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NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

MARICOPA COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT AIR QUALITY DIVISION

- 1. Title and its heading:** Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations

Regulation and its heading: Regulation III, Control of Air Contaminants

Rule and its heading: Rule 324 - Stationary Internal Combustion (IC) Engines

Section number(s): Rule 324, All Sections
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rule(s):**
Maricopa County will propose to regulate stationary reciprocating internal combustion engines above 250 bhp and those engines above 50 bhp used at a single source whose maximum aggregate rated brake horsepower is greater than 250 bhp by establishing numerical emission standards for NO_x, CO, opacity, and low sulfur fuel in new Rule 324. The new rule will exempt engines used in agricultural activities, laboratory research, non-road engines, rotary engines, nuclear power emergency engines, and others. There will also be partial exemptions for both low usage and emergency engines. Owners or operators of prime use engines will be required to use a preventative tune-up procedure from the manufacturer or a default procedure listed in the proposed rule. There will be additional requirements for recordkeeping and low sulfur fuel verification.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to this proceeding:**
None to date
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the proposed rule(s):**

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- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
To be announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
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