DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND 110(1) NONINTERFERENCE DEMONSTRATION SIP SUBMITTAL

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority set forth below, the Environmental Protection Division (hereinafter, "EPD") of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources proposes Amendments to Georgia's State Implementation Plan (SIP). The proposed revision is described below.

The proposed revision contains Georgia's request to remove Transportation Control Measures (TCMs) from the Georgia SIP. The proposed revision consists of a 110(1) demonstration that contains a technical analysis and secures reproducible, enforceable, surplus, quantifiable, and permanent offsets demonstrating that the removal of TCMs from the SIP will not interfere with continued maintenance of the 1997 and 2008 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS), attainment of the 2015 8-hour ozone NAAQS, attainment of any other NAAQS, or any other CAA requirement as prescribed in section 110(1) of the CAA.

This notice is being provided to all persons who have requested in writing that they be placed on a notification list. The proposed SIP submission documents may be viewed at https://epd.georgia.gov/air/documents/removal-transportation-control-measures or during normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Georgia Environmental Protection Division, Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 104, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. If you have questions about the content, difficulty viewing the content, or would like to request copies of the demonstration, please contact Elisabeth Munsey at 404-363-7131.

To provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the proposed SIP document, a public hearing will be held at 2:30 p.m. on July 29, 2019, in the EPD Training Center located at 4244 International Parkway, Suite 116, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. At the hearing, anyone may present data, make a statement, comment, or offer a viewpoint or argument either orally or in writing. Oral statements should be concise. Lengthy statements or statements of a considerable technical or economic nature, as well as previously-recorded messages, must be submitted in writing for the official record.

Written comments are welcomed. To ensure their inclusion in EPD's final submission of the SIP revision to EPA, written comments should be received by close of business on August 5, 2019. Written comments may be emailed to EPDComments@dnr.state.ga.us or sent via regular mail addressed to: Branch Chief, Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 120, Atlanta, Georgia, 30354.

The proposed SIP demonstration is proposed pursuant to authority contained in the Georgia Air Quality Act (O.C.G.A. Section 12-9-1 et. seq.). For further information, contact the Air Protection Branch at 404-363-7000.

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