



**Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee
February 28, 2007**

1. Public Education and Outreach Programs

- ***Air Quality Curriculum*** – Piloting of the air quality curriculum is scheduled for the following schools:

School	School District	Pilot Date
Gunston Middle School	Arlington Public Schools	February
Williamsburg Middle School	Arlington Public Schools	February
North Chevy Chase Elementary School	Montgomery County Public Schools	February
Poe Middle School	Fairfax County Public Schools	March/April
Hammond Middle School	Alexandria City Public Schools	April/May
Lafayette Elementary School	District of Columbia Public Schools	TBD

The contractor is also making contact with additional schools in Montgomery County, the District of Columbia, Howard County, and Anne Arundel County.

2. Voluntary Business Emissions Reduction Campaign

- ***Auto Parts Washer Rebate Program*** – Clean Air Partners is continuing to work with the Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) on an aqueous parts washer rebate program for auto repair facilities. DEP was awarded a small grant from EPA to conduct a pilot in the Anacostia Watershed area. Clean Air Partners will assist in a survey of facilities in the pilot area and related workshops the County will be conducting, with an eye towards possible expansion throughout the region if the Montgomery County pilot is successful.
- ***Printer Initiative*** – The printer survey was distributed to nearly 1,000 printers in Northern Virginia in November 2006. Only one completed survey was returned. Due to the low response and the recent issuance of EPA’s Control Techniques Guidelines for lithographic printers in October 2006, Clean Air Partners has suspended work on this pilot and will focus instead on the auto parts washer rebate program.

3. Administration

- The Executive Committee will meet on March 8, 2007 to discuss the draft FY 2008 Work Program and Budget.