



Texas Mobile Source Summit

Location: J.J. Pickle Center
(a.k.a.: The Commons Center J.J. Pickle Research Campus)
10100 Burnet Road
Room 1.122 (Small Auditorium)
Austin, TX 78758

Date: November 3rd and 4th

Participants:

Highly experienced technical professionals and environmental groups combined with high-level policy experts: EPA program offices, local and state experts, Legislative representatives and MPOs from the nonattainment and near-nonattainment areas in Texas.

Focus:

- Maximize effectiveness of mobile source control strategies, including evaluation of SIP credit
- Discuss emerging mobile source measures
- Identify policy actions which would enable implementation of identified best measures
- Work with EPA HQ (OTAQ) to identify or develop innovative measures

Hotel Accommodations:

The La Quinta Hotel is offering a block of rooms for the Summit.
11901 North Mopac Expressway (Loop 1)
Austin, TX 78759
512/832-2121

\$74 + tax single occupancy/night
Free shuttle to and from the JJ Pickle Center
Call for reservations ASAP

Format:

- *Day One* –
 - o Technical and environmental professionals brainstorm ideas in their area of expertise. Each session has an assigned facilitator and recorder to expedite brainstorming.
 - o Sessions will be structured to identify current best practices, any foreseen implementation issues, and envision future “wish list” of ideas. At the conclusion of Day One, the group will agree on the top ideas for presentation on Day Two to the policy officials.
- *Day Two* –
 - o Policy experts will be presented with an overview of Day One, and will be given a list of proposed measures. These experts will then identify possible policy roadblocks and brainstorm on how to best effect policy changes necessary to drive implementation of the identified measures.





Draft Agenda

Day One - Technical focus

8:30 Registration

9:00-9:30

- Welcome
- Introductions/Overview
- Statement of Problem and Desired Outcome
 - Overview of currently available funding (LIRAP, TERP, CMAQ, etc.)

9:30-10:45 Session 1: Engines and Fuels

- Diesel and other engine technologies
- Fuel formulations and other fuel issues, including alternative fuels
- Use of existing engines (technologies for retrofitting, fuel additives, practices to reduce idling or VMT, etc)
- Enforcement issues/tampering/diesel I&M

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:30 Session 2: Industry-specific measures

- Airports, railports, seaports
- Construction industry practices
- Border crossing issues

12:30 -1:30 LUNCH

1:30-3:00 Session 3: Sustainability policies and funding avenues

- TCM evaluation
- SIP credit issues
- land-use policies
- effect of city ordinances
- identification of current policy impediments and shortfalls
- funding ideas

3:00-3:15 Break

3:15-4:45 Session 4: Wrap-up and Consensus

- As a group, discuss the ideas and issues and reach consensus on the top 10 - 20 measures to present to the policy officials on Day Two.



Day Two - Policy focus



8:30 Registration

9:00-9:15 Welcome/Overview

9:15-10:15

- Moderator from each of previous day's focus sessions (Engine/Fuel, Industry, Sustainability) to provide overview of issues and challenges identified.

10:15-10:30: BREAK

10:30-11:30

- Seated panel from EPA HQ/Program offices, TCEQ, HARC, etc. to provide question and answer period for participants.

11:30-12:45 LUNCH

12:45-2:00

- Reconvene to identify possible policy roadblocks and brainstorm on how to best effect policy;
- Changes necessary to drive implementation of the identified measures
- List of agreed-upon action items and timeline for completion.
- Formation of workgroup to be the point-of-contact for follow-up issues and for ensuring focus and prioritization of these issues remains high.

2:00-3:00

- Wrap-up and identification of next steps and action items, particularly with respect to policy innovations and innovative funding mechanisms.

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