

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY

Air Quality Division Overview

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Mission

PROTECT MICHIGAN'S AIR

EGLE Ensures Michigan's Air Remains Clean By Regulating Sources Of Air Pollutants To Minimize Adverse Impact On Human Health & The Environment.



Handled By EGLE's Air Quality Division

Industrial Sources of Air Pollution:

- Power Plants
- Auto Plants
- Paint Shops
- Foundries
- Steel Mills

Handled By Other Agencies or Local Governments

Other Sources of Air Pollution:

- Cars, Trucks & Planes
- Outdoor Wood Boilers
- Noise & Light Pollution
- Indoor Air Quality

What We Regulate & What We Don't

Program Overview

Administration

Air Monitoring & Biowatch

Permitting

Compliance

Stack Testing

Emissions Reporting Air Modeling & Meteorology

Toxics

Enforcement

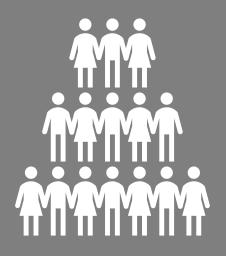
Dry-cleaning

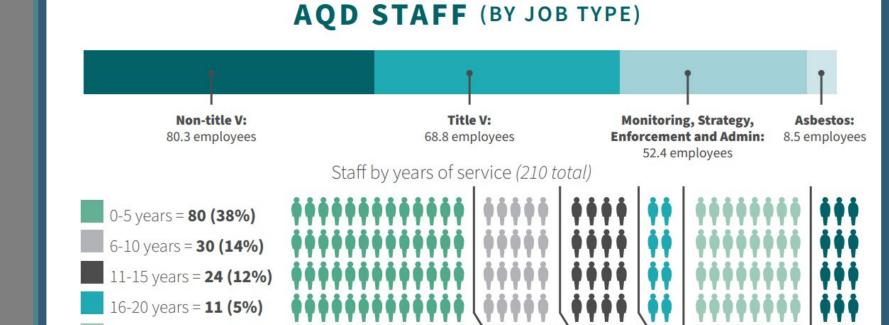
Asbestos

Air Quality Planning



Air Quality Division Staff





21-30 years = **47 (22%)**

30+ years = **18 (9%)**



Air Monitoring & Biowatch

45+ Monitoring Locations

160+ Air Monitors

13 Pollutant Categories

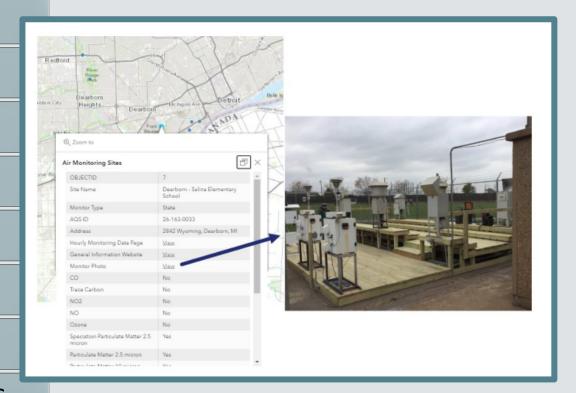
8 Meteorological Parameters

Interactive GIS Map

Grants: American Rescue Plan & Inflation Reduction Act

Annual Air Monitoring Network Review

Photochemical Assessment Monitoring Stations Or PAMS





Air Modeling & Meteorology



Support Permit
Work By
Modeling
Requested
Emissions



Support Air
Quality Planning
By Modeling
Pollutant
Information



Forecast Air Quality
Conditions & Call
Action Day Alerts
When Necessary

Michigan.gov/MiAir





Air Permits



Permits To
Install Staff
Process
Approximately
300 – 400
Applications
Per Year

- Are Required For Sources Of Air Pollutants & Are Process-Specific
- All Processed Centrally Out Of Lansing
- Currently 23 Permit Engineers, 4
 Supervisors, & 4 Support Staff

Title V/
Renewable
Operating
Permit Writers
Complete 40 60 Per Year

- Are For Major (Large) Sources Of Air Pollutants
- Processed Through District Inspectors & The ROP Central Unit, with 5 Permit Writers
- Initial & Renewal Applications –
 Quantities Vary By Year



Air Permit To Install



Processing
Timelines Per
Rule 206

- No Public Comment 180 Days
- Public Comment 240 Days



Air Permit To Install



For Most Sources A Permit Is Required Prior To The Start Of Construction & Operation

Ensures That All Applicable State & Federal Rules & Regulations Are Met

As Appropriate Each Permit Includes:

- Emission Limits, Operational Parameters, Control Equipment Requirements, & Stack Parameters
- Record Keeping, Monitoring, Testing To
 Demonstrate Compliance On An On-going Basis



Compliance & Enforcement

Conduct
Inspections &
Determine
Compliance

865 Inspections

Respond To
Complaints &
Write Violation
Notices

- 2,422 Complaints Received & Responded To
- 336 Violation
 Notices Issued

Work On Enforcement Cases

 26 Enforcement Cases



Technical Programs

Stack Testing

- Support Field Inspectors At Testing Events Required By Permits Or Rules
- Review & Approve Testing Plans

