



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP  
ON PROPOSED RACT SIP**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Eastern Kern Air Pollution Control District (District) will hold a public workshop to present, discuss and receive comments on:

**Draft Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) State Implementation Plan (SIP)**

The public workshop will be conducted in person at the following location, date, and time:

**Mojave Veteran's Building  
15580 "O" St  
Mojave, CA 93501**

**March 16, 2017 (Thursday)  
10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

The 2008 National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for Ozone requires nonattainment areas to submit documentation, to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), demonstrating District SIP rules meet Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) emission standards for "major sources" emitting volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and oxides of nitrogen (NOx).

VOCs and NOx are ozone precursors. Ozone is a widespread ground-level air pollutant, formed when VOC and NOx emissions interact in the presence of sunlight and heat.

The Indian Wells Valley (IWV) is in attainment with the 2008 Ozone NAAQS and is excluded from the RACT SIP.

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All written comments regarding the draft RACT SIP should be mailed or e-mailed to Jeremiah Cravens, Eastern Kern APCD, 2700 "M" St, Ste 302, Bakersfield, CA 93301, Email [cravensj@co.kern.ca.us](mailto:cravensj@co.kern.ca.us). All written comments must be submitted to District by **April 15, 2017**.