Asheville-Buncombe Air Quality Agency

MEMORANDUM

TO: Asheville-Buncombe Air Quality Agency Board of Directors

FROM: Ashley Featherstone, Director

RE: Agenda for September 10, 2025

DATE: September 3, 2025

Enclosed, please find the Agenda for the Asheville-Buncombe Air Quality Agency Board meeting to be held on **Wednesday September 10, 2025 at 4:00pm** in the meeting room located at the previous Buncombe County Permit Office at 30 Valley Street, Asheville, NC 28801.

This meeting will be live streamed on Engage Buncombe which can be accessed at https://engage.buncombecounty.org/s8486. The board meeting documents will also be available on the Engage Buncombe site. The meeting will be recorded and can be viewed later.

ASHEVILLE-BUNCOMBE AIR QUALITY AGENCY BOARD OF DIRECTORS
TENTATIVE AGENDA
SEPTEMBER 10, 2025 BOARD MEETING

1. **Public Comment Protocol Announcement**

2. **Adjustment and Approval of Agenda**

3. **Consent Agenda:**
   A. Approval of minutes from July 24, 2025

4. **Unfinished Business:**
   A. None

5. **Director's Report:**
   A. Tropical Storm Helene Response, Recovery Update
      1. Post Helene Recovery Update Demolition and Asbestos Removal Permits
      2. Air Curtain Incinerators
      3. Complaints: Damaged Facilities and Storm Debris Burning
      4. Non-Regulatory-Temporary Air Monitoring and Sensors
      5. Helene Recovery Projects and Preparedness
      6. Outreach: Presentations and Town Halls
   B. Status of Federal Grants-federal fiscal years 2025 and 2026
   C. Air Quality Rule Amendments
   D. Celebration of 10 years Clean Air in NC
   E. Monitoring Update
   F. Facility Permit Renewals

Facility Name	Type of Facility	Facility Classification	Location	Changes from Existing Permit
BorgWarner Emissions, Thermal & Turbo Systems	Automotive Components Manufacturing Facility	Title V	Brevard Road, Asheville	Modified permit for AEC-1 and AEC-4, diesel-fired internal combustion engine test cells to test natural gas fired combustion engines. Facility name change. Updated general conditions, permitted sources, and insignificant activity list.

G. Facility Permit Modifications

Facility Name	Type of Facility	Facility Classification	Location	Changes from Existing Permit
RTX Corporation, Pratt and Whitney	Airplane Parts Manufacturer	Small	Biltmore Park West, Asheville	Updated air toxics review, including modeling parameters and a new toxics limit.

6. New Business:

A. None

7. Other Business:

A. Legal Counsel Report

B. Advisory Committee Report

1. Committee has not met since last board meeting.

C. Calendar

1. Next meeting November 13, 2025
2. Board Retreat

D. Announcements

8. Public Comment

9. Adjournment