

San Joaquin Valley Air District Permitting Process

Pre-application meeting with District permitting staff (highly recommended)
[Small Business Assistance](#)

Project Application submitted to the District (application filing fees):
[Permit Application Process](#), [Applications](#), [Policies](#), [Gears](#)

Preliminary Review

Application Complete?

Additional information requested
[Applications](#)

30 days
max
[Rule 2201, Section 5.1](#)

Engineering Evaluation

[New Source Review](#)

- Best Available Control Technology ([Policy](#), [BACT Clearinghouse](#))
- Emission Offsets
- Ambient Air Quality Impact Assess.
- Public Notice/School Notice
- Major Source Requirements

[Prohibitory Rules](#)

[Risk Management Review](#)

CEQA Review

CEQA Analysis
[CEQA Implementation Policy](#)
[CEQA Greenhouse Gas Policy](#)
[CEQA Supplemental Form](#)

180 days
max
[Rule 2201, Section 5.3](#)

30-day Public Notice / School Notice required?

30-day Public Notice / School Notice
(notice of intended action to issue or deny)

Authority to Construct (ATC) Issuance?

Application denied and [evaluation fee](#) assessed

CEQA Public Notice Required?

20 or 30-day CEQA Public Notice

Project finalized and [evaluation fee](#) assessed

Notice of Determination

Construction (begin within two years)

District Start-up Inspection

Permit to Operate (annual inspection, [permit fees](#))

