



Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection



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Strategic Priorities for 2021



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DEEP's Strategic Priorities

1

Actively Address Climate Change

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Safeguard, Enhance and Protect the Environment

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Promoting environmental and energy justice

DEEP's Strategic Priorities

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Prioritizing efficiency, transparency
and reliability

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Investing in staff and championing
Innovation

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Planning for 2022

Air's Core Functions by Division

Air Planning Division

- Mobile Sources
- Attainment Planning
- Ambient Monitoring
- Data Analysis

Engineering and Technical Services

- Stationary Source Control
- Permitting
- Technical Services

Enforcement

- Field Enforcement
- Source Emissions Monitoring
- Compliance Analysis
- Administrative Enforcement

Radiation

- Radioactive materials
- Medical X-Ray and Radiation
- Support Emergency operations center (EOC)





Regulation Priorities

Adopted in 2020

Anticipated Regulatory Adoption/Amendment	Point of contact	Goal Submission to LRRC
Conversion of General Permit to Limit Potential to Emit to Permits-by-Rule (new RCSCA sections 22a-174-33a and -33b)	Raquel Herrera	Adopted September 2020 Filed with SOTS
New Source Review permit program revisions and updates	Paula Gomez	Adopted in October 2020 filed with SOTS
Exemptions from New Source Review permitting for certain small incinerators	Raquel Herrera	Legislative Regulation Review Committee Meeting January 28, 2021

2021 Regulatory Agenda*

* Subject to change!

- Mobile sources
 - analyze regulatory impacts of new I/M program contract and vendor (May 2021) and
 - track activity in California relative to Low and Zero Emission Vehicle (LEV/ZEV) program developments
- Attainment planning
 - analyze regulatory impacts associated with reclassification of the SWCT ozone nonattainment area from “serious” to “severe” for the 2008 ozone NAAQS
- Update radiation regulations and potentially support agreement state status with U.S. NRC
- Update source monitoring requirements

