

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND PROPOSED AMENDMENTS  
TO GEORGIA'S STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN**

**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 State Implementation Plan revision includes the addition of the 7-county Atlanta Nonattainment Area Emissions Inventory for the 2015 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) as required by §182(a)(1) of the Clean Air Act. Additionally, EPD certifies that the existing State of Georgia Air Quality Control rules satisfy the Permit Program requirements found in §§172(c)(5) and 173 of the CAA. EPD is also providing a written commitment to take action to meet the Emission Statements requirement located in §182(a)(3)(B) 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 revision may be viewed at <https://epd.georgia.gov/atlanta-nonattainment-area-emissions-inventory-2015-ozone-naaqs> or by appointment only during the COVID-19 pandemic at the Georgia Environmental Protection Division, Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 104, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. To set an appointment, email [askepd@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:askepd@dnr.ga.gov) with your name, email and phone number and an associate will reach out to you. Copies may also be requested by contacting James Boylan, [James.Boylan@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:James.Boylan@dnr.ga.gov) or Elisabeth Munsey, [Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov).

To provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the proposed SIP revision, a public hearing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on June 11, 2020. In accordance with EPD's safety precautions regarding the COVID-19 virus and in keeping with the Governor's Declaration of a Public Health State of Emergency, EPD will be hosting this public hearing via Zoom. Zoom is a free web conferencing platform that also allows participation by phone.

To log into the public hearing on your computer, please click this link or copy and paste it into your browser to join the meeting:

<https://gaepd.zoom.us/j/95959444488?pwd=b2tqbEljOFhBUeN0xWMVhhT3N6Zz09>

To ensure that you are ready to participate when the meeting begins, we recommend that you download Zoom in advance. Zoom can be found here: <https://zoom.us>

To dial in by phone, please call this number: 888-788-0099 (Toll free).

The meeting ID is 959 5944 4488  
Password: 563301

Please note that if you choose to participate by phone, your phone number may be visible to other meeting attendees.

During 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 June 18, 2020. Written comments may be emailed to [EPDComments@dnr.state.ga.us](mailto: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 revision 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 Elisabeth Munsey, [Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov).