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CC: Nolan, Sean [senolan@pa.gov]; Gaige, Elizabeth [Gaige.Elizabeth@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: ozone/PM2.5 SIP language - Discussion about PADEP's 2017 ANP

Nick: We got this from our planning folks. Looks like you can shutdown the ozone monitor via the Annual monitoring network plan.

Alice

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Elizabeth,

1 Took me a bit longer to check on maintenance plans than I thought. The good news is that PA DEP's maintenance plans for PM2.5 & ozone will not hold up the plan.

2 For the following 3 maintenance plans, Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Nonattainment Area 1997 and 2006 Fine Particulate Matter,
Allentown Nonattainment Area 2006 24-Hour Fine Particulate Matter & the Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton 1997 Eight-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area, DEP's plan text used the same language regarding ambient air quality monitoring networks:

> The Department [and the Allegheny County Health Department] will continue to operate the air monitoring network in accordance with 40 CFR Part 58 to verify the attainment status of the [area name] Area for the [description of the NAAQS] NAAQS, with no reductions in the number of sites from those in the existing network unless preapproved by the EPA.

PA DEP cited text from the Federal Register notice regarding the A-B-E area; this summary in the Fed Reg preamble was an *incomplete summary* of the actual provisions of the SIP-approved maintenance plan. See slide 52 of DEP's 4/19/2017 draft discussion points.

[The full SIP was posted on-line during the public comment periods at www.regulations.gov under the following docket/document numbers:

Docket ID:	Document ID:
EPA-R03-OAR-2015-0029	EPA-R03-OAR-2015-0029-0003
EPA-R03-OAR-2007-0606	EPA-R03-OAR-2007-0606-0002

3 Regarding the ambient air quality monitoring network provisions of the maintenance plan for the Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Nonattainment Area One-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area:

This 2001 plan has no provisions regarding the ambient air quality monitoring network. This is either a whoops we missed that or EPA's policy on maintenance plans has evolved between 2001 and 2007 (year of PA's first 1997 ozone plans).

[This action pre-dated on-line posting of EPA's dockets. This was originally docketed as 40 CFR 52.2020(c)(188)]

4 **Therefore, I conclude that discontinuation of the Washington Co (O3 & PM2.5) and the Easton (Ozone+other sites) will not be hampered by commitments in the applicable maintenance plan SIPs**. Thus PA DEP could include these changes in the 2017 ANP.

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Hi Chris – Alice wanted me to check in with you about getting back to PADEP about the planning concerns they presented on slides 51, 52 and 53 of the powerpoint from the call with them last week. Alice will be in Harrisburg this week and would like to be able to get back to them with our suggestions. Please let me know what planning thinks.

Thanks, Elizabeth

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Alice,

I hope you will be available to follow along using the following link:

https://openscapewebconfw2.pa.gov/joinclient.aspx?inv=r674967F8

Let me know if you have any issues. We will talk to you at 2:30 PM today.

Thanks,

Sean

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Sean: We will do the best we can!

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Alice,

As you are aware, we are planning on having a conversation regarding PADEP's 2017 ANP. I am going to have a slide show to present (hopefully via an actual webinar link… if not, I will be emailing you the presentation 5 minutes prior to our conversation).

The reason for this email is to make sure that you will have a computer available so that everyone can view the presentation topics.

We are looking forward to the conversation.

Best regards,

Sean

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