MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND AGENDA

AIR QUALITY TASK FORCE MEETING

Thursday, December 14, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.

Bi-State Regional Commission

The Air Quality Task Force Meeting will be held virtually. Task Force Members, general public and media may participate using either an online or call-in option.

Join Zoom Meeting

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- 1. <u>Introductions and Consideration of June 16, 2023 Meeting Minutes</u> (Copies of the minutes are included in the task force email).
- 2. <u>Update from Resource Agencies on Current Air Quality Status/Issues</u> (Resource representatives from Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and other agencies as available).
- 3. States' Carbon Reduction Strategies (Illinois DOT will present on their document.)
- 4. <u>Local Status Report and Air Quality Issues</u> (Status report in members' email)
- 5. Grant and Funding Opportunities
 - Community Charge Grants Program Open now until Nov 21, 2024
 https://www.epa.gov/inflation-reduction-act/inflation-reduction-act-community-change-grants-program
 - Carbon Reduction Program Application deadline ends December 14th.
 - 6. Other Business
 - EV discourse groups in Iowa & Illinois
 - Excise tax on all EV charging in Iowa.
 - 7. Adjournment

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