# Achieving Air Quality and Climate Change Goals through Energy and Transportation Transformation

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## Driving Forces Behind CARB Policies

#### \* Healthy Air Quality for All Californians

- \* Continued progress towards ozone attainment
- Reduce localized exposure to pollutants and toxics

#### \* Stable Global Climate

\* Reduce greenhouse gases (GHG) 80% below 1990 levels by 2050



## Over 90% of Californians still breathing unhealthy air

## State of the Air 2013 Most Polluted U.S. Cities

#### **Unhealthy Ozone Days**

- 1 Los Angeles
- 2 Visalia
- 3 Bakersfield
- 4 Fresno
- 5 Hanford
- 6 Sacramento
- 7 Houston, TX
- 8 Dallas, TX
- 9 Washington, DC
- 10 El Centro

- \* California has 7 of 10 most ozone polluted cities in the United States
- \* 5 million Californians with asthma
  - \* 1.2 million children
- \* 9,200 premature deaths annually due to current particulate matter (PM) levels

Source: American Lung Association



## Policies and Programs





## AB 32 and Cap & Trade



- \* AB 32 requires California to return to 1990 levels of greenhouse gas emissions by 2020
- \* The cap and trade program is a key element in California's climate plan.
  - \* It sets a statewide limit on sources responsible for 85 percent of California's greenhouse gas emissions
  - \* establishes a price signal needed to drive long-term investment in cleaner fuels and more efficient use of energy.



## Scoping Plan Proposed Update Sector Recommendations

#### **Transportation**

- \* Reduce light-duty <u>and</u> heavy-duty GHG emissions 5 percent per year to continue progress toward near-zero emissions by 2050
- Enhance and strengthen Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS)
- Develop Sustainable Freight Strategy

#### **Energy**

- Develop a comprehensive GHG emission reduction program for energy by 2016
- \* Increase energy efficiency, distributed generation/CHP, demand response, and integrated low carbon energy supply















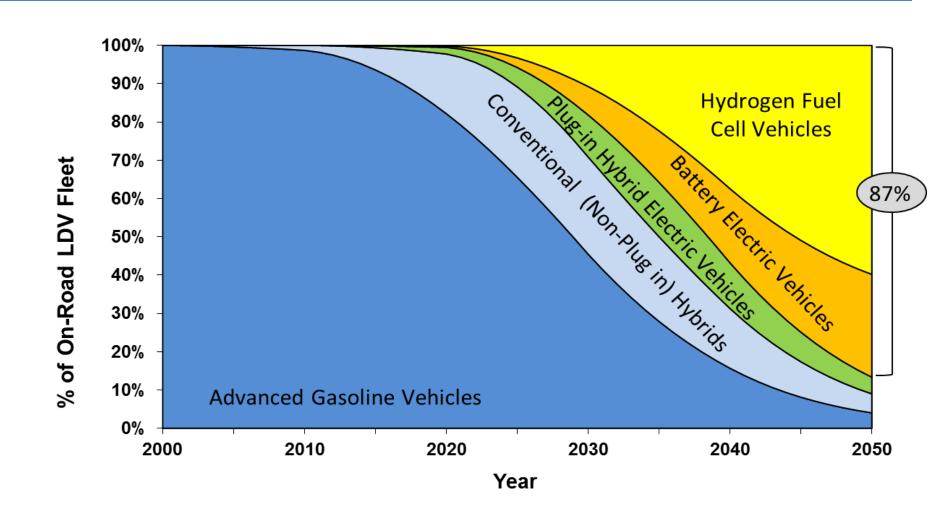








## Light Duty Vehicle GHG Goals





### California ZEV Action Plan

#### 2013

ZEV Action Plan A roadmap toward 1.5 million zero-emission vehicles on California roadways by 2025





Governor's Interagency Working Group on Zero-emission Vehicles Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. February 2013

- Executive Order signed March 2012
  - \* 1.5 Million ZEVs in California by 2025
  - Infrastructure to support 1 Million ZEVs by 2020
  - \* 10 percent of state fleet vehicles shall be ZEVs by 2015 and 25 percent by 2020
- Action Plan finalized in February 2013
  - \* Multi agency plan for supporting the goals of the Executive Order
  - \* Focus on:
    - \* Public awareness and demand
    - \* Infrastructure
    - \* Fleets
    - Building ZEV industry

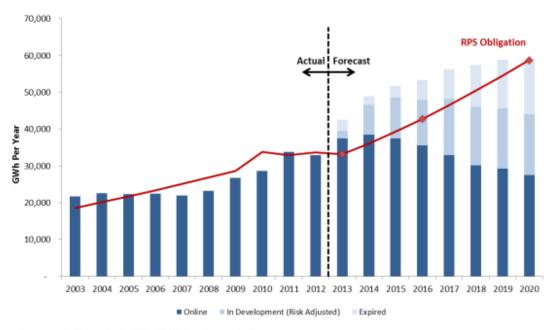


### Low Carbon Fuel Standard

- \* Reduce greenhouse gas emissions
  - \* ~15 MMT in-state in 2020
- \* Reduce carbon intensity of transportation fuel pool by 10% by 2020
- Help achieve AB 32 objective of reducing GHG emissions to 1990 levels by 2020
- \* Transform and diversify fuel pool
- \* Reduce petroleum dependency



## Renewable Portfolio Standard



Source: California Public Utilities Commission, August 2013



## Challenges

- Building the market pull for zero emission vehicles
- \* Building the fueling infrastructure to support zero emission vehicles
- \* Capture of the many pathways zero emission fuels can be produced for LCFS
- \* Optimal integration and utilization of renewable energy



## Opportunities

- \* Cross sector connections that benefit multiple policy goals
- \* Building business case for the market transformation we need to see

## Thank you