

Technology Implementation Office (T.I.O.)

Fiscal Year Ending (FYE) 2019 Budget Preview and Progress
Report

Executive Committee - April 16, 2018

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- Customer Discovery
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- Stationary Loan Program
- Global Climate Action Summit – T.I.O. Event
- Next Steps

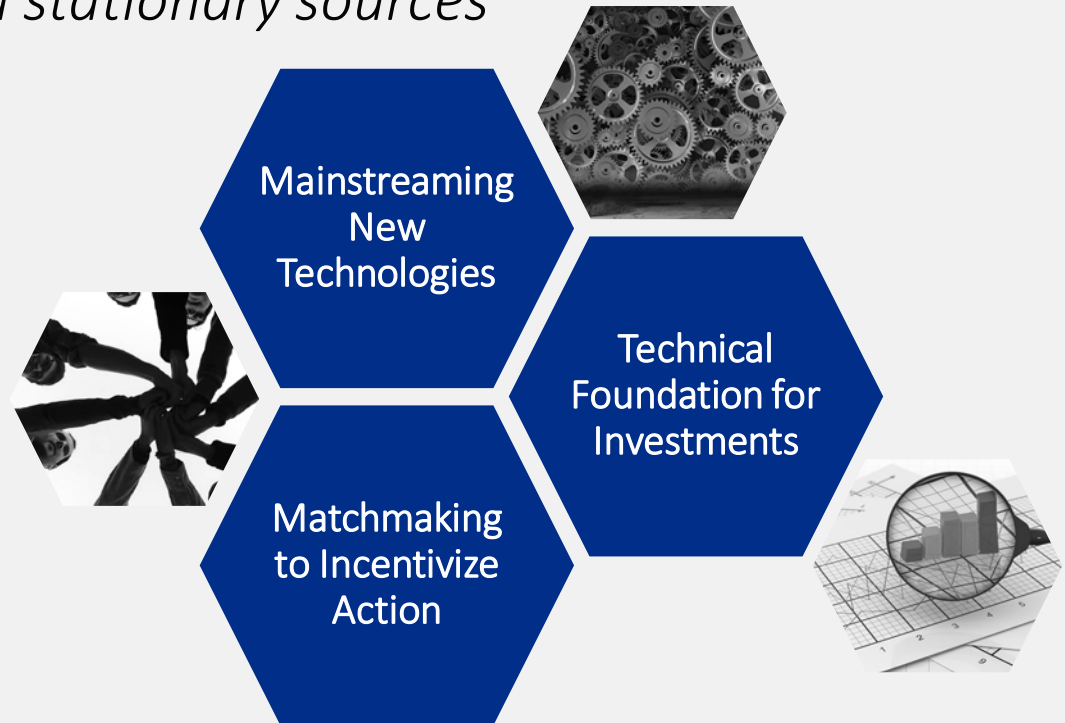
Technology Implementation Office

Mission Statement

Catalyze innovation to combat climate change by incentivizing disruptive, low-cost technologies that reduce greenhouse gas emissions for mobile and stationary sources

3 priorities

identified through stakeholder engagement w/ researchers, technologists, incubators, utilities, facilities, partner agencies, financing authorities



Benefits to Partners with Air District T.I.O.

Technology Developers
and Companies

Accelerated awareness and mainstreaming
of new technologies

Stationary
Facilities

Information about technology
and financing opportunities



Financing
Authorities

Expanded customer base



Access loans for technology
upgrades



Co-funding to cover higher
risk or newer technologies

Getting out in front of permitting
and regulatory requirements

Increased confidence in project
technical viability and payback periods
to enable more investment

Customer Discovery

Following guidance from the T.I.O. Steering Committee, conducting additional interviews:



Stationary facilities, to understand what customers need, technology opportunities, and financing barriers



Financing partners, to understand risk and financing structures

Results will be summarized at the next Steering Committee (June 21, 2018)

Technology Assessment - What are the key technologies and facilities to incentivize?



- Energy efficiency
- Alternatives to gas turbines and diesel ICEs (e.g. gas microturbines, hydrogen FCs)
- Cooling and heating (e.g. geothermal, electric heat pumps)
- Carbon sequestration and use
- Methane capture and use
- Waste-to-energy



- Zero emissions vehicles and infrastructure (lifecycle)
- Autonomous electric vehicles
- Renewable fuels (e.g. renewable diesel, renewable natural gas)

Cross-cutting

- Smart/connected technologies (sensors, leveraging mobile networks, big data, artificial intelligence, Internet of Things, industrial IoT, software or applications)
- Battery storage for renewable power

Technology Assessment Goal

*To have an updatable tool to guide
Air District's matchmaking and incentives:*

Where can the Air District and TIO make the most **impact** per \$?

