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Air District, CARB & SF community work together to reduce air pollution from big trucks

Anti-idling effort in San Francisco's Bayview District strives to Spare the Air

SAN FRANCISCO - The Bay Area Air District and partners are announcing the installation of anti-idling street signage to protect the health of Bayview residents from diesel pollution in the area surrounding the San Francisco Wholesale Produce Market. The market is a major center for the regional distribution of produce located in the Bayview District, a neighborhood heavily impacted by truck exhaust and industrial pollution.

- WHAT:** Media availability to kick-off the installation of anti-idling signage around the San Francisco Wholesale Market
- WHERE:** San Francisco Wholesale Produce Market, 2095 Jerrold Avenue, San Francisco
- WHEN:** Wednesday, January 18 at 11:00 a.m.
- WHY:** Truck idling pollutes the air and wastes fuel. This is part of a long-term effort to reduce localized air pollution impacts in the Bayview community
- WHO:** Representatives of the Air District, the California Air Resources Board, along with community members and representatives of the San Francisco Wholesale Produce Market and Greenaction for Health & Environmental Justice

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (www.baaqmd.gov) is the regional agency responsible for protecting air quality in the nine-county Bay Area.

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