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### 3. INTRODUCTION

The 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments state, "The prevention and control of air pollution at its source is a primary responsibility of state and local governments." Chapter 10.56 of the Metropolitan Code of Laws charges the Metropolitan Board of Health with the responsibility of adopting, promulgating, and enforcing such rules and regulations as necessary to achieve and maintain such levels of air quality as will protect human health and safety, and to the greatest degree practical, prevent injury to plant life and property and foster the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of the Metropolitan Government area. This report covers the activities conducted by the Metro Public Health Department, Pollution Control Division in carrying out these responsibilities for the calendar year 2004.

The purpose and objective of the Division of Pollution Control is to protect and enhance the quality of ambient air in Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County so as to protect the public health and welfare of the population.

### 4. ENGINEERING ACTIVITIES

Table I and Figures 1 through 5, present the 2004 annual emission inventory for five criteria pollutants (particulate matter, sulfur dioxide, nitrogen dioxide, carbon monoxide, and volatile organic compounds).

Figure 1 shows that miscellaneous sources account for 92.1% of the total 2004 particulate emissions. Dust from paved roads accounts for 80.5% of the total 2004 PM<sub>10</sub> emissions. Figure 2 shows that fuel combustion accounts for approximately 87.8% of the total 2004 sulfur dioxide emissions. Figure 3 shows that the on-road and non-road mobile source emissions account for 75.7% of the total 2004 nitrogen dioxide emissions. Figure 4 shows that 97.6% of the 2004 carbon monoxide emissions are contributed by on-road and non-road mobile sources. Figure 5 shows that on-road and non-road mobile sources account for approximately 62.2% of the total 2004 volatile organic compound emissions, and approximately 14.0% is contributed by other solvent usage including degreasing, graphic arts, and consumer/commercial solvents.

Table II and Figure 6, are a comparison of Nitrogen Dioxide and Volatile Organic Compound emissions for the past twelve (12) years.

In 2004 an annual hazardous air pollutant emission inventory was completed. The 2004 Davidson County Hazardous Air Pollutant Emission Inventory is shown in Table III.

During 2004, the Engineering Section reviewed plans and specifications for 32 new and/or modified stationary sources and issued the following permits:

Construction Permits:	63
Operating Permits:	562

In addition to the above permits, 152 permits were issued for asbestos removal and 14 burning permits using an air curtain destructor were issued. Revenue generated from the issuance of permits in 2004 was \$510,050.27.

During 2004 this agency observed the following compliance source tests:

3	Nitrogen Oxides
1	Volatile Organic Compound

### 5. PART 70 OPERATING PERMIT PROGRAM



On October 13, 1993, the Metropolitan Board of Health adopted Regulation No. 13, "Part 70 Operating Permit Program." Subsequently, EPA granted full approval to the Metro Public Health Department, Pollution Control Division's Part 70 Operating Permit Program. All affected facilities were required to submit Part 70 Operating Permit Applications to the Pollution Control Division within twelve months of the effective date of March 15, 1996. The Pollution Control Division received four (4) applications in 1996 and eleven (11) applications during 1997. During that time, two (2) more sources became subject to the Part 70 Operating Permit Program. These two applications were received in 1998. All seventeen (17) applications were reviewed and determined to be complete. Five (5) Part 70 Operating Permits were issued in 1997, six (6) were issued in 1998, and three (3) were issued in 1999. The remaining three (3) permits were issued in 2000. The following facilities have received Part 70 Operating Permits. OMC-Stratos Boats closed shortly after their Part 70 Operating Permit was issued. Therefore, there are currently sixteen (16) facilities operating in Davidson County with Part 70 Operating Permits. The following facilities currently maintain Part 70 Operating Permits:

<b><u>Permit Number</u></b>	<b><u>Facility Name</u></b>
70-0002	E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Co.
70-0025	Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center (was Opryland USA)
70-0039	Vanderbilt University
70-0040	Visteon Corporation
70-0042	Vought Aircraft Industries, Inc.
70-0045	Armstrong Hardwood Flooring Company (was Bruce Hardwood Flooring, LLC)
70-0050	Metro District Energy System (was Nashville Thermal Transfer Corporation)
70-0074	Ouimet Corporation
70-0081	U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Manufacturing, LP
70-0120	Peterbilt Motors Company
70-0133	Gibson Fiberglass
70-0141	Whirlpool Corporation
70-0154	Aqua Bath Company
70-0189	Bordeaux Landfill
70-0241	Vanderbilt University Medical Center
70-0255	MM Nashville Energy

## 6. EMISSION INVENTORY

TABLE I  
2004 DAVIDSON COUNTY ANNUAL EMISSION INVENTORY

STATIONARY SOURCES—TONS PER YEAR										
SOURCE CATEGORY	PARTICULATE		SULFUR DIOXIDE		NITROGEN DIOXIDE		CARBON MONOXIDE		VOL. ORG. COMP.	
	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT
TRANS. & MKT. OF VOC										
VOL Storage & Handling	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.3	0.0
Bulk Gasoline Terminals	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.4	0.0	20.7	9.0	277.0
Bulk Gasoline Plants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9	0.0
Tank Truck Unl. (Stage I)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	207.9	0.0
Vehicle Refuel. (Stage II)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	119.7	0.0
Tank Trucks in Transit	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	41.4	0.0
SUBTOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.4	0.0	20.7	400.2	277.0
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>7.4</b>		<b>20.7</b>		<b>677.2</b>	
INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES										
Adhesives	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.2
Aerospace	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	26.6
Misc. Metal Products	1.1	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	32.9	104.6
Inorganic Chemical Mfg.	0.0	22.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.5
Organic Chemical Mfg.	0.0	7.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.2	0.0	1,961.4	0.0	571.2
Textile Mfg.	5.4	57.7	0.0	0.0	6.4	0.0	5.4	0.0	9.0	30.2
Rubber Tire Mfg.	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0
Plastic Products Mfg.	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	31.4
Fiberglass Mfg.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	11.1
Wood Products Mfg.	1.1	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	43.7	192.2
Clay & Glass	8.6	125.5	0.0	156.6	0.0	834.7	0.0	12.3	0.6	52.9
Mineral Products	53.5	111.3	0.0	0.6	0.0	9.6	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.7
Asphalt Plants	15.5	17.4	13.8	16.6	15.5	13.5	64.1	62.2	9.7	10.9
Paint Mfg.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	14.6
Food & Agriculture	5.1	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	70.0
Primary/Sec. Metals	1.8	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.2	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.3	0.0
Fabric/Vinyl Coating	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	28.0
Large Appliance Coating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	54.8
Ship Building	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL	94.6	360.4	14.4	173.8	22.1	868.2	71.0	2,038.0	120.6	1,223.7
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>455.0</b>		<b>188.2</b>		<b>890.3</b>		<b>2,109.0</b>		<b>1,344.3</b>	