- GHG emissions reductions
- Cost

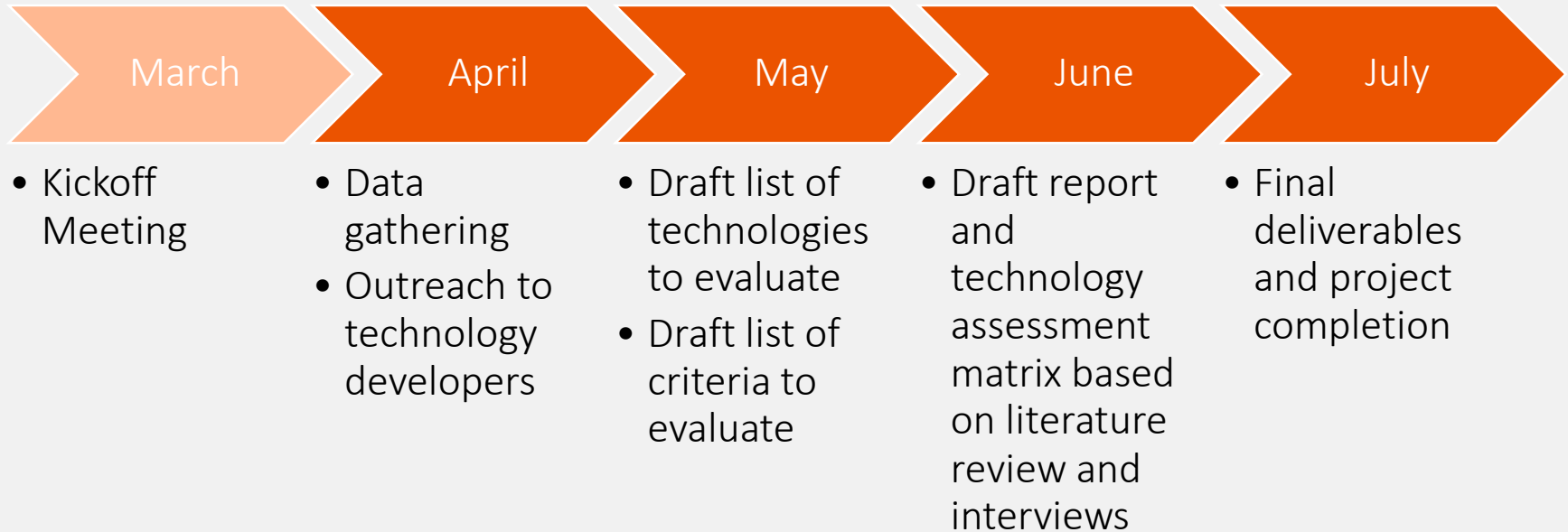
How can we balance **incentives** with current and future **regulation**?

- Improvements over existing alternatives
- Time to commercialization

What technologies could be **replicated** and **scaled** outside the Bay Area?

- Risk (technology, market)
- Barriers to success

Technology Assessment Timeline



Stationary Loan Program: Financing Partnership with IBank



Co-lending partnership

Revolving Loan Fund for Public Sector
Loan Guarantee for Small Business



Make it easier for facilities to implement new technologies

- Fund newer technologies
- Identify new borrowers
- Lower interest rates and cover fees (for first few years)
- Providing engineering evaluations, technical assistance to borrowers, inspections of projects

Expand current programs

- California Lending for Energy and Environmental Needs (CLEEN)
- Small Business Loan Guarantee Program (SBLGP)
- Leverage funding, guidelines and administration
- Reporting on funds and projects

Key Terms of Proposed Loan Program

\$4M initial TIO loan fund

- Combined from FYE 2018 budget reserves
- Deployed at \$1-2M per year over next 3 years
- # projects/year: 5 - 10



