

# Notice of Availability

## Notice of Public Availability of Draft Supplemental Environmental Analysis Prepared for the Proposed Amendments to the Advanced Clean Car II Program.

**Project/Location:** Statewide

**Project Description:** This notice announces the availability for public review and comment of the Draft Environmental Analysis (EA) for the Advanced Clean Cars (ACC) II Program (Proposed Program). Approval of the Proposed Program, developed by the California Air Resources Board (CARB), would establish the next set of Low Emission Vehicle (LEV) criteria and Zero Emission Vehicle (ZEV) requirements to further reduce emissions of criteria air pollutants (including precursors) and Greenhouse Gases (GHGs) from light- and medium-duty vehicles in California. Accordingly, the Proposed Program would include more stringent emission standards and requirements for passenger vehicle manufacturers to increase zero-emission technology in vehicles offered for sale in California. CARB prepared a Draft EA under the requirements of its certified regulatory program to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act. The Draft EA assesses the potential for significant adverse and beneficial environmental impacts associated with reasonably foreseeable actions taken in response to implementation of the Proposed Program.

**Document Availability:** The public review and comment period starts April 15, 2022 and ends on May 31, 2022. Copies of the Draft EA, the Proposed Project, public notices, and other related documents may be accessed on CARB's website at <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/advanced-clean-cars-program/advanced-clean-cars-ii>. Paper copies may be obtained from the Public Information Office, California Air Resources Board, 1001 I Street, Visitors and Environmental Services Center, First Floor, Sacramento, California, 95814. Written comments must be received by 11:59 pm on May 31, 2022 either electronically at: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/lispub/comm/bclist.php> or by Postal mail at: Clerk of the Board, California Air Resources Board, 1001 I Street / P.O. Box 2815, Sacramento, CA 95814.

**Public Review Period:** The public comment period is April 15, 2022 to May 31, 2022

**Project Impacts:** The Draft EA concluded implementation of the proposed regulations could result in: beneficial impacts to air quality (long-term operational) and greenhouse gas emissions; less than significant impacts, or no impacts, to energy demand, land use, mineral resources, population and housing, public services, recreation, and wildfire; and potentially significant adverse impacts to aesthetics, agricultural and forest resources, air quality (short-term construction related), biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, noise and vibration, transportation, tribal cultural resources, and utilities and service systems.

**Public Hearing:** The Proposed Project and Draft EA will be presented to the Board at a two-day

meeting commencing on June 9, 2022 which will be webcast at:

<https://cal-span.org/static/index.php>.

Please consult the agenda for any updates, available 10 days in advance, to confirm the meeting time and date at: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/board-meeting-dates>.