TABLE I (continued)  
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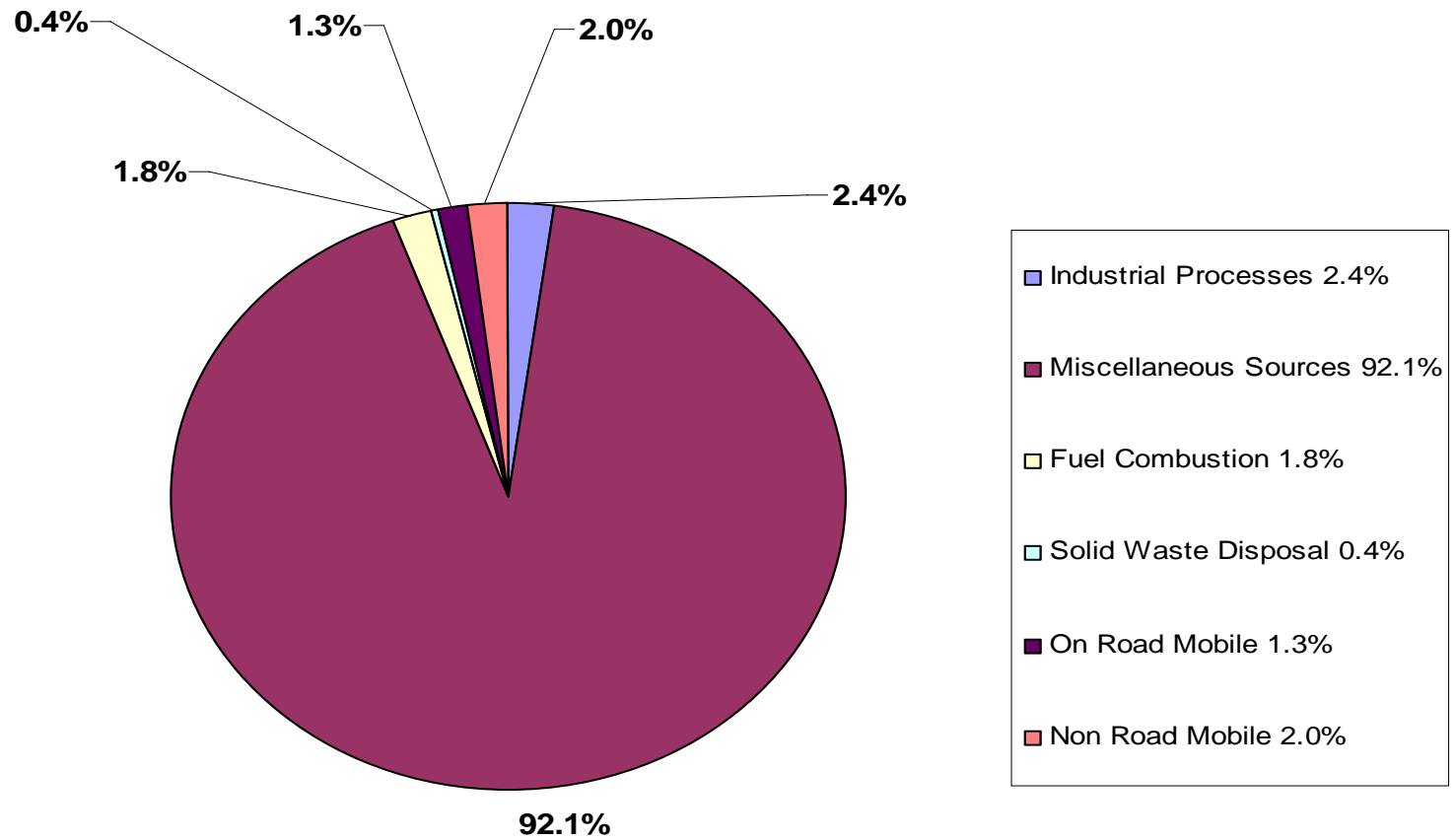
STATIONARY SOURCES—TONS PER YEAR										
SOURCE CATEGORY	PARTICULATE		SULFUR DIOXIDE		NITROGEN DIOXIDE		CARBON MONOXIDE		VOL. ORG. COMP.	
	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT
NON-IND. SURFACE COAT.										
Architectural	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,081.3	0.0
Auto Refinishing	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	663.3	0.0
Traffic Markings	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.1	0.0
SUBTOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,844.7	0.0
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>1,844.7</b>	
OTHER SOLVENT USE										
Cold Cleaners (exc. Perc)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,072.3	0.0
Degreas. (exc. Cold clean.)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
Graphic Arts	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	1.2	3.1	1.9	88.8	127.7
Dry Cleaning (exc. Perc)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	0.0
Cons./Comm. Solv. Use	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,805.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	1.2	3.1	1.9	2,972.7	128.4
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>0.4</b>		<b>0.0</b>		<b>4.8</b>		<b>5.0</b>		<b>3,101.1</b>	
MISC. SOURCES										
Pesticide Application	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	530.2	0.0
Landfills	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	13.9
Scrap and Waste Material	10.9	11.0	0.5	0.0	7.1	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.8	0.0
Biogenic (PCBEIS)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Dust From Paved Roads	15,519.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Brake and Tire Wear	111.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction Projects	2,030.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Agricultural Tilling	72.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL	17,745.3	11.0	0.5	0.0	7.1	0.0	1.6	1.1	531.0	13.9
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>17,756.3</b>		<b>0.5</b>		<b>7.1</b>		<b>2.7</b>		<b>544.8</b>	
FUEL COMBUSTION										
Residential	155.6	0.0	40.8	0.0	435.3	0.0	985.5	0.0	718.1	0.0
Commercial/Institutional	5.6	21.6	3.7	955.9	104.6	649.6	72.8	429.0	7.7	26.9
Industrial	0.2	165.1	0.0	6,236.7	2.2	1,358.3	0.6	134.2	0.1	12.8
Stationary Internal Comb.	3.1	0.6	0.5	0.6	5.7	8.9	1.4	1.9	0.1	0.7
SUBTOTAL	164.5	187.4	45.0	7,193.1	547.8	2,016.8	1,060.3	565.1	726.1	40.5
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>351.8</b>		<b>7,238.2</b>		<b>2,564.6</b>		<b>1,625.4</b>		<b>766.6</b>	
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL										
Incinerators	1.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0
POTW	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	27.3
TSDF	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structure Fires (including auto/truck fires)	73.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	546.4	0.0	75.4	0.0
Forest & Grass Fires	7.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	55.2	0.0	7.7	0.0
SUBTOTAL	81.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	2.4	0.0	601.8	0.0	83.2	27.3
<b>TOTAL AREA + POINT</b>	<b>81.5</b>		<b>0.1</b>		<b>2.4</b>		<b>601.8</b>		<b>110.4</b>	
<b>TOTAL STATIONARY SOURCES</b>	<b>18,085.9</b>	<b>559.1</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>7,367.0</b>	<b>583.0</b>	<b>2,893.6</b>	<b>1,737.7</b>	<b>2,626.8</b>	<b>6,678.4</b>	<b>1,710.7</b>
<b>TOTAL STA. AREA + POINT</b>	<b>18,645.0</b>		<b>7,426.9</b>		<b>3,476.6</b>		<b>4,364.6</b>		<b>8,389.1</b>	

