# COMMUNITY AIR PROTECTION (CAP) PROGRAM



The Sac Metro Air District wants to find the best ways we can help reduce the air pollution in selected communities, through the Community Air Protection (CAP) Program, to improve the air we breathe every day.



# WHAT IS THE CAP PROGRAM?

As part of Assembly Bill (AB) 617, the California Air Resources Board created a program to improve air quality in communities most affected by air pollution. In 2018, the Sac Metro Air District identified 10 highly impacted communities in Sacramento County. The South Sacramento-Florin community was one of the 10 communities initially selected by the state to participate in the CAP Program (see map on back).

# **HOW CAN THE CAP PROGRAM IMPROVE AIR QUALITY?**

#### The program hopes to accomplish the following:

- Localize air quality monitoring to get more specific measurements of air pollution.
- Increase pollution reporting and adjust fines for businesses and industries county-wide.
- Help businesses be more air quality friendly, such as helping them afford less polluting vehicles and promoting electric vehicle charging stations.



The CAP incentive program has been created to fund projects that can help improve air quality in selected communities.

Learn more about our program or submit your input by visiting www.airquality.org/CAPIncentives.

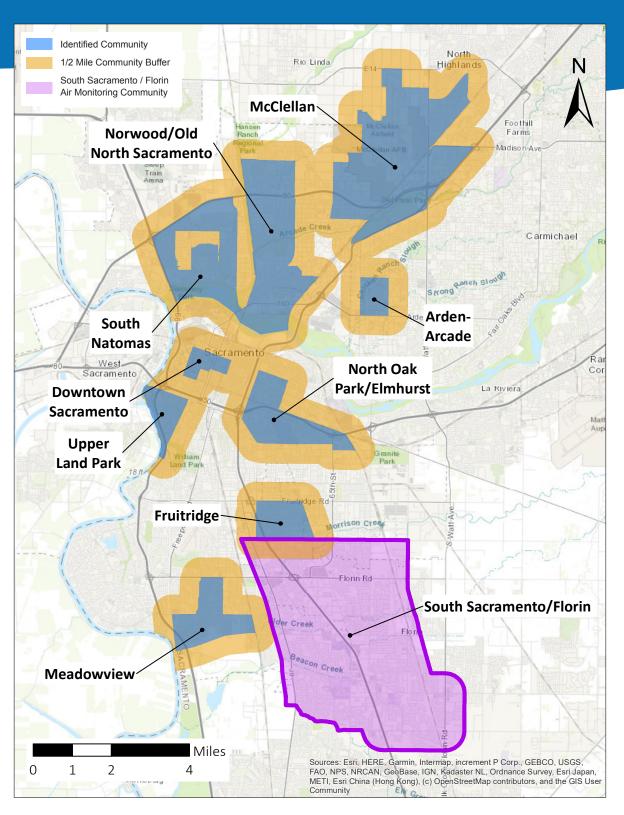


## **HOW DOES THE CAP PROGRAM AFFECT ME?**

I am a resident: The Sac Metro Air District will enhance air monitoring in *selected communities,* then make plans to improve air quality and reduce the highest pollutants.

**I am a business owner:** For businesses in good standing, there may be funding available for those who are interested in going above and beyond requirements to reduce air pollution.

Below is a map of the 10 communities identified by the Sac Metro Air District that are highly impacted by air pollution in Sacramento County. South Sacramento-Florin was initially chosen by the state to participate in the Community Air Protection (CAP) Program.



### **QUESTIONS?**

Please contact the Sac Metro Air District for more information by emailing CommunityAirProtectionMonitoring@airquality.org or calling 916-874-4800.



