Nov 1 – Feb 28/29 each year
- CERP commitment: Enhanced enforcement (four hours of enforcement on each wood burning curtailment day)
- 3 public complaints responded to – no violations confirmed
- 24 violations found in all from enhanced enforcement

Illegal Open Burning – District Rule 4103

- CERP Commitment: One targeted enforcement effort during each quarter
- 9 public complaints responded to
(1 agricultural burning, 0 commercial/industrial burning, 8 residential open burning)
- 1 violation notice issued

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 targeted enforcement during this quarter
- 2 public dust complaints responded to

Statewide Anti-Idling Enforcement

- CERP Commitment: One targeted enforcement effort during each quarter
- No public complaints of idling diesel trucks received
- 1 violation of CARB's anti-idling regulation cited during District enforcement

Stationary Source Inspections

- CERP commitment: Increased inspection frequency at facilities with emission violations in the last 3 years
- 84 total stationary source inspections
(68 compliance inspections, 2 start-up inspection, 2 follow-up inspections, 2 source test observations, & 10 breakdown investigations)
- 9 violations found – 3 were emissions related

Public Complaints

- 21 total public complaints responded to in the community
(8 residential open burning, 3 fireplace burning, 3 odor nuisance, 2 alleged facility violations, 2 fugitive dust, 1 asbestos, 1 agricultural open burning, 1 visible emissions from equipment)
- Complaints can be reported to the District by:
 - Telephone: (800) 870-1037
 - The District website: www.valleyair.org
 - Through the District mobile app (Valley Air app)

Learn more: community.valleyair.org