



Clean Air Partners New Member Briefing 2023

Clean Air Partners' Purpose

Clean Air Partners was founded by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) and the Baltimore Metropolitan Council (BMC) to:

- Serve Northern Virginia, the District of Columbia, and Central Maryland (the "Baltimore-Washington Region").
- Provide leadership in educating the public about voluntary actions to improve the air in the Baltimore-Washington region, including educating the public about the health effects of air pollution and the environmental effects of greenhouse gases.
- Strive to motivate individuals, businesses and employers to take efficient and effective voluntary actions that will improve air quality in the Baltimore-Washington region.



Board and Committee Structure

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Finance Committee

Marketing Committee

Executive Committee

Education Committee

Nominating Committee

Others as Assigned by the Board



Membership

As outlined in the Clean Air Partners Bylaws

- Local government elected officials (4)
 - Balance between the metropolitan Washington and Baltimore regions
- State transportation and environmental agencies (6)
 - Departments of Transportation
 - Air Agencies
- Businesses and major employers (12)
 - Balanced considering categories of regulated industry, business advocacy, major employers from both the public and private sectors
- Advocacy groups (5)
 - Health, environmental, education, transportation, and civic affairs
- At-Large (4)



Member Roles and Responsibilities

The Board of Directors is the governing body of Clean Air Partners.

Members are responsible for:

- 1. Preparing agendas for the Annual Meeting and for other meetings of the general membership.
- 2. Reporting on program and financial results.
- 3. Adopting an annual work plan
- 4. Proposing the strategy and budget to carry out the following year's work plan.
- 5. Adjusting the work plan, strategy and budget to meet unanticipated needs or changed situations.
- 6. Approving contractual relationships required to execute Clean Air Partners sponsored and supported programs and to provide routine administrative services for the organization.
- 7. Raising funds for the organization.
- 8. Recruiting new members.

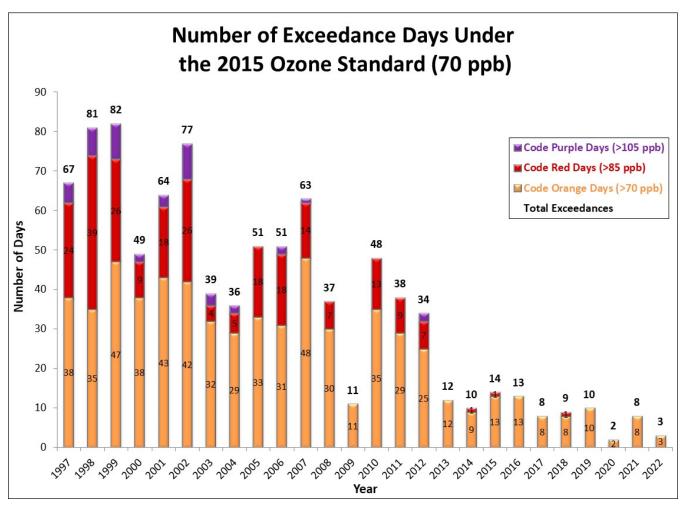


The Air Quality Index (AQI)

AQI Range	AQI Color	Health Descriptor	
0- 50	GREEN	Good	
51 - 100	YELLOW Moderate		
101 - 150	ORANGE	Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups	
151 - 200	RED	Unhealthy	
201 - 300	PURPLE	Very Unhealthy	



