

MARIN ENERGY AUTHORITY JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT

2. In 2006, the State Legislature adopted AB 32, the Global Warming Solutions Act, which mandates a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions in 2020 to 1990 levels. The California Air Resources Board is promulgating regulations to implement AB 32 which will require local government to develop programs to reduce greenhouse emissions.

Mary D. Nichols, Board Chairman, California Air Resources Board

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From: [Jim Phelps](#)

To: mnichols@arb.ca.gov

Sent: Sunday, November 18, 2012 4:13 PM

Subject: CARB and local government

Hi Mary --

I recently read "CARB is promulgating regulations to implement AB32 which will require local governments to develop programs to reduce GHGs." Is this true? I thought AB 32 was specific to large industry sources such as refineries, power plants, etc.

Thanks for your clarification,

Jim Phelps

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From: [Nichols, Mary D. @ARB](#)

To: [Jim Phelps](#)

Sent: Sunday, November 18, 2012 4:21 PM

Subject: Re: CARB and local government

We are not preparing any regulations that would require local governments to reduce emissions of global warming gases. The only possible factual basis for such a claim could be that a city- owned power plant is required to reduce it's emissions just like an investor.owned utility (so LA DWP and Southern. California Edison are under the same cap.)

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