

## *South Coast Air Quality Management District*

### *Amended Rule 1146.2 (June 2024)*

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Free 45-minute webinar Nov 14 & Dec 12, 2024 10am-11am PST  
Register at <https://www.dawsonco.com/about/training/>

S.C.A.Q.M.D. has amended Rule 1146.2, impacting **all gas-fired appliances 75,000 btu-2,000,000 btu**. Implementation begins in three phases starting January 1<sup>st</sup> 2026 phasing out, and prohibiting the sale, installation and operation of these appliances within S.C.A.Q.M.D jurisdiction. **Mandatory "Zero Emission" replacement of existing** equipment within the S.C.A.Q.M.D. jurisdiction begins January 1<sup>st</sup> 2028-2033.

The original Rule 1146.2 was an 8-page document. The amended document recently released by S.C.A.Q.M.D. is a **307-page document** including their work group studies and summations. We've consolidated the new requirements into a 45-minute presentation, with 15-minutes questions afterwards.

#### Information Covered:

- US Department of Energy- Minimum national water heater efficiency changes 95%+ effective 10/2026
- S.C.A.Q.M.D. Amended Rule 1146.2
  - Equipment impacted
  - Specific targeted appliances
  - Zero-Emission compliance dates
  - Alternative compliance options available to owners by application with SCAQMD.
  - Low-Usage exemptions available to owners by application with SCAQMD.
  - Extension filings available to owners by application with SCAQMD.
  - New life-cycle allowance for existing gas-fired equipment in operation.
- S.C.A.Q.M.D. Proposed Amended Rules 1111 & 1121. Gas-fired appliances <75,000 btu
- Practical solutions to continue operating gas appliances within compliance of amended Rule 1146.2
  - A Part II webinar will follow on strategies to operate gas appliances within compliance with minimal electrification assistance.

Presenter- Steve McCool Manager- Facilities Support Group, Dawson Company

Steve McCool entered the industry in 1985. He has over a decade of experience with a C4 boiler specialty contractor. He spent 15 years with a commercial boiler and water heater manufacturer; positions included Commercial Products Manager, So. California Sales Manager, Central Atlantic Sales Manager. Steve joined Dawson Company in 2012 to serve as a sales and technical support resource to end users of all varieties. He has served on product advisory councils with multiple commercial gas-fired boiler, and water heater manufacturers. Steve presents at both ASPE and ASHRAE events in Los Angeles, Orange Co. and San Diego on related subjects of greenhouse gas reduction in gas-fired systems and hybrid gas-fired/heat pump water heating systems.

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**Proposed Amended Rule 1146.2 –  
Emissions of Oxides of Nitrogen  
from Large Water Heaters and  
Small Boilers and Process Heaters**

*Public Consultation*

February 23, 2024, 9:00 AM (PST)

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://scaqmd.zoom.us/j/96893878030>

Meeting ID: 968 9387 8030



**Proposed Amended Rule 1111 –  
Reduction Of NOx Emissions From Natural  
Gas-Fired Furnaces**

**Proposed Amended Rule 1121 –  
Reduction of NOx Emissions From Small  
Natural Gas-Fired Water Heaters**

*Working Group Meeting #6*

August 15, 2024

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM (PDT)

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://scaqmd.zoom.us/j/97271436016>

Meeting ID: 972 7143 6016

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