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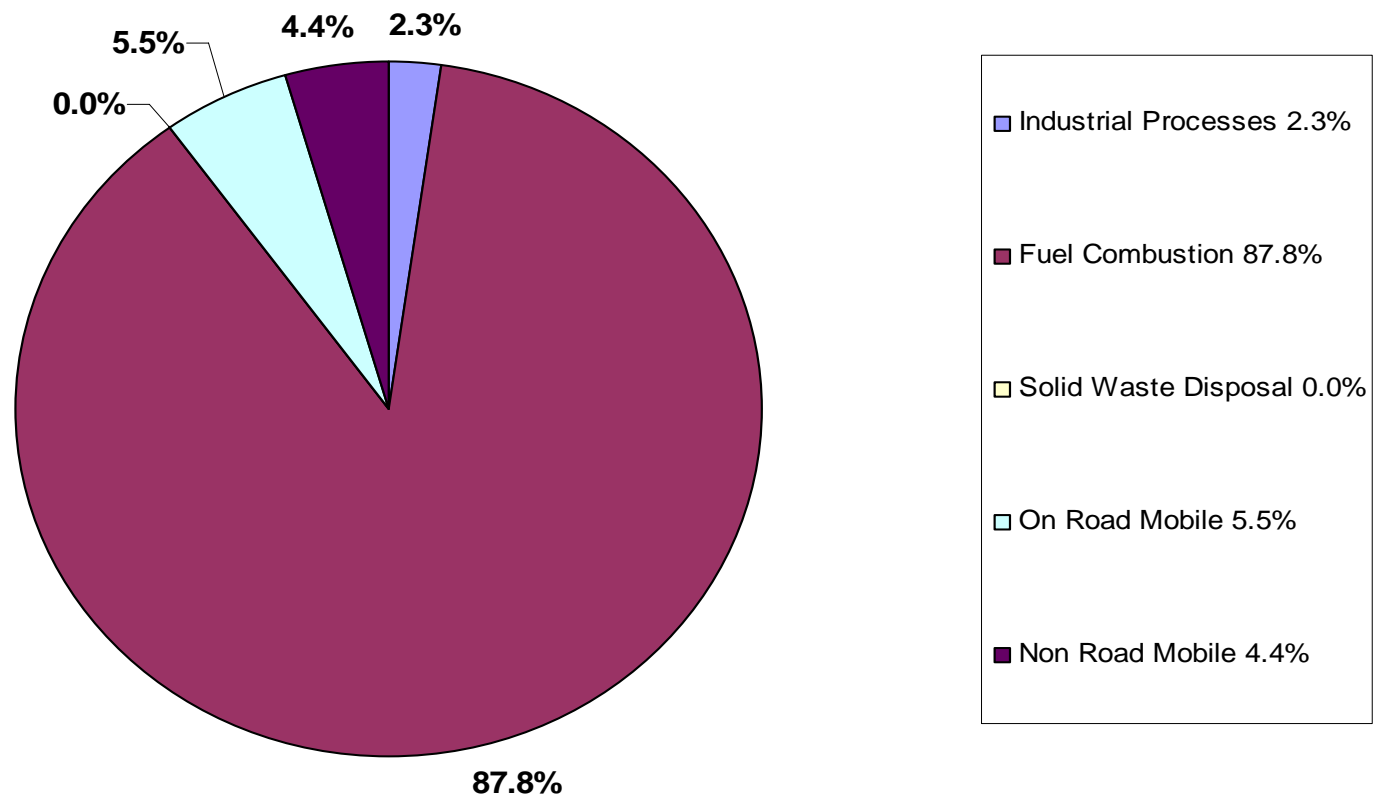
MOBILE SOURCES—TONS PER YEAR										
SOURCE CATEGORY	PARTICULATE		SULFUR DIOXIDE		NITROGEN DIOXIDE		CARBON MONOXIDE		VOL. ORG. COMP.	
	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT	AREA	POINT
ON-ROAD MOBILE*										
LDV	105.9	0.0	331.5	0.0	5,798.3	0.0	92,374.2	0.0	7,276.6	0.0
LDT1	21.6	0.0	72.2	0.0	1,497.3	0.0	24,431.1	0.0	1,557.9	0.0
LDT2	6.4	0.0	2.3	0.0	459.7	0.0	7,225.4	0.0	567.9	0.0
HDV	110.8	0.0	47.4	0.0	8,330.4	0.0	4,466.9	0.0	465.2	0.0
MC	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	28.6	0.0	239.3	0.0	40.9	0.0
SUBTOTAL	245.1	0.0	453.7	0.0	16,114.4	0.0	128,736.9	0.0	9,908.5	0.0
TOTAL AREA + POINT	245.1		453.7		16,114.4		128,736.9		9,908.5	
NON-ROAD MOBILE										
Railroad Locomotives	12.7	0.0	37.3	0.0	514.5	0.0	72.6	0.0	30.4	0.0
Aircraft	33.3	0.0	30.2	0.0	627.4	0.0	1,551.0	0.0	205.2	0.0
Commercial Marine	0.0	0.0	6.2	0.0	78.4	0.0	23.1	0.0	10.3	0.0
All Other Non-road	342.5	0.0	286.8	0.0	3,436.9	0.0	52,305.2	0.0	3,623.2	0.0
SUBTOTAL	388.4	0.0	360.5	0.0	4,657.2	0.0	53,951.9	0.0	3,869.1	0.0
TOTAL AREA + POINT	388.4		360.5		4,657.2		53,951.9		3,869.1	
TOTAL MOBILE SOURCES	633.5	0.0	814.1	0.0	20,771.5	0.0	182,688.9	0.0	13,777.5	0.0
TOTAL MOBILE AREA + POINT	633.5		814.1		20,771.5		182,688.9		13,775.5	
TOTAL STATIONARY + MOBILE	18,719.4	559.1	874.1	7,367.0	21,354.5	2,893.6	184,426.6	2,626.8	20,455.9	1,710.7
GRAND TOTAL AREA + POINT	19,278.5		8,241.0		24,248.2		187,053.4		22,166.6	