Current programs

Loans for municipalities, universities, schools, hospitals

- \$500K to \$30M
- 2% to 3% interest

Loan guarantees for small businesses

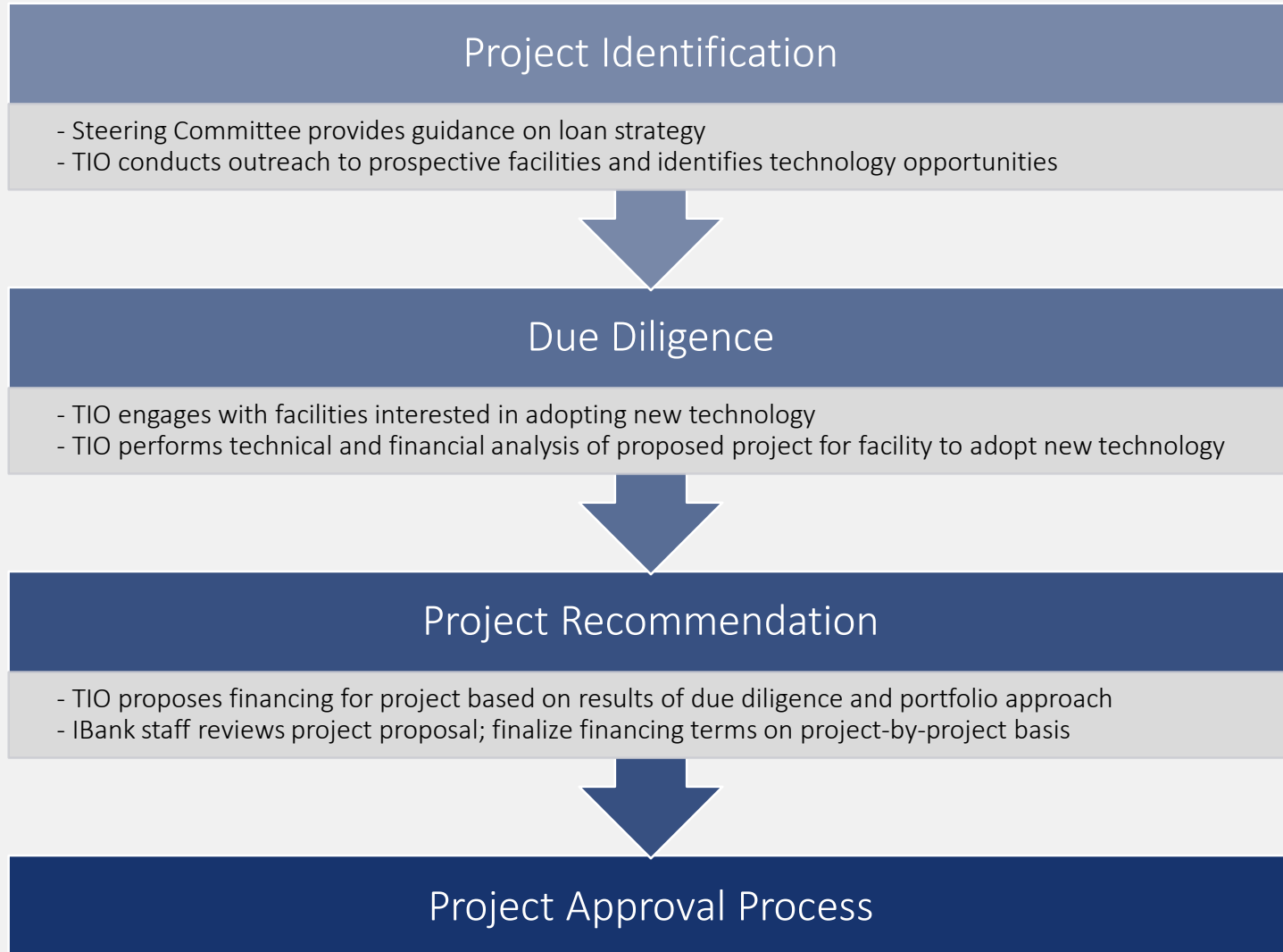
- up to \$2.5M
- up to 80% guarantee



“Sweetening the deal”

- Offer Air District funds at 0% to lower interest rates
- 10% - 25% of total loan plus fees (1% origination, 0.30% annual)
- Increase IBank’s standard loan guarantee amounts to encourage more banks to provide loans
- Up to additional 10% loan guarantee

Proposed Project Selection Process



Proposed Project Approval Process

Direct Loans to Public Sector		
	<u>Up to \$100k</u>	<u>Above \$100k</u>
<i>Air District</i>	Air Pollution Control Officer reviews/approves	Board of Directors reviews/approves
<i>IBank</i>	IBank board reviews/approves in parallel	

Proposed Project Approval Process

Loan Guarantees for Small Businesses	
<u>Up to \$250k</u>	
<i>Air District</i>	Air Pollution Control Officer reviews/approves
<i>IBank</i>	IBank reviews/provides commitment letter to lender

- Small businesses require faster approval process
- Guarantee amount is encumbered but only drawn if bank liquidates in event of default
 - IBank loan guarantee loss rates are typically <2%/year
- Air District contribution is leveraged 10:1

Global Climate Action Summit: Climate Tech Marketplace

Speed Networking Reception and Expo

Follows the Bay Area Climate Leadership Forum to offer concrete solutions and partnerships for implementing commitments

Attendees:

- **Global Summit participants:** Connect with thriving Bay Area technology industry
- **Technology developers:** Showcase technologies, identify partners and customers
- **Governments and businesses:** Identify new technologies that can help them meet climate commitments

Next Steps



Recommendation of Candidate Communities for the Assembly Bill (AB) 617 Program



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Greg Nudd

Deputy Air Pollution Control Officer



AB 617 - A New Approach to Community Health Protection

- Originated in negotiations on extension of Cap & Trade program (AB 398)
- Responds to concerns with continued high levels of air pollution in local communities
- Directly addresses toxics and criteria pollutants in the most impacted communities