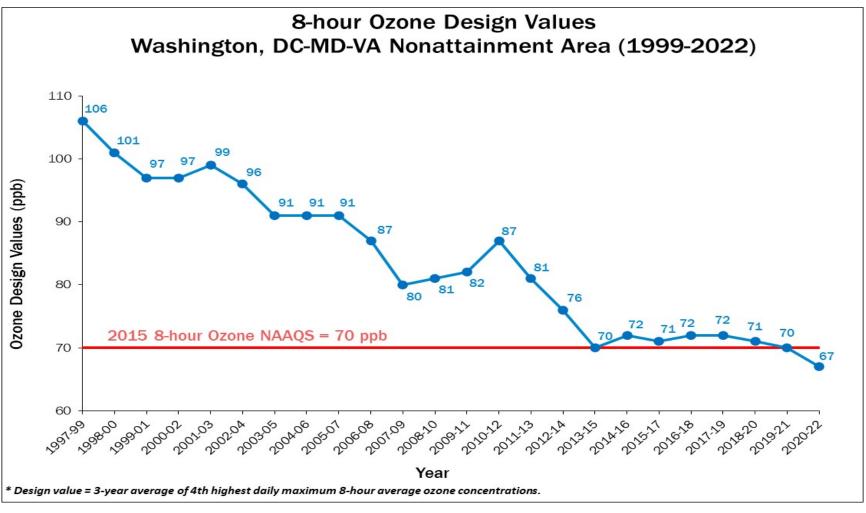
Metropolitan Washington Ozone Trends







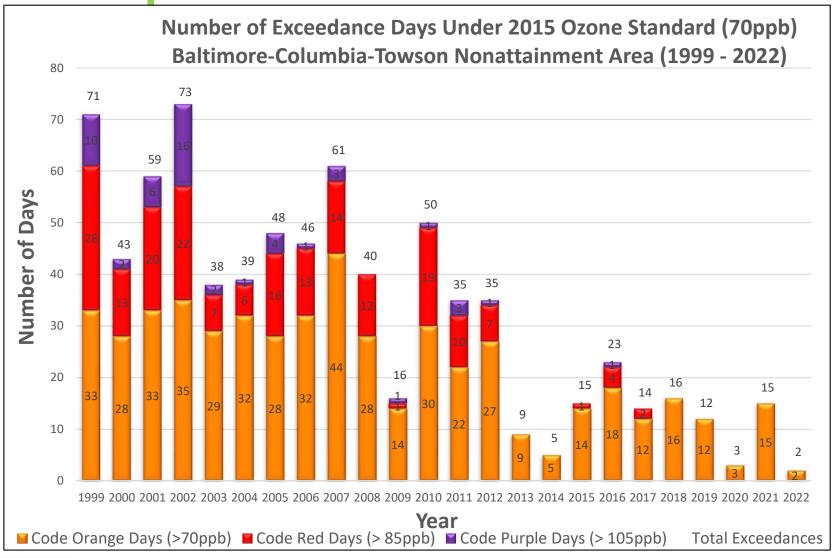
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2022 data is draft.

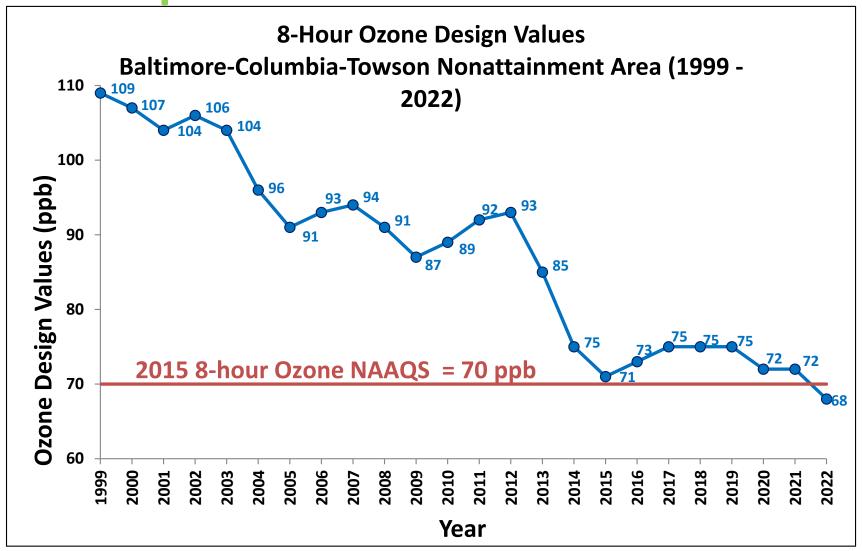


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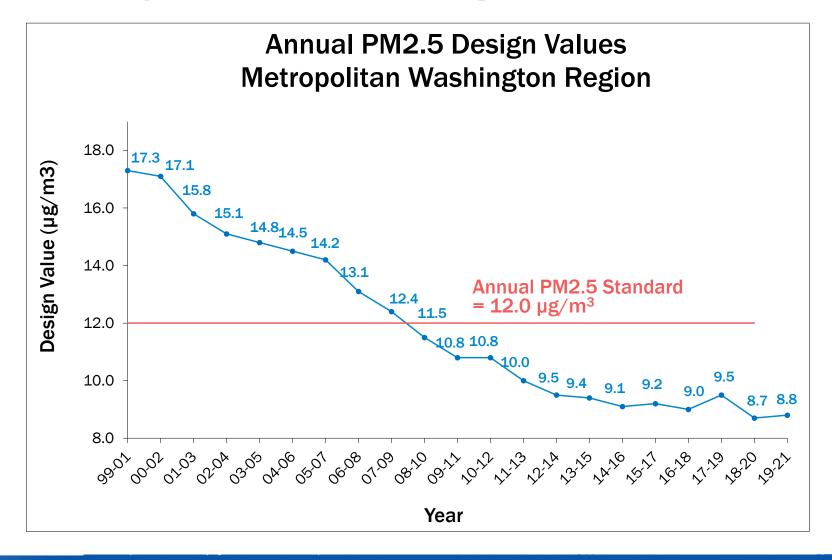


