

# **Technical Information Meeting**

San Antonio Eight-Hour Ozone Design Values Madison Knapp

# Outline

- Eight-Hour Ozone trends over the most recent decade with complete years of verified data (2012 2021).
- Design value trends within the Bexar County nonattainment area as a whole and at individual monitors:
  - By month and year;
  - Exceedance Days;
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Highest Eight-Hour Ozone Values; and
  - Background Ozone Estimates.



#### **Bexar County Regulatory Monitors**



2021 eight-hour design values shown.



### **Eight-Hour Design Value Trends**





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#### **Eight-Hour Ozone Exceedance Day Trends**





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#### **Eight-Hour Ozone Exceedance Days by Month**





#### **Eight-Hour Ozone Exceedance Day Calendar**





#### **Eight-Hour Ozone Fourth Highs**





## **Eight-Hour Background Ozone Trends**





# **Eight-Hour Background Ozone by Month**







- Design values have decreased since 2012.
- The largest decrease in the design value occurred between 2012 and 2016.
- Since 2018 there have been no severe exceedance days (MDA8 > 84 ppb), but days over 70 ppb still occur.
- There seems to be a slight trend in estimated background ozone over the period studied.



# **Questions?**

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