REGIONAL AIR QUALITY PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING SUMMARY
Thursday, September 28, 2017 – 2:00 P.M.
Houston-Galveston Area Council of Governments
3555 Timmons Lane, 2nd Floor, Houston, Texas 77027 (Agency Conference Rooms 2B and 2C)

MEMBER PRESENT
City of Houston – Loren Raun
City of Houston – Paresh Lad
City of Houston – Phillip M. Goodwin
City of La Porte – Kristin Gauthier
City of Texas City – Gary Scoggin
ExxonMobile Corporation – Sherman Hampton
Greater Houston Partnership – Steven Hansen
Harris County – Jacque Darbonne
Harris County – Ronnie James
Harris County Public Health & Environmental Services – Bob Allen
Houston Advanced Research Center – Mustapha Beydoun
League of Women Voters – Laura Blackburn
Liberty County – Richard Brown
The Dow Chemical Company – William Nipper

ALTERNATE PRESENT
American Lung Association – Paulette Wolfson
Associate General Contractors of America – Marc Anderson
Greater Houston Partnership – Steven Will
Metropolitan Transit Authority – Vincent Sanders
Texas Department of Transportation - Houston – Charles U. Airiohuodion

STAFF PRESENT
Houston-Galveston Area Council – Andrew DeCandis
Houston-Galveston Area Council – Crystal Thomas
Houston-Galveston Area Council – Shelley Whitworth
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality – Lola Brown
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – Carl Young

BRIEFING
Overview
a. The Regional Air Quality Planning Advisory Committee (RAQPAC) convened for the ninth monthly meeting of the year. The RAQPAC Members and Alternates were presented with the following information: Reported U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Update, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) Update, and the Regional Air Quality Monitoring Update; H-GAC Update; and concluded with listed announcements.

b. Go to http://www.h-gac.com/board-of-directors/advisory-committees/regional-air-quality-planning-advisory-committee/meeting-materials.aspx to view the meeting materials for this meeting.

ACTION ITEM
ITEM 1B. – Approval of Meeting Summary
a. Chairman Gary Scoggin entertained a motion to pass the RAQPAC meeting summary for July 27, 2017 as presented.
   - Action Item Motion Passed Unanimously

ITEM 4A. – Approval of 2017 PM2.5 Advance Path Forward Update
b. Chairman Gary Scoggin entertained a motion to pass the PM2.5 Advance Path Forward Update recommendation for 2017 as presented.
   - Action Item Motion Passed Unanimously

DISCUSSION ITEMS
ITEM 3A. – HRM Air Quality Update and Hurricane Harvey Impacts on HRM Monitoring Sites
a. Mr. Steve Hansen with Greater Houston Partnership conveyed information regarding Houston Regional Monitoring Air Quality Update.

ITEM 3b. – Hurricane Harvey Impacts on Oceangoing Shipping in the Houston Region
b. Mr. Jason Tieman with Global Data Solutions conveyed information regarding Houston Traffic – Hurricane Harvey.

NEXT MEETING
Future Discussion Topics
a. None

ADJOURNMENT
Meeting Adjourned at 3:37 P.M.