AB 617

Program Components

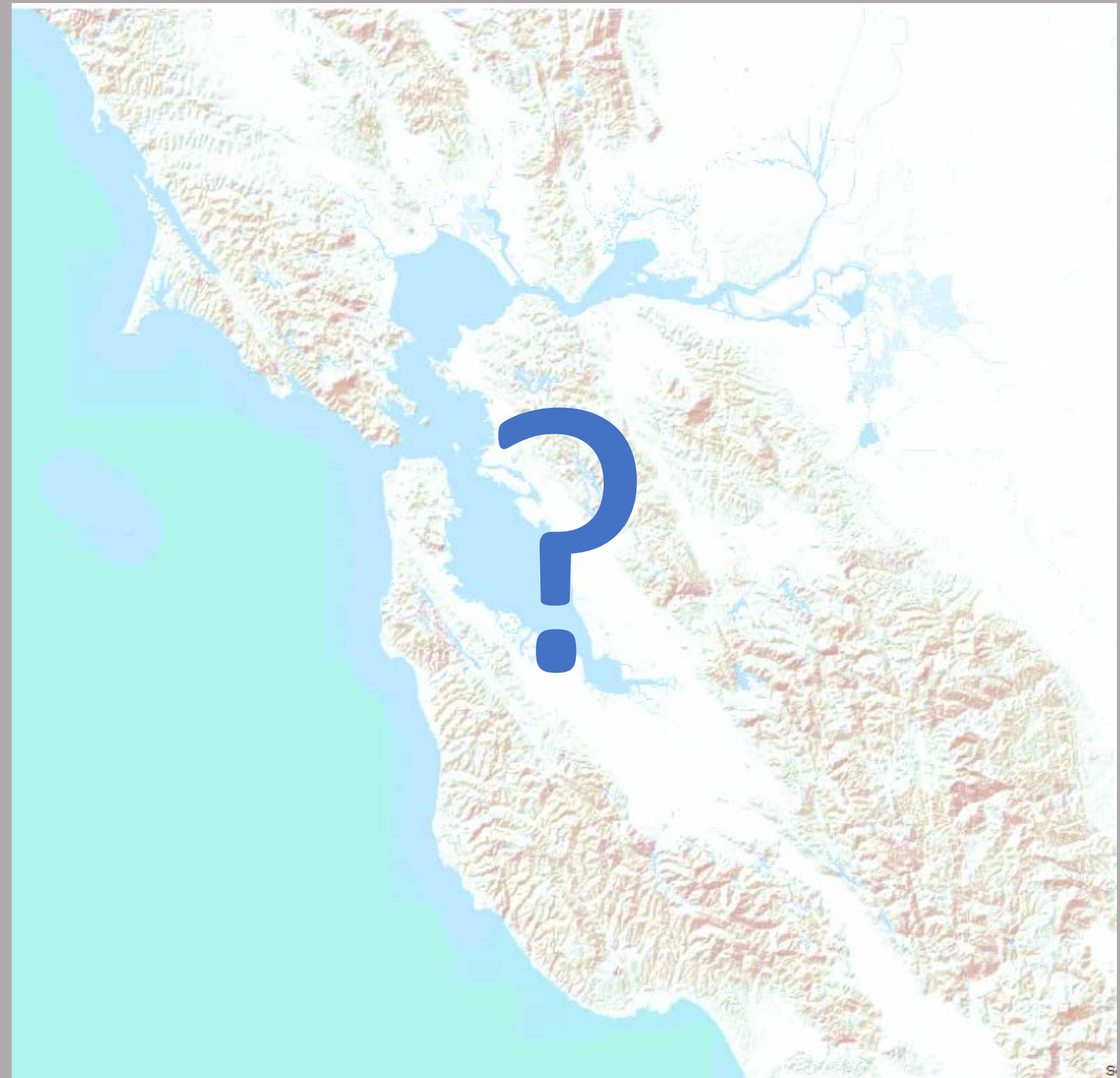
- Community selection
- Community monitoring
- Emission reduction action plans
- Incentives
- Build community capacity
- Updated emissions inventory
- Best Available Retrofit Control Technology



We are here!

