



## **Rule 4702 - Internal Combustion Engines New Requirements**

Rule 4702 was amended on August 19, 2021, and is applicable to internal combustion (IC) Engines with a rating of 25 brake horsepower or greater. For spark-ignited IC engines, this rule amendment lowered NOx and VOC emission limits and established particulate matter and sulfur oxide requirements. There were no changes for compression-ignited IC engines. The rule requires the following actions by the dates specified in the table below:

<b>IC engine category</b>	<b>Submit Emission Control Plan, Inspection and Monitoring Plan, and Application for Authority to Construct</b>	<b>Demonstrate Compliance</b>
Non-Agricultural Operation spark ignited IC engines	August 1, 2022	December 31, 2023
Agricultural Operation spark ignited IC engines – Rich Burn	August 1, 2022	December 31, 2023
Agricultural Operation spark ignited IC engines – Lean Burn	August 1, 2028	December 31, 2029 or 12 years after engine installation

Rule 4702 may affect your operation in ways not mentioned in this bulletin, as the Rule contains exemptions and requirements not identified in this bulletin.

You may gain additional information by reading the full text of the rule at: <http://valleyair.org/rules/currentrules/r4702.pdf> or by calling the District's Small Business Assistance (SBA) at the numbers listed below:

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