APPENDIX C—EPA AND TCEQ RESOURCES

Helpful resources from the EPA and the TCEQ are listed here.

EPA Resources

Air CHIEF

The EPA's Clearing House for Inventories and Emission Factors contains the most up-to-date emissions information and factors, including most of the tools listed below. CHIEF is accessible online at <www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/index.html>. A CD-ROM (Version 10) is available by calling the Info CHIEF Help Desk at 919-541-1000, or by e-mail to <info.chief@epa.gov>.

To learn more about CHIEF, you can also write to:

Info CHIEF
Emission Factor and Inventory Group (MD-14)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Research Triangle Park, NC 27711

AP-42 (5th Ed., Vol. 1, January 1995, Supplements A–F)

AP-42 is discussed in Chapter 4 ("Determining and Reporting Emissions") of this document. It is included in Air CHIEF.

FIRE (Factor Information Retrieval Data System, Version 6.23)

FIRE is a database containing the EPA's recommended emission estimation factors for criteria and hazardous air pollutants. FIRE is available online at <www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/software/fire/index.html>.

TANKS 4.x

TANKS is a Windows-based computer software program that estimates emissions of volatile organic compounds and hazardous air pollutants from storage tanks. The current version of TANKS is based on the emission estimation procedures from Chapter 7 of AP-42, and is available online at <www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/software/tanks/index.html>.

Green Book

The EPA's "Green Book" (*Nonattainment Areas for Criteria Pollutants*) provides up-to-date information on nonattainment status. The Green Book is available online at <www.epa.gov/oar/oaqps/greenbk/>.

Protocol for Equipment Leak Emission Estimates (EPA-453/R-95-017)

Protocol for Equipment Leak Emission Estimates (EPA-453/R-95-017) may be downloaded from the EPA Web site at <www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/efdocs/equiplks.pdf>.

If you cannot navigate directly to the PDF, navigate to <www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/publications.html#factor>, right-click (Windows) or CTRL-click (Mac) on the link *Protocol for Equipment Leak Emission Estimates*, and then select the appropriate option from the pop-up menu to save the PDF file to your desktop.

TCEQ Resources

2010 Emissions Inventory Forms and Instructions
<www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/ei2010> (follows this document, *2010 Emissions Inventory Guidelines*)

Tools for Completing the EI

<www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/ieas>

Information about Electronic Reporting

< www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/ieas >

EI Account Mailing Status

<www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/ieas>

Air Permits Guidance Documents (may be helpful for determining emissions)

<www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/air_perm_guide>

Contacting the Emissions Assessment Section

EAS Web page: <www.tceq.state.tx.us/goto/ieas>

EAS e-mail address: <psdocument@tceq.state.tx.us>

EAS Help Line: 512-239-1773