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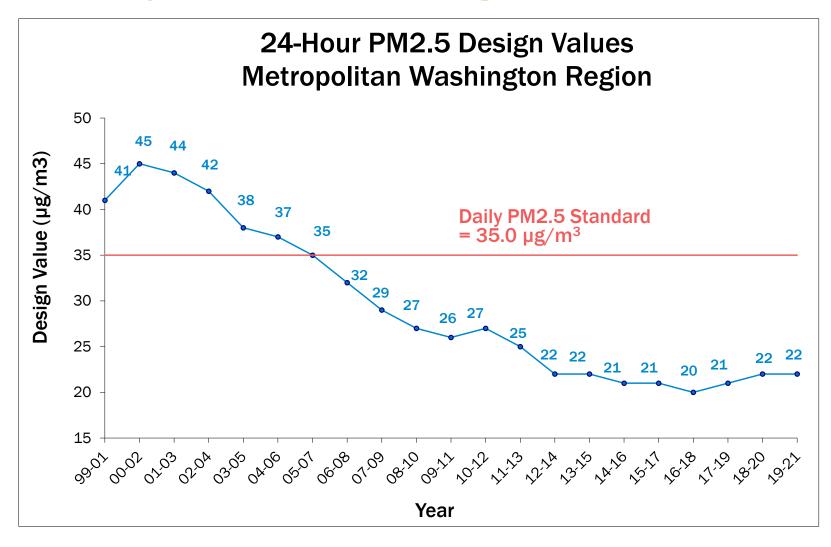


Metropolitan Washington PM Trends





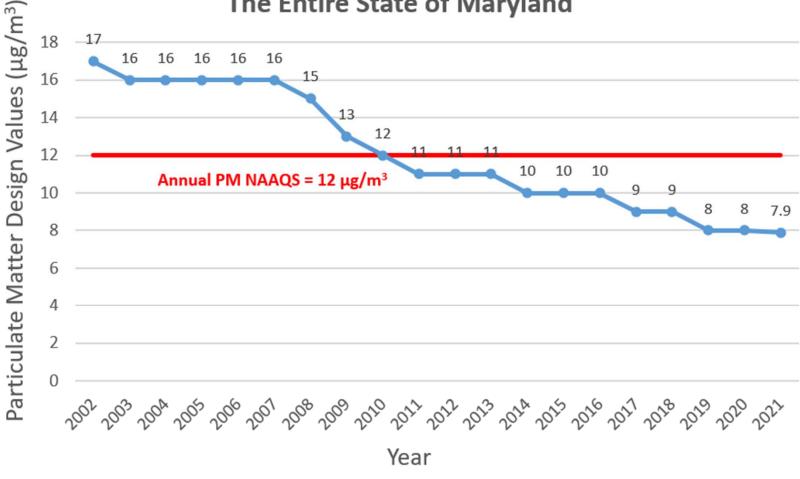
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State of Maryland PM Trends

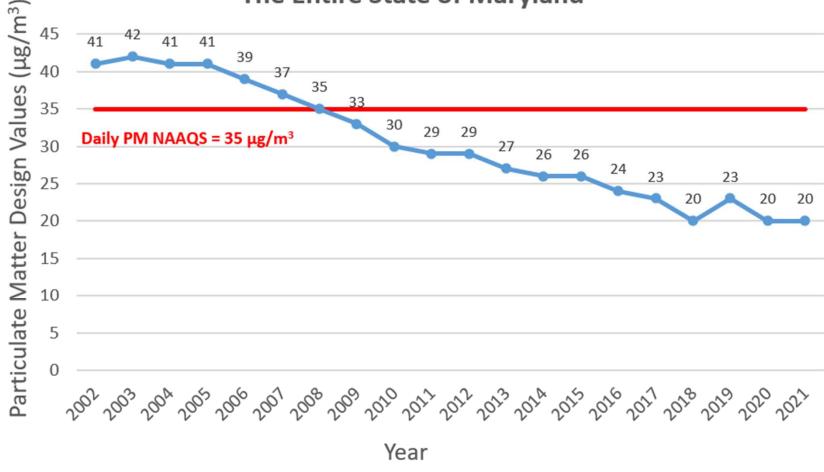
Annual Particulate Matter Design Values
The Entire State of Maryland





State of Maryland PM Trends

Daily Particulate Matter Design Values
The Entire State of Maryland





2023 Meeting Dates

Date	Time	Туре	Location
January 19	12:00 – 2:00pm	Board	Virtual
March 16	12:00 – 2:00pm	Executive Committee	Virtual
April 20	12:00 – 2:00pm	Board	COG
September 21	12:00 – 2:00pm	Board	ВМС
November 16	12:00 – 2:00pm	Executive Committee	Virtual

All other committee meetings are virtual and scheduled as needed.



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