

**Arizona SWANA Legislative Update
October 7, 2016**

1. State

Legislature:

Arizona's 53rd legislature scheduled to be elected November 8, 2016 and begin its first regular session in January 2017.

Ballot Initiatives:

Proposition 205 permits individuals 21 years and older to privately use, possess, manufacture, give away, or transport up to 1 ounce of marijuana and grow up to 6 marijuana plants at the individual's residence.

Proposition 206 would increase the state minimum wage from the current \$8.05/hour to \$10.00 in 2017, \$10.50 in 2018, \$11.00 in 2019 and \$12.00 in 2020. Beginning 3 in 2021, the state minimum wage would increase each year by the cost of living. entitles employees to earn 1 hour of paid sick time for every 30 hours worked with limits based upon the size of the employer; broadly defining the conditions under which paid sick time may be taken.

2. Local

Maricopa County:

Public meeting on October 24, 2016 at 3:00 pm to approve expedited rulemaking process for two rules:

Rule 280 (Fees): Maricopa County is proposing to update permit fees by 11.7%. Annual Title V administration fees for landfills will be increasing from \$18,140 to \$20,270 (11.7%). Emissions based fees will be increasing from \$38.25/ton to \$42.74/ton. Permit processing fees will increase from \$133.50/hour to \$149.20/hour.

Rule 372 (HAPs). Superior court previously ruled ADEQ does not have authority to set de minimis HAP emissions. Maricopa County is rescinding Rule 372 establishing de minimis HAP emissions consistent with the ruling.

Pima County:

Proposed rulemaking to reorganize Title 17 (Air Quality) to separate rules for major sources (Class 1) from minor sources (Class 2 and 3).

3. Federal

EPA:

No pending regulatory updates of interest.

OSHA:

Final rule requiring online submitting of workplace injury and illnesses becomes effective January 1, 2017. Applies to establishments with 250 or more employees and establishments with 20-249 employees in certain industries (includes solid waste hauling and disposal). Due July 1, 2017.

DOT:

Final Rule, 9/23/16, replacing current rules to require antennas and similar devices to be mounted not more than 6 inches below the upper edge of the windshield, and outside the driver's sight lines to the road and highway signs and signals; and provides an exception to allow devices that utilize certain vehicle safety technologies (including, but not limited to video event recorders, lane departure warning systems, collision mitigation or warning systems, transponders, and sensors that are part of a hands-free driver aid equipment package) to be mounted on the interior of the windshield and within the area swept by the windshield wipers.

Notice of proposed rulemaking for Visual-Manual NHTSA Driver Distraction Guidelines for Portable and Aftermarket Devices. Received 3/19/2016.