TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (TCEQ) UPDATE

September 30, 2021 RAQPAC Meeting

Request for Reasonably Available Control Measures Ideas

- In August, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) received and is evaluating ideas for potential reasonably available control measures (RACM) that could be implemented in the Dallas-Fort Worth (DFW), Houston-Galveston-Brazoria (HGB), and San Antonio nonattainment areas. RACM is a requirement under the Federal Clean Air Act (FCAA), §172(c)(1) and is required for nonattainment areas with an ozone classification of moderate nonattainment and above. Potential RACM measures submitted to the TCEQ will be used to assist in nonattainment area planning for the 2008 and 2015 eight-hour ozone national ambient air quality standards.
- Information about this request and RACM idea submissions should be directed to Joseph Thomas at <u>Joseph.Thomas@tceq.texas.gov</u> and Anthony DeJesus at <u>Anthony.Dejesus@tceq.texas.gov</u>.