\*There was a significant change in the reported on-road mobile source emissions beginning in 2003. On-road mobile source emissions are calculated using an EPA computer model called MOBILE6. This model has undergone several changes since its inception over 20 years ago. With each change comes a change in emissions. This change is due partly to changing vehicle technologies and partly due to EPA better understanding how to construct a computer model to best estimate "real world" on-road mobile emissions. The results of running the MOBILE6 model beginning in 2003 are significantly different than those obtained with previous versions of MOBILE. For the first time, the model generated particulate and sulfur dioxide emission factors. Previously, this had to be done using EPA emission factors outside of the MOBILE model. Nitrogen dioxide emission factors are generally lower using MOBILE6. Carbon monoxide emission factors are significantly higher using MOBILE6. Volatile Organic Compound emission factors also increased due to changes in the model. In reality, actual emissions have improved slightly due to better vehicle technologies, and increased slightly due to more vehicle miles traveled. Even though some of the numbers changed significantly, it is due mostly to a change in EPA's recommended computer model and slightly due to improving vehicle technologies. There has not been a significant change in "real world" emissions.

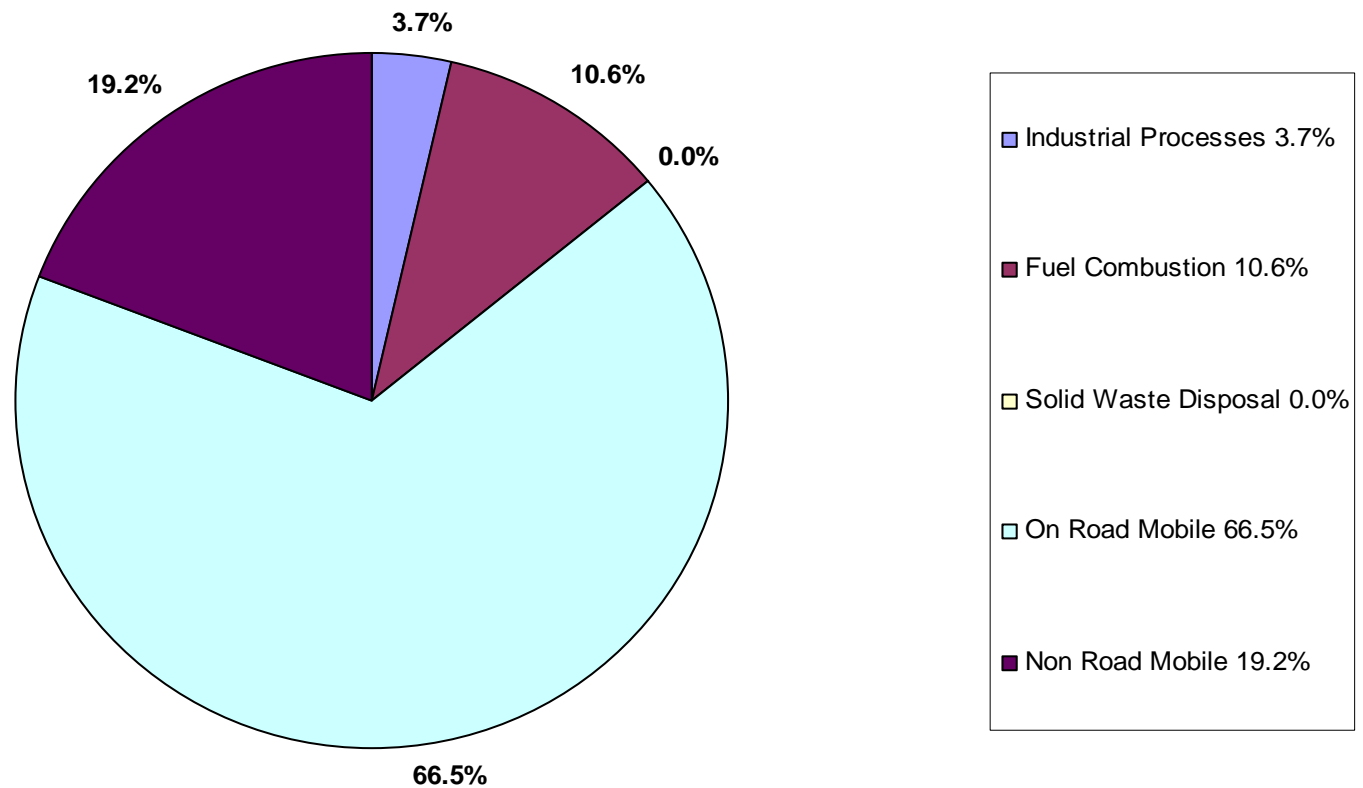
**Percent Particulate Emissions for Various Sources**  
**Figure 1**