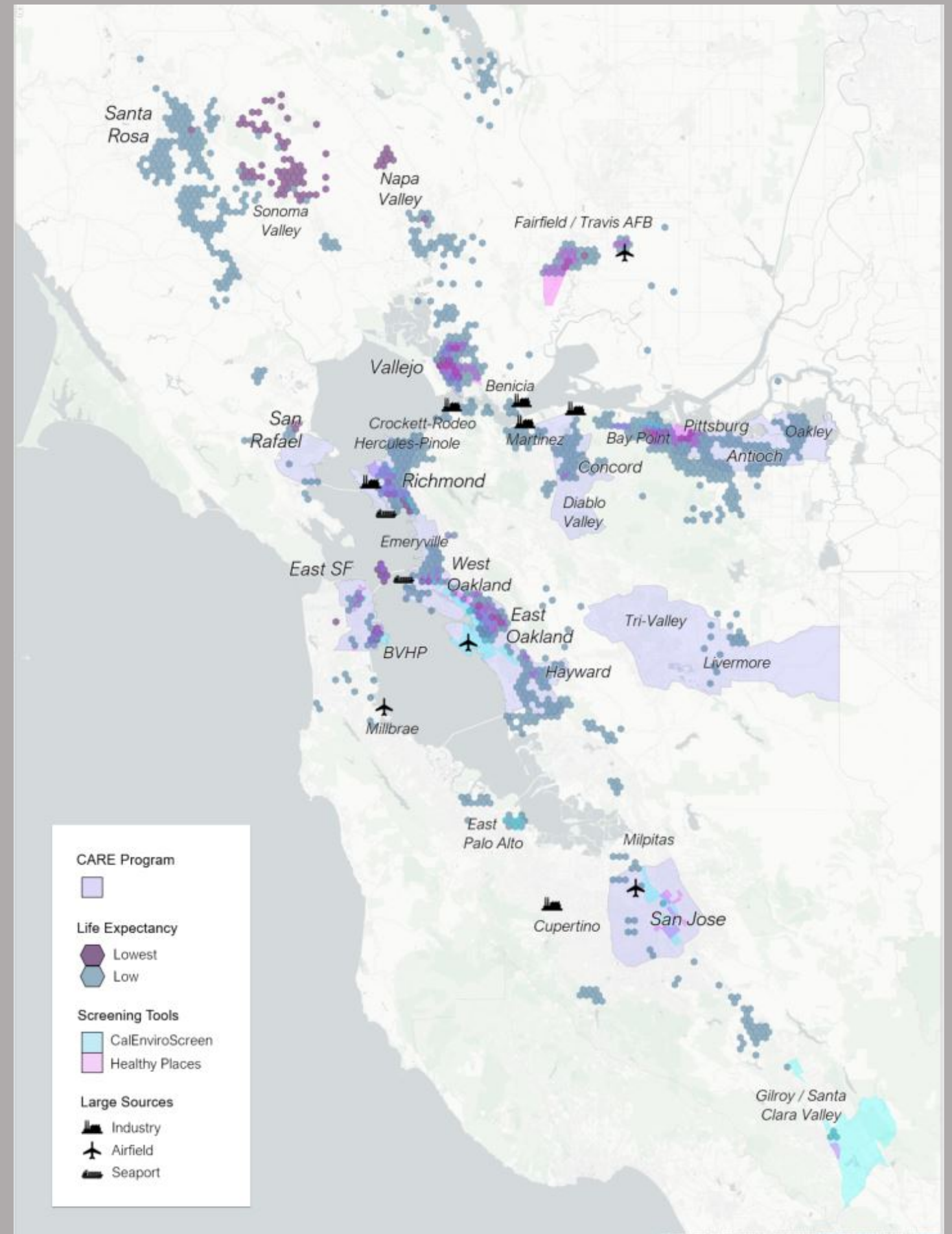
Community Selection

*State requires districts to work with communities to select all areas in the region that have a “**high cumulative exposure burden**” and then **prioritize** areas for community monitoring or actions plans over the next 6 years.*



All Candidate Communities

- CARE Areas
- Areas with large sources
- Areas with health vulnerability and pollution impacts
- Areas with low life expectancy



Work with Communities to Select Priority Areas

- **March**

- March 28: San Leandro (incl. Hayward, East Oakland)

- **April**

- April 24: Vallejo (incl. Benicia, Crocket, Fairfield)

- April 25: Pittsburg (incl. Bay Point, Antioch, Brentwood, Oakley, Bethel Island)

- April 30: Pleasant Hill (incl. Martinez, Clyde, Concord, Pacheco, Walnut Creek)

- **May**

- May 10: Tri Valley (Livermore, Pleasanton, Dublin, San Ramon)

- May 16: San Pablo (incl. Richmond, North Richmond, Pinole Hercules, Rodeo)

- May 21: San Jose (incl. Alviso, Redwood City, East Palo Alto, Cupertino, Milpitas, Fremont, Gilroy)

- May 24: Fairfield (incl. Napa and surrounding area)

- **June**

- Santa Rosa (incl. Marin City, Canal District, San Geronimo Valley)

- Oakland (incl. Alameda, Albany, Berkeley, Emeryville)

- San Francisco (incl. South San Francisco and Marin)

Ideas for Prioritizing Communities for Action

Air Quality

- Fine particles
- Toxics
- Ozone

Health Burden/Vulnerability

- Life expectancy
- Lung disease
- Heart disease

Other Factors?