Dry Cleaning

- Two Inspectors For Entire State
- Inspect & License Dry Cleaners

Asbestos

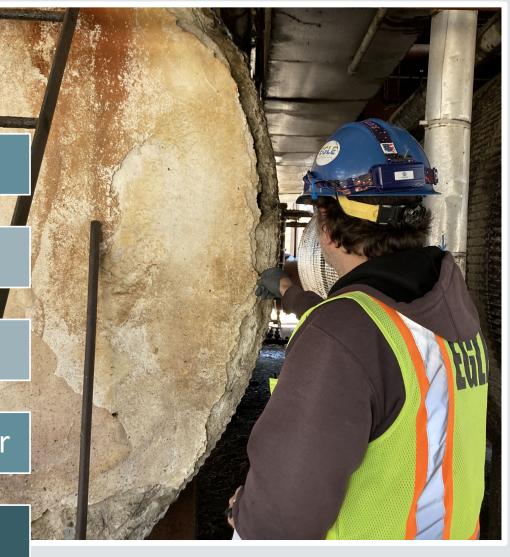
Newly Formed Asbestos Unit

Legislation Supporting The Program

Three New Staff Added This FY

Over 11,700 Total Initial Notifications A Year

Almost 2,000 Inspections Annually



Emissions Reporting

Collect Pollutant Information From A Subset Of Facilities

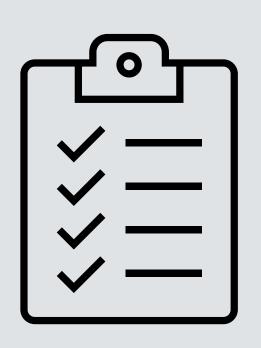
• 1,700 Emission Reports Received From Industry

Data Used To:

- Assess Air Quality Fees
- Track Air Pollution Trends
- Determine The Effectiveness Of Current Air Pollution Control Programs
- Helps Project Air Quality
- Track Source Compliance, Provide Information For Permit Review



Air Quality Planning



State Implementation Plan (SIP) Development

National & State Policy Development

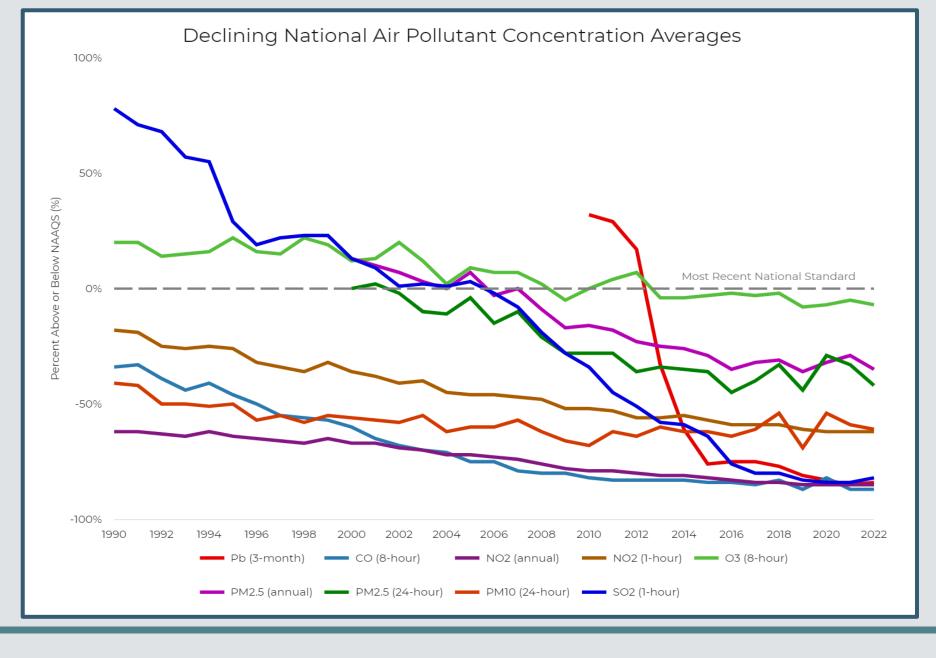
Development Of Rules & Regulations To Attain & Maintain The National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS)

Stationary Source
Emissions Summation,
Data Calculation &
Emission Modeling

Support For Mobile Source Planning & NAAQS Transportation Conformity

Technical Evaluation & Support For Emissions Trading Programs





National Air Quality Trends

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Year: 2022
Pb (3-month): -84%

CO (8-hour): -87%

NO2 (annual): -85%

NO2 (1-hour): -62%

O3 (8-hour): -7%

PM2.5 (annual): -35%

PM2.5 (24-hour): -42%

PM10 (24-hour): -61%

SO2 (1-hour): -82%
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Reduces Time To
Prepare, Submit,
Review & Process
Permits, Emission
Reports & Compliance
Information

Improves Data
Retrieval &
Transparency For The
Public & Other
Stakeholders

Utilized As A Central
Reporting
Website/Portal By The
Regulated Community
& By Other EGLE
Business Areas

Includes Customized
Control Measures For
Improved Data
Accuracy

IT Modernization - MiEnviro Portal



Stakeholder Engagement



Air Advisory Council



Public Meetings & Hearings



Planning & Rules



Training/Outreach:
Over 44,000
Email List
Subscribers



Partnerships: CAPHE, AWMA, MMA, MAA, APAM & More





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THANK YOU