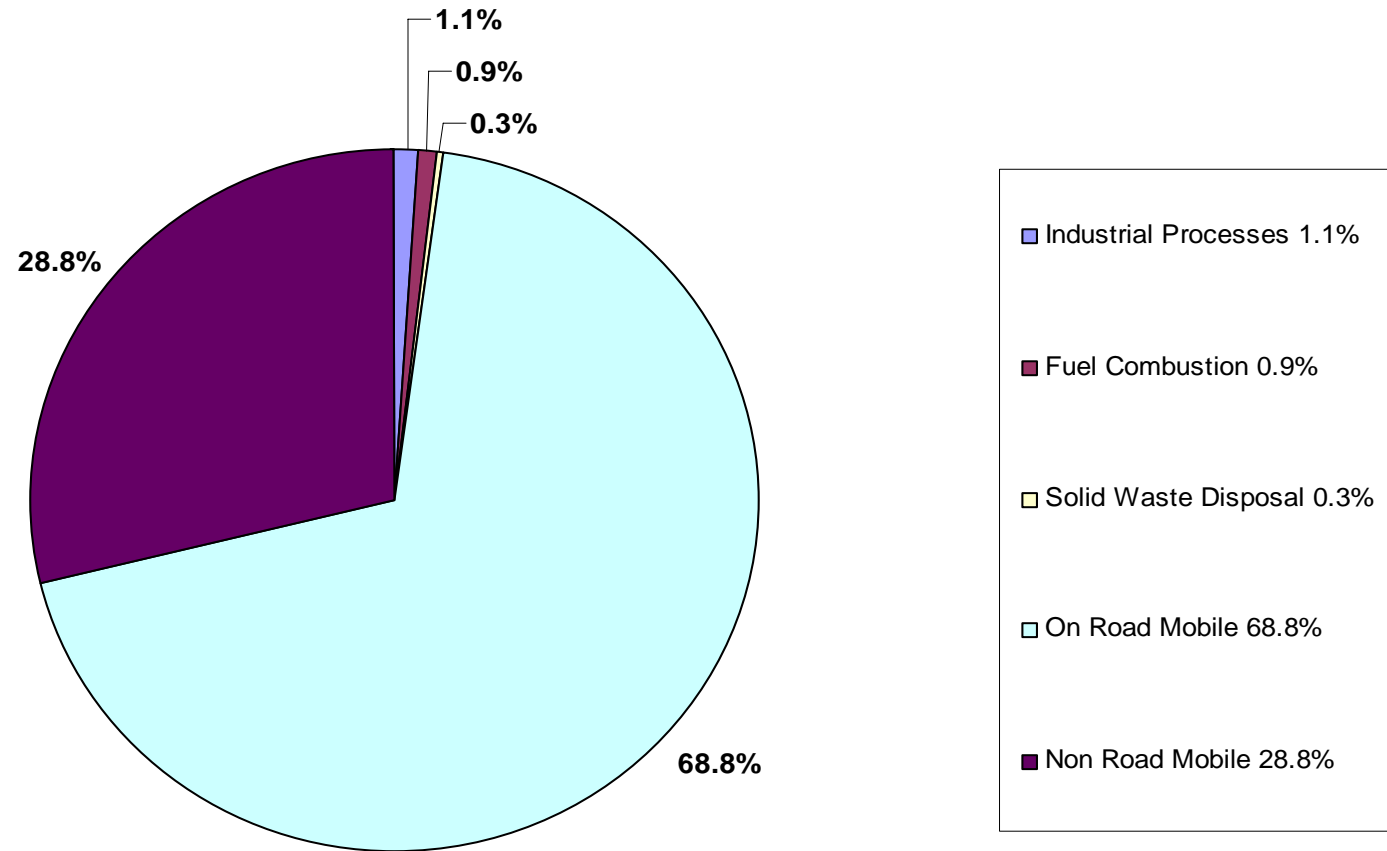
**Percent Sulfur Dioxide Emissions for Various Sources**  
**Figure 2**



