



**Table AQ-2
Attainment of State and Federal Criteria Air Pollutant Standards**

Air Basin	Ozone	Carbon Monoxide	Nitrogen Oxides	Sulfur Dioxide	Lead	Particulate Matter
SCAQMD	Non-attainment (State and Federal)	Non-attainment (Federal) Has not exceeded State standards in 5 years	Maintenance Area ¹	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Non-attainment (State and Federal)
SSAB	Non-attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Non-attainment (State and Federal)
MDAQMD	Non-attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Attainment (State and Federal)	Non-attainment (Federal) Attainment Unclassified ² (State)

Notes:

1. An area once classified as non-attainment but has recently shown achievement of air quality standards.

2. After meeting attainment standards, the MDAQMD discontinued monitoring efforts; consequently it cannot be given full attainment status.

Source: Southern California Air Quality Management District and the Mojave Desert Air Quality Management Basin

Multi-jurisdictional Cooperation

Air pollutants are not limited to jurisdictional boundaries. Local land use patterns, emission sources, and airflow patterns throughout southern California contribute to the air quality of Riverside County. While the County can enact policies that limit emissions within its boundaries, it is necessary to support efforts to decrease region-wide pollution emissions as surrounding jurisdictions significantly impact Riverside County’s air quality. The following policies are designed to establish a regional basis for improving air quality.

Policies:

- AQ 1.1 Promote and participate with regional and local agencies, both public and private, to protect and improve air quality. (AI 111)
- AQ 1.2 Support the Southern California Association of Government’s (SCAG) Regional Growth Management Plan by developing intergovernmental agreements with appropriate governmental entities such as the Western Riverside Council of Governments (WRCOG), the Coachella Valley Association of Governments (CVAG), sanitation districts, water districts, and those subregional entities identified in the Regional Growth Management Plan. (AI 111)
- AQ 1.3 Participate in the development and update of those regional air quality management plans required under federal and state law, and meet all standards established for clean air in these plans. (AI 110)

