

## AGENDA ITEM 7H

To: Members of the YSAQMD Board of Directors  
From: Paul Hensleigh, Interim APCO  
Date: August 10, 2022  
**Subject: Approve Purchase of Air Monitoring Equipment**

### Recommended Action

Approve the purchase of air monitoring equipment to replace existing equipment.

### Background

As part of our FY2022 EPA American Rescue Plan (ARP) direct award grant, which will be dispersed as an EPA 103 grant from the California Air Pollution Control Officer's Association (CAPCOA), our District was approved for funding to purchase the following specific air monitoring equipment, which is the industry standard for continuous sampling:

- Met One BAM-1020 PM2.5, approximate cost \$22,500
- Teledyne API T400 ozone analyzer, approximate cost \$11,278
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The cost of each of the above pieces of equipment are above \$3,000 and have a useful life over 1 year, therefore per our District's administrative policy (section 310) they are "fixed assets".

The District's administrative policy (section 314) states that the APCO may purchase fixed assets that have been approved by the Board. Therefore, we are asking the Board to approve the purchase of these fixed assets. These items will be sole source since they are specialty items.

### Budget Impact

These items are fixed assets not allocated within the budget. We expect to receive the funding in August 2022. The budget adjustment to account for this ARP grant will be made with the final budget.