What we've heard: selecting communities

- Overall strong support for community selection criteria
- In selecting communities, we should consider:
 - Odors
 - Heavy idling
 - History of regulatory violations
 - Income, race, and other factors that magnify health impacts
 - Historical contamination
 - Traffic congestion
 - Residential wood burning
 - Communities with engaged partners and existing infrastructure
 - Communities that have been left behind

What we've heard: overall program

- Improve Air District permitting process
 - Factor in cumulative impact before permitting
- Prevent increased air pollution in overburdened communities
 - Consider permit moratorium in impacted communities
- Challenge what is acceptable air pollution
- Provide grants to communities to perform community outreach
- Provide community assistance in accessing grant funding
- Be transparent, open, and accountable

Program Milestones

March 2018

- Begin community meetings

April 30, 2018

- Air districts submits candidate community areas, i.e. all high cumulative exposure burden areas, to State

July 31, 2018

- Final recommendation to State on Year 1, Year 2-5, Years 6+ communities

October 1, 2018

- State selects Year 1 communities

Fall 2019

- State selects additional communities (and annually thereafter)



UPDATE ON MY AIR ONLINE PERMITTING & COMPLIANCE SYSTEM

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Blair L. Adams

Information Systems Manager

AGENDA

Production System Office

Status Update

Demonstration

Questions

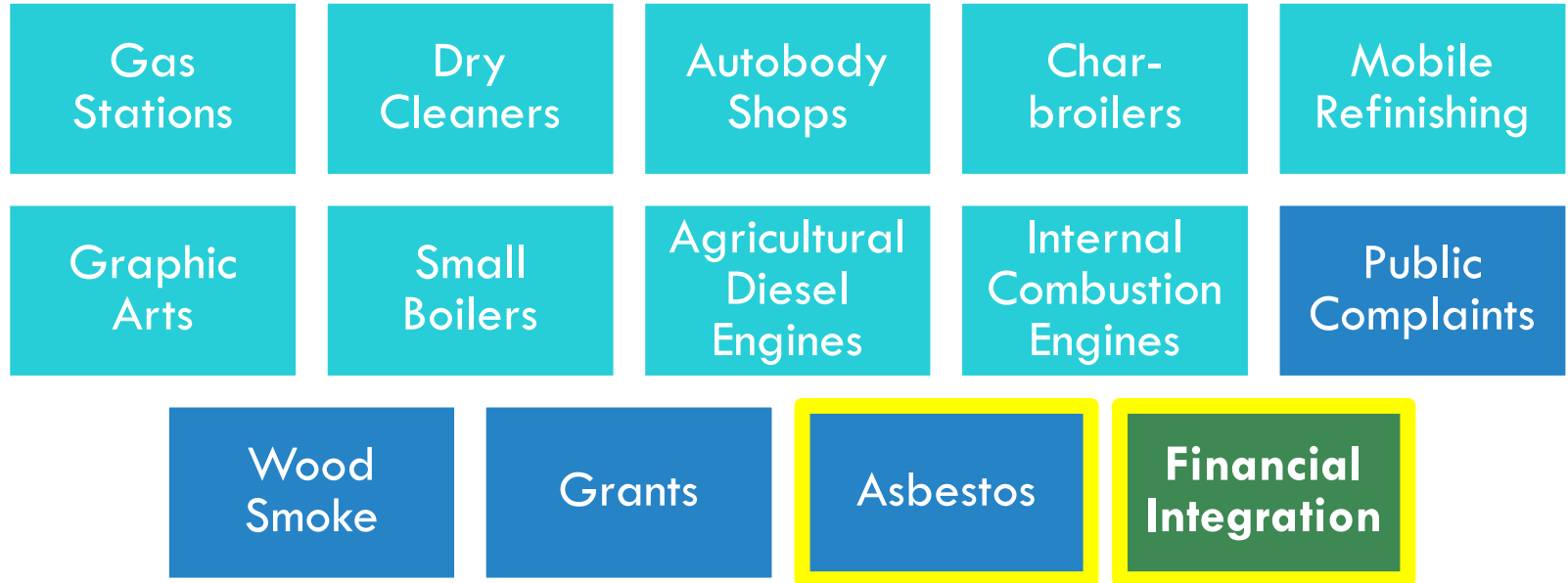
PRODUCTION SYSTEM OFFICE: SCOPE

Public Websites

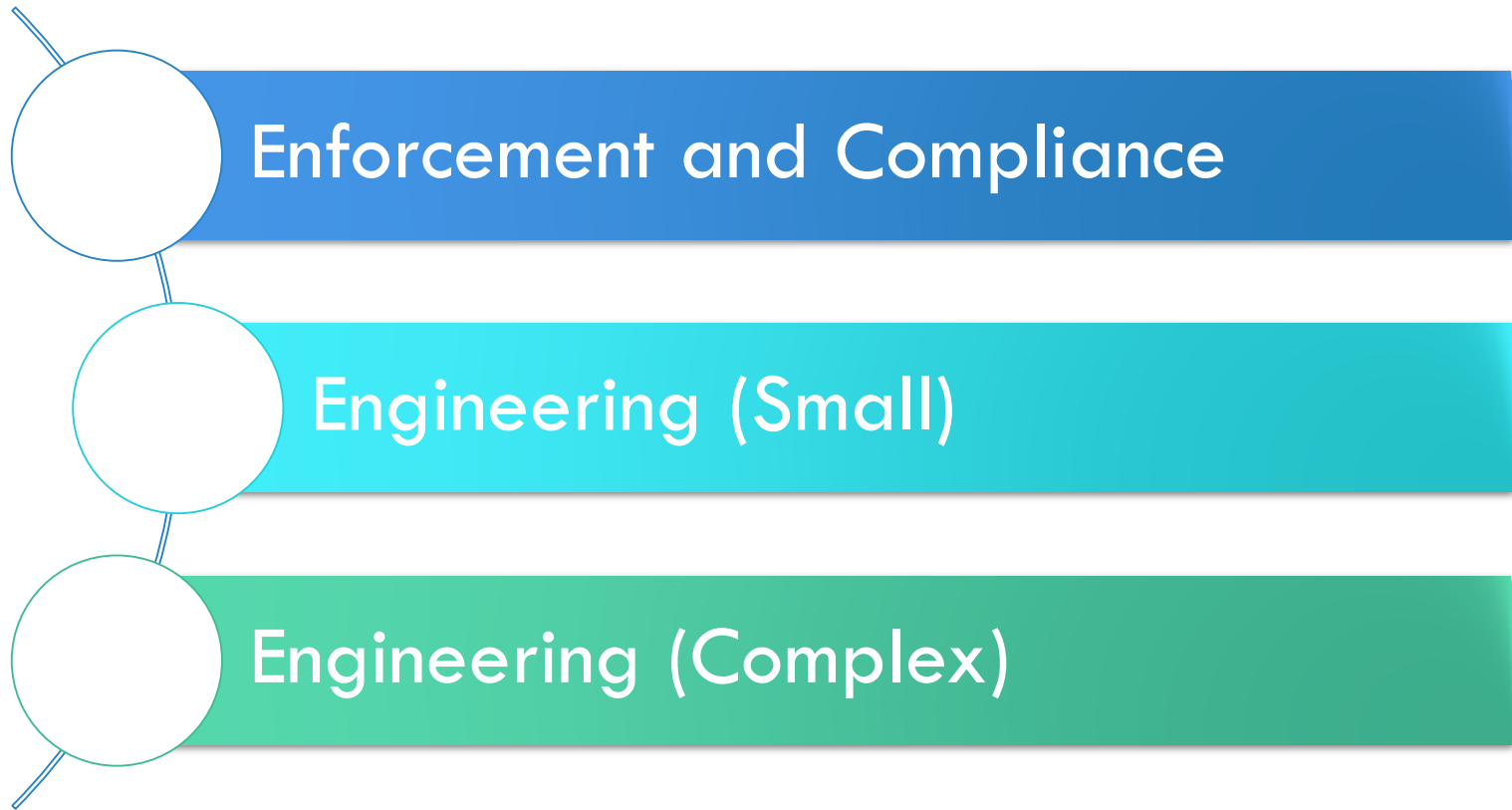
Data Management and Analytics

Permitting and Compliance System

PERMITTING AND COMPLIANCE SYSTEM: CURRENT FEATURES



PERMITTING AND COMPLIANCE SYSTEM: THREE TRACKS



PERMITTING AND COMPLIANCE SYSTEM: IN-PROCESS (Q2)