**Percent Nitrogen Oxide Emissions for Various Sources**  
**Figure 3**

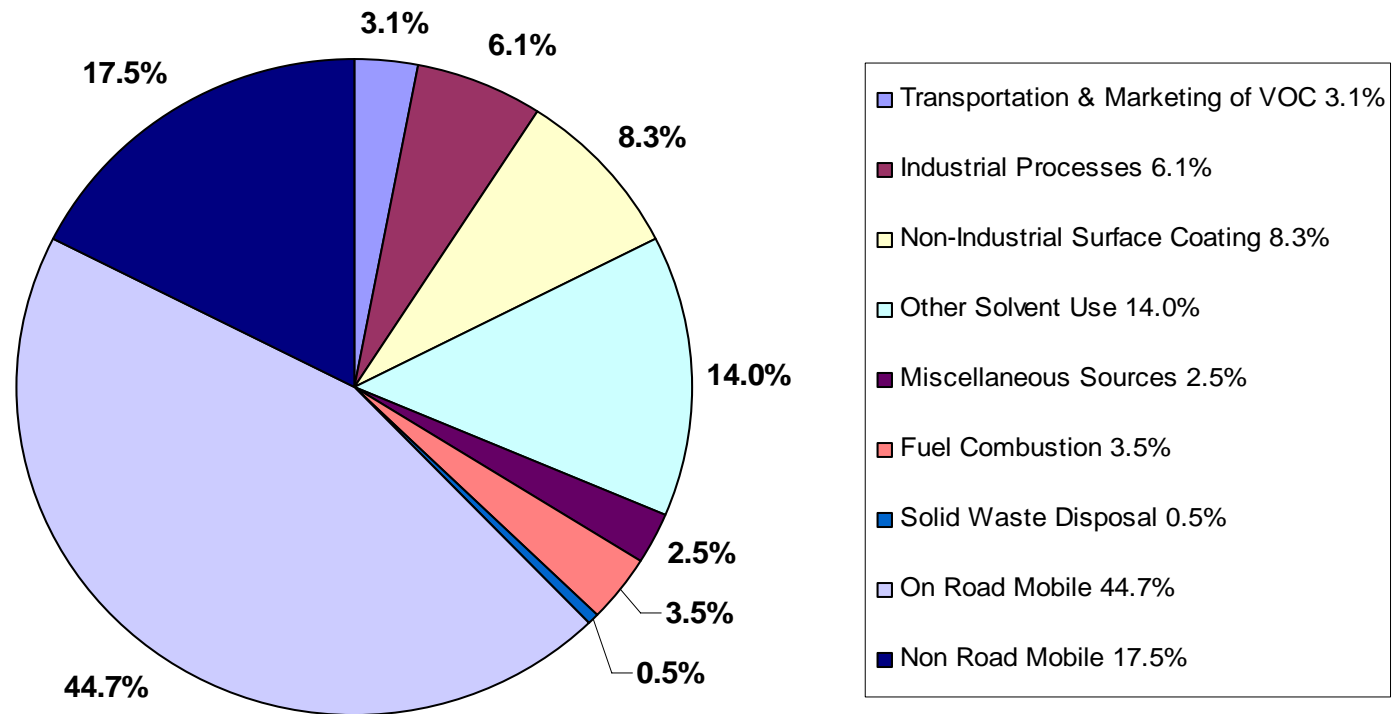


**Percent Carbon Monoxide Emissions for Various Sources**  
**Figure 4**





# Percent Volatile Organic Compound Emissions for Various Sources Figure 5

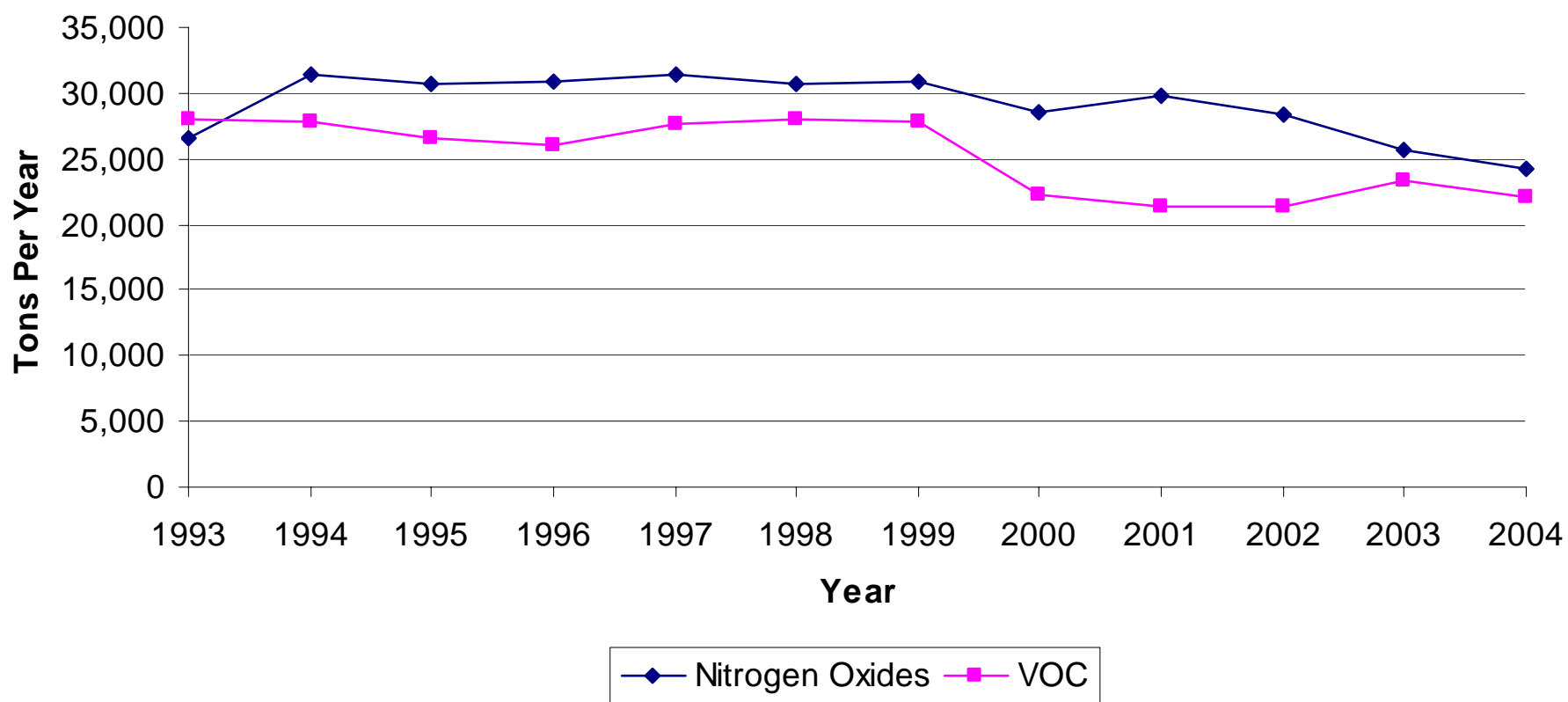


**TABLE II**  
**1993 - 2004 Annual Comparison of Nitrogen Dioxide and Volatile Organic Compound Emissions**

Nitrogen Dioxide (Tons/Year)												
Source Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Trans. & Mkt. of VOC	0	0	0	6	4	5	5	5	6	4	3	7.4
Industrial Processes	1,801	1,674	1,307	1,765	2,146	1,877	1,914	1,672	1,365	898	899	890
Other Solvents	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	3	0	4	5
Miscellaneous	0	0	16	28	28	6	8	2	7	0	0	0
Fuel Combustion	2,711	3,012	2,626	3,251	3,331	3,023	2,866	3,063	3,118	3,074	3,119	2,565
Solid Waste Disposal	572	480	459	452	457	501	458	460	404	144	1	2
On-Road Mobile	17,550	21,691	21,771	20,940	21,216	20,754	21,001	18,548	19,669	19,218	16,875*	16,114
Non-Road Mobile	3,994	4,544	4,464	4,423	4,309	4,511	4,585	4,825	5,207	4,965	4,711	4,657
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>26,644</b>	<b>31,399</b>	<b>30,647</b>	<b>30,865</b>	<b>31,499</b>	<b>30,677</b>	<b>30,836</b>	<b>28,575</b>	<b>29,778</b>	<b>28,308</b>	<b>25,612</b>	<b>24,248</b>
Volatile Organic Compounds (Tons/Year)												
Source Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Trans. & Mkt. of VOC	1,787	1,490	883	729	683	696	691	676	633	660	651	677
Industrial Processes	2,032	1,666	1,730	2,651	2,185	2,579	1,868	1,675	1,976	1,516	1,456	1,344
Non-Ind. Surface Coating	1,930	2,436	2,182	1,951	1,898	1,920	1,973	1,999	1,885	1,804	1,815	1,845
Other Solvents	3,145	2,837	2,844	2,747	2,760	2,752	2,749	3,004	2,999	3,033	3,052	3,101
Miscellaneous	236	233	204	572	569	507	498	511	519	531	536	545
Fuel Combustion	5,477	5,556	5,563	5,639	5,679	5,716	5,780	1,250	827	883	938	767
Solid Waste Disposal	252	224	235	196	128	157	113	101	98	90	76	110
On-Road Mobile	9,621	10,044	9,646	8,770	9,150	9,412	9,852	8,557	8,292	8,227	10,568*	9,909
Non-Road Mobile	3,573	3,313	3,196	2,713	4,615	4,257	4,274	4,475	4,063	4,552	4,169	3,869
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>28,053</b>	<b>27,799</b>	<b>26,482</b>	<b>25,967</b>	<b>27,666</b>	<b>28,016</b>	<b>27,798</b>	<b>22,247</b>	<b>21,290</b>	<b>21,296</b>	<b>23,260</b>	<b>22,167</b>

