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District seeks members for Environmental Justice Advisory Group

Application deadline is May 18

(Fresno, CA) – The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District is dedicated to the integration of environmental justice principles and goals into its public health and air-quality programs, policies and activities. As part of this strategy, the District is currently taking applications to fill two open seats on its Environmental Justice Advisory Group (EJAG): Madera County At-large representative and Merced County At-Large representative.

Interested applicants need to be residents of the San Joaquin Valley, and must have experience and interest in air quality issues and representing ethnic and/or low-income communities. Additional EJAG information, including the application, can be found here: www.valleyair.org/ejag.

EJAG provides advice and guidance to the District for implementing its Environmental Justice Strategy. With this policy, the District ensures all San Joaquin Valley residents benefit from healthier air as a result of the operation or execution of its programs, policies and activities.

Applications can be submitted to the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District, 1990 E Gettysburg, Fresno, CA 93726 by 5 p.m. Thursday, May 18, 2017.

For more information about the Valley Air District, call a regional office: in Fresno, 559-230-6000; in Bakersfield, 661-392-5500; and in Modesto, 209-557-6400.