Emissions Inventory

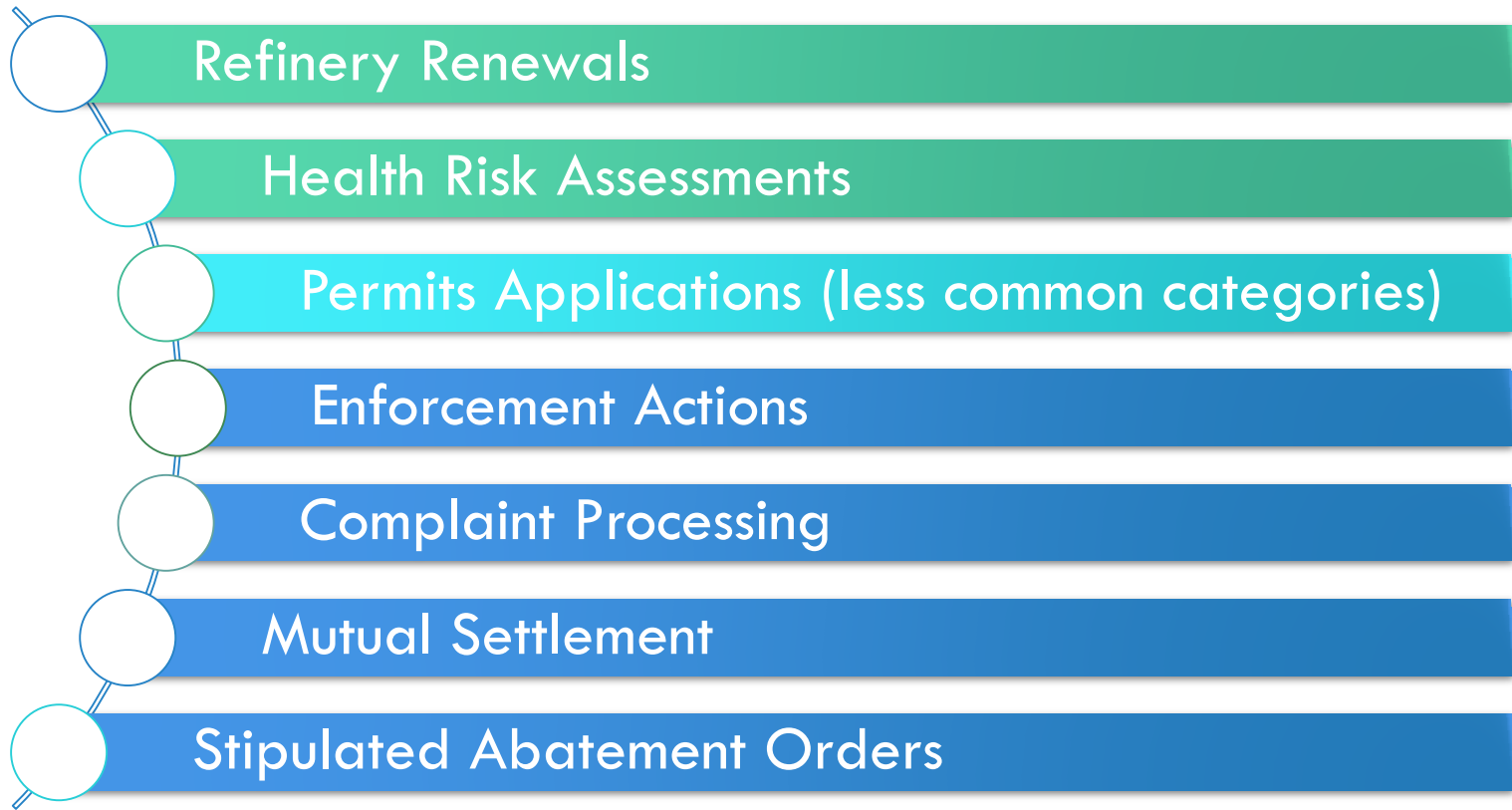
Health Risk Assessments

Facility Inspections

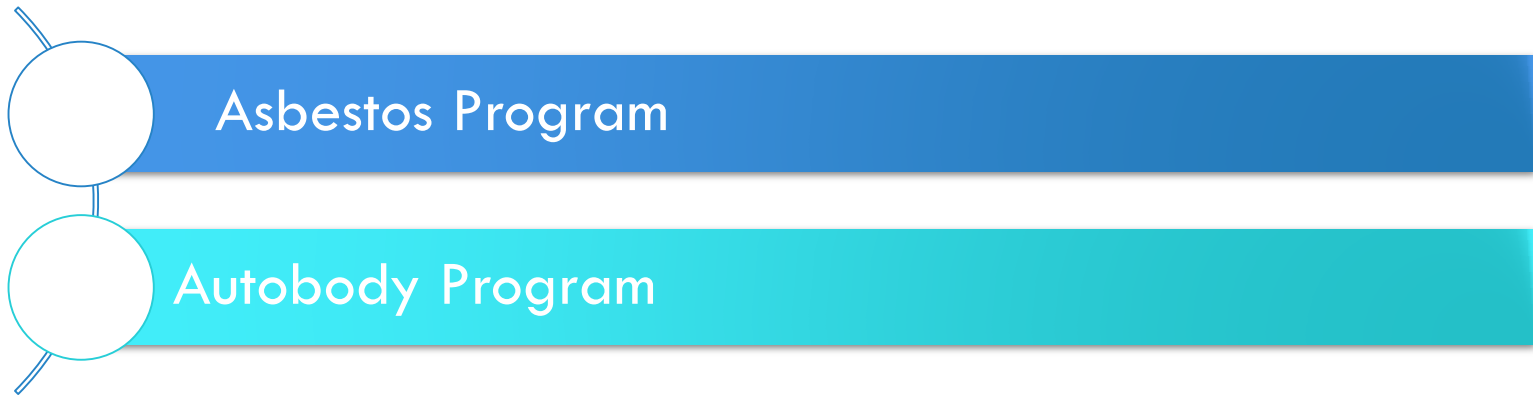
General Inspections

Payment System Evaluation

PERMITTING AND COMPLIANCE SYSTEM: FUTURE DEVELOPMENT



PERMITTING AND COMPLIANCE SYSTEM: DEMONSTRATION





QUESTIONS

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