

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND 110(l) 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 is requesting an amendment to the Federal gasoline volatility rule, 40 CFR 80.27(a)(2) as it pertains to Georgia, to relax the summertime Reid Vapor Pressure (RVP) in the former 13-county Atlanta designated volatility nonattainment area (NAA). The proposed revision is described below.

The proposed State Implementation Plan revision contains Georgia's request to relax the RVP requirements in the 13-county designated volatility area from 7.8 pounds per square inch (psi) to 9.0 psi to match the RVP requirements that apply to the rest of Georgia year-round. The proposed revision contains a technical analysis and an update to Georgia's 2008 Ozone Maintenance Plan, which demonstrates that the relaxation of the RVP requirement will not interfere with the attainment or maintenance of any National Ambient Air Quality Standards or any other Clean Air Act (CAA) requirement as prescribed in section 110(l) 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/relaxation-reid-vapor-pressure-requirements> 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 120, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. Copies may also be requested by contacting the Air Protection Branch at 404-363-7000.

To provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the proposed SIP document, a public hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on July 30, 2018, 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 insure their inclusion in EPD's final submission of the SIP revision to EPA, written comments should be received by close of business on August 6, 2018. 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 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.