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**Annual Comparison of Nitrogen Oxides and VOC Emissions**  
**Figure 6**



**TABLE III**  
**2004 Davidson County Hazardous Air Pollutant Emission Inventory**

<b>POLLUTANT</b>	<b>CAS #</b>	<b>TPY</b>
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	79-34-5	0.053
1,1,2-trichloroethane	79-00-5	0.089
1,3-Butadiene	106-99-0	57.165
1,3-Dichloropropene	542-75-6	47.657
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	106-46-7	24.762
1,4-Dioxane	123-91-1	17.073
2,2,4-Trimethylpentane	540-84-1	52.725
2-Nitropropane	79-46-9	0.001
4,4'Methylenediphenyl Diisocyanate	101-68-8	0.027
Acetaldehyde	75-07-0	125.447
Acetophenone	98-86-2	3.361
Acrolein	107-02-8	11.152
Acrylonitrile	107-13-1	0.096
Aniline	62-53-3	0.011
Arsenic	00-00-0	0.033
Benzene	71-43-2	589.709
Benzyl Chloride	100-44-7	0.088
Biphenyl	92-52-4	7.754
Bis (2-Ethyl Hexyl) Phthlate	117-81-7	0.753
Bromoform	75-25-2	0.001
Carbon Disulfide	75-15-0	0.095
Carbon Tetrachloride	56-23-5	0.033
Carbonyl Sulfide	463-58-1	0.011
Chlorine	7782-50-5	2.980
Chlorobenzene	108-90-7	31.340
Chloroform	67-66-3	0.514
Chromium	00-00-0	0.161
Cobalt	00-00-0	0.672
Cumene	98-82-8	0.688
Cyanide	00-00-0	0.303
Dibenzofurans	132-64-9	0.002
Dibutyl Phthalate	84-74-2	0.123
Diethanolamine	111-42-2	0.440
Dimethyl Formamide	68-12-2	3.411
Dimethyl Sulfate	77-78-1	0.001
Ethyl Chloride	75-00-3	2.431
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	56.530
Ethylene Dichloride	107-06-2	0.454
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	38.618
Ethylene Oxide	75-21-8	4.631
Ethylidene Dichloride	75-34-3	0.063
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	180.873
Glycol ether	00-00-0	20.445
Hexamethylene 1,6-Diisocyanate	822-06-0	0.788
Hexane	110-54-3	184.448
Hydrochloric Acid	7647-01-0	149.050

**TABLE III (continued)**  
**2004 Davidson County Hazardous Air Pollutant Emission Inventory**

<b>POLLUTANT</b>	<b>CAS #</b>	<b>TPY</b>
Hydrogen Fluoride	7664-39-3	18.410
Hydroquinone	123-31-9	0.015
Isophorone	78-59-1	0.357
Lead	00-00-0	0.168
Magnesium	00-00-0	1.050
Manganese	00-00-0	0.645
Methanol	67-56-1	421.069
Methyl Bromide	74-83-9	77.408
Methyl Chloride	74-87-3	2.070
Methyl chloroform	71-55-6	115.529
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	78-93-3	81.514
Methyl Hydrazine	60-34-4	0.024
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone	108-10-1	18.031
Methyl Methacrylate	80-62-6	0.386
Methyl tert-butyl ether	1634-04-4	26.528
Methylene Chloride	75-09-2	36.742
m-Xylene	108-38-3	59.216
Naphthalene	91-20-3	24.670
Nickel	00-00-0	0.122
o-Toluidine	95-53-4	0.001
o-Xylene	95-47-6	48.720
Phenol	108-95-2	0.539
Phthalic Anhydride	85-44-9	0.730
Polycyclic Organic Matter	00-00-0	0.395
Propionaldehyde	123-38-6	7.586
Propylene Dichloride	78-87-5	0.006
Propylene Glycol	57-55-6	1.37
Propylene Oxide	75-56-9	0.237
p-Xylene	106-42-3	18.470
Quinone	106-51-4	0.053
Selenium	00-00-0	0.120
Styrene	100-42-5	39.827
Tetrachloroethylene	127-18-4	70.094
Toluene	108-88-3	367.038
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	31.865
Triethylamine	121-44-8	2.438
Trimethylbenzene	95-63-6	0.004
Vinyl Acetate	108-05-4	0.490
Vinyl chloride	75-01-4	0.152
Vinylidene Chloride	75-35-4	0.005
Xylene	1330-20-7	242.626
<b>Total of All Hazardous Air Pollutants</b>		<b>3,323.780 Tons Per Year</b>

## **7. FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITIES**

Field enforcement includes two main areas of compliance activities: (1) Inspection of stationary sources; and (2) Citizen complaint investigation. All stationary sources are inspected annually. These inspections include a physical tour of the facility, checking of air pollution control equipment, fuel usage, emissions, recordkeeping, and general facility conditions. Citizen complaints are investigated to determine if there is a valid air pollution problem and, if so, appropriate action is taken. During 2004 this agency conducted:

- 1,037 inspections of stationary air pollution sources;
- 217 inspections of asbestos removal sites;
- 137 indoor air quality inspections;
- 227 complaint investigations; and
- Observed 66 pressure-decay tests on gasoline dispensing facilities.

During 2004, this agency issued 120 notices of violation and four (4) consent agreements resulting in the collection of a total of \$67,368.50 in fines and penalties.

