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[BULK] Take the Survey Form Submission

There has been a submission of the form Take the Survey through your NSW Environment Protection Authority website.

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**Which stakeholder group best describes you?**

Consultant/academic

**Do you support extending the summer petrol volatility period from 15 November - 15 March to 1 November - 31 March?**

support

**Do you support requiring older operations at EPA licensed industrial premises to meet the more stringent emission standards that apply to newer activities and plant?**

support

**Comments**

The more we make allowances for older equipment which is emission intensive to operate the more we chase our tail. We would update WINDOWS to get better computing performance so why not update aged equipment to support

our younger generations future.

**Do you support the transition period (by 2025 to 2030) for these older activities and plant to meet more stringent emission limits?**

support

#### **Comments**

I feel this give sufficient notice and timing. The fear is that costs will filter down to end users and I don't think that should be the case.

**Do you support expanding the geographic area in which controls apply for the storage and transfer of volatile organic liquids to include the greater Newcastle and Wollongong metropolitan areas, so they are included in the area that requires petrol vapours to be captured during transfer of petrol between underground storage tanks and road tankers (the stage one zone in the Clean Air Regulation)?**

strongly support

#### **Comments**

This should happen everywhere not just in built up areas. The petrochemical industry can easily afford to update tankers to facilitate this.

**Do you support the proposed new tightened emission limits and control requirements for all volatile organic liquid storage tanks, loading plant and tank vehicles regardless of age?**

support

**Do councils wish to amend their listings in Part 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 to provide different levels of control of burning of vegetation and domestic waste in their local government areas?**

Probably not as it will cost more and that will take away from increasing housing and subsequent revenue to council

**What do you think are the most important sources of air pollution to address in Sydney?**

Vehicle and wood fired heating emissions

**What do you think are the most important sources of air pollution to address in Newcastle?**

PM levels from Coal dust due to storage and transport

**What do you think are the most important sources of air pollution to address in Wollongong?**

SO<sub>2</sub> from steel making, this has improved but occasionally the obvious smell is present.

**What do you think are the most important sources of air pollution to address in the Greater Metropolitan Region?**

Vehicles