Compliance Assistance Bulletin



Rule 4352 - New Requirements

December 16, 2021

Rule 4352 – Solid Fuel Fired Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters - New Requirements

District Rule 4352 was amended on December 16, 2021 and is applicable to any boiler, steam generator, or process heater that is fired on solid fuel. This rule amendment lowered NOx emission limits, established particulate matter and sulfur dioxide emission limits, and established monitoring requirements for sulfur dioxide emissions. The rule requires the following actions by the dates specified in the table below:

Solid Fuel Type	Submit Application for Authority to Construct	Demonstrate Compliance
Municipal Solid Waste		
Biomass	June 1, 2022	January 1, 2024
All Other Solid Fuels		

This bulletin is provided as a courtesy notification of upcoming requirements, actions, and associated compliance dates.

Rule 4352 may affect your operation in ways not mentioned in this bulletin as there may be further requirements that affect your source.

You may gain additional information by reading the full text of the rule at: http://www.valleyair.org/rules/currntrules/r4352_3.pdf, emailing your questions to the District's Small Business Assistance (SBA) office at sba@valleyair.org, or by calling the numbers listed below:

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