## **8. MONITORING ACTIVITIES**

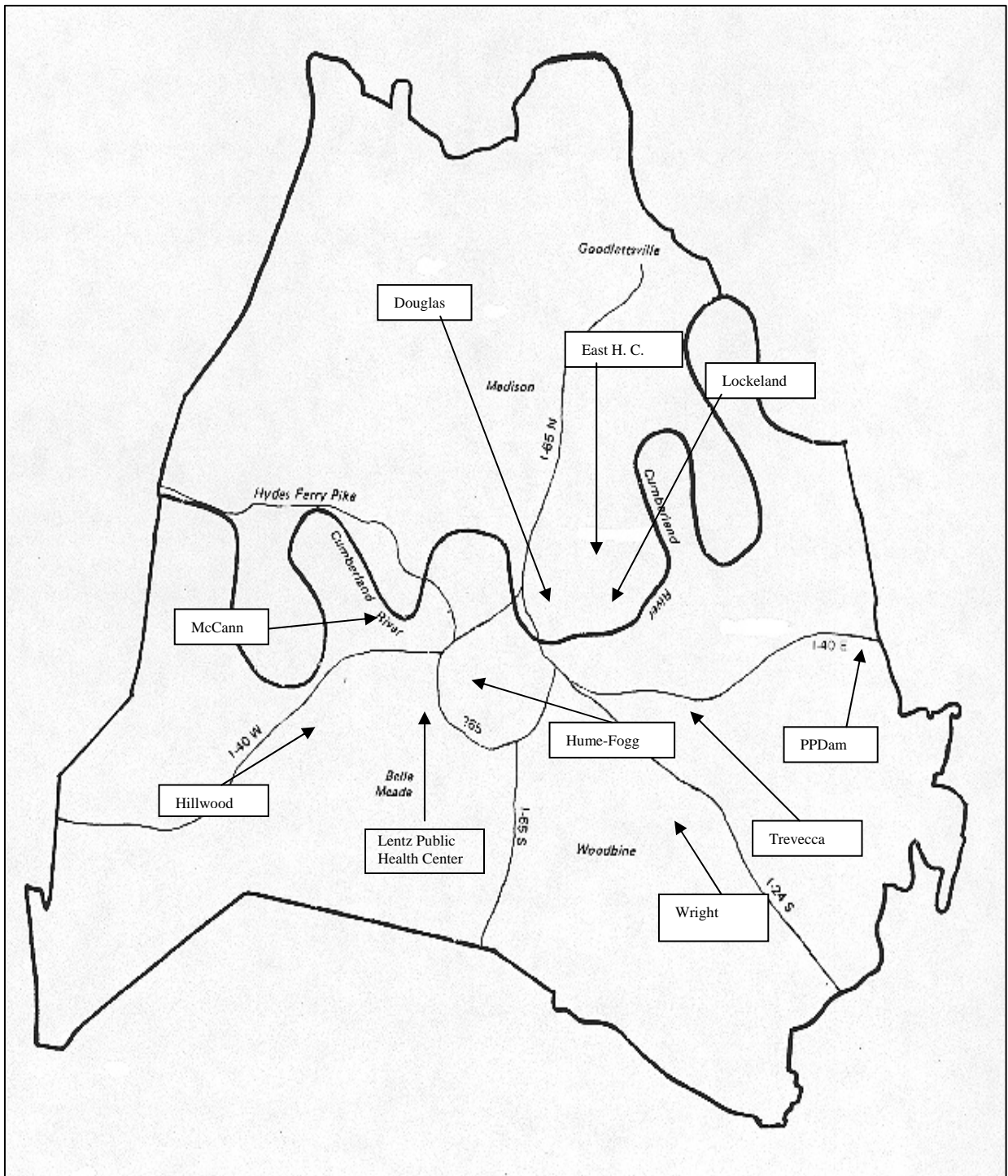
During 2004 this agency operated ten (10) aerometric stations. Five (5) of these stations are manual, where  $PM_{10}$  is measured by operating a selective size inlet sampler (SSI). During 2001, a new  $PM_{10}$  site was added at the Lentz Public Health Center to aid in the generation of a daily Air Quality Index (AQI). Total suspended particulate (TSP) sampling was suspended December 31, 1998 due to the standard being revoked by EPA. Beginning January 1, 1999, fine particulate ( $PM_{2.5}$ ) samplers were installed at one existing site (Lockeland School) and at two new sites (Hillwood High School and Wright Middle School). During 2001, a continuous  $PM_{2.5}$  monitor was added to the Lockeland site. In 2002, a  $PM_{2.5}$  speciation monitor began operation at the existing Lockeland site. This agency also operated two continuous carbon monoxide, two continuous ozone, one continuous sulfur dioxide and one continuous nitrogen oxides/nitrogen dioxide analyzers. All ambient air monitoring is conducted in strict accordance with Federal guidelines. The locations of these aerometric stations are shown in Figure 7 and a listing of the addresses is given in Table IV. A list of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards for all criteria pollutants is presented in Table V. During the pollen season, March through October, this agency operates a Durham sampler measuring pollen. The Durham sampler is located on the roof of the Metro Public Health Department parking garage at 311 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue North.

The daily air quality index and pollen count is made available to the public by calling (615) 340-0488 and on the Metro Public Health Department's website which can be found at <http://healthweb.nashville.org>.

Following Table V is a discussion of the Ambient Air Quality contaminant concentrations measured in Davidson County during 2004.

## **LOCATION OF AIR MONITORING SITES**

Figure 7



**TABLE IV**  
**AIR MONITORING SITE LOCATION & CLASSIFICATION**

Site No.	Address	UTM Coordinates	Land Use	Pollutants Sampled
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47-037-0002	Trevecca Nazarene College 333 Murfreesboro Road	522.1	3999.9	CC-C	PM <sub>10</sub> **
47-037-0011	East Nashville Health Center 1015 East Trinity Lane	522.9	4006.7	CC-R	SO <sub>2</sub> *, NO <sub>2</sub> **, Ozone*
47-037-0021	Hume-Fogg Magnet School 700 Broadway	519.7	4001.7	CC-C	CO*
47-037-0023	Lockeland Middle School 101 South Seventeenth St.	523.5	4003.5	CC-R	PM <sub>2.5</sub> **
47-037-0024	McCann School 1300 56th Avenue North	513.1	4002.0	CC-R, I	PM <sub>10</sub> **
47-037-0025	Wright Middle School 180 McCall Street	523.9	3995.1	S-R	PM <sub>2.5</sub> **
47-037-0026	Percy Priest Dam	533.9	4000.7	Background	Ozone**
47-037-0031	Douglas Park 210 North Seventh St.	521.3	4003.6	CC-R	CO*
47-037-0036	Hillwood High School 400 Davidson Road	511.4	3997.1	S-R	PM <sub>2.5</sub> **
AQI Site	Lentz Public Health Center 311 23 <sup>rd</sup> Avenue North	517.3	4000.6	CC-C	PM <sub>10</sub>
<u>Land Use Terms</u> CC-Center City      S-Suburban I-Industrial    C-Commercial    R-Residential		<u>Monitor Classification</u> *NAMS-National Air Monitoring Stations **SLAMS-State/Local Air Monitoring Stations			

TABLE V NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS*						
CONTAMINANTS	PRIMARY STANDARD			SECONDARY STANDARD		
	CