

Authority (PCCA) provided temporary funds to maintain the CAMs and PPP respectively, however; the CAMs by TAMUK are not currently operating due to the loss of technical staff. CCAQ is working to reinstate the TCEQ funding to operate these two programs and to successfully reintroduce the Rider 7 funding that allocates approximately \$400,000 (\$200,000/year) to CCAQ to monitor the air quality. CCAQ still needs funding of \$70,000 to \$100,000 to operate the AutoCheck Program which is not applicable for the Rider 7 funding. The CCAQ is working with the PCCA to keep supporting the program.

Mayor McComb inquired how \$400,000 is spent on the Airsheds. Ms. Arnold explained that the fund is spent for the equipment, its maintenance and calibration, parts purchases, data sampling, quarterly reports, and manpower to do these tasks.

Mr. Zahn inquired regarding the AutoCheck voucher program. Ms. Arnold explained the AutoCheck program is a Supplemental Environmental Program (SEP) performed with penalty monies from TCEQ. Ms. Arnold offered the following example: the owner of the vehicle with high exhaust emissions is given a voucher to take the vehicle to a certified auto shop and the shop reports the problem to AutoCheck personnel who can authorize up to \$600 for repairs.

Judge Krebs asked if these air quality monitors can be installed in the area the region requested. Ms. Arnold answered that the location of these monitors is determined by TCEQ because the funding comes from TCEQ, but she encouraged the discussion on the regionally preferable location for the monitors among the local representatives.

The TPC members thanked Ms. Arnold for the informative presentation, and also acknowledged the industries' involvement on the region's air quality attainment status.

8. Upcoming Meetings:

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| A. Technical Advisory Committee: | MTP Projects Workshop: June 12, 2019, 11:00 – 1:00 p.m. |
| B. Technical Advisory Committee: | Regular Meeting: June 20, 2019, 9:00 a.m. |
| C. Transportation Policy Committee: | Regular Meeting: July 11, 2019, 2:00 p.m. |

9. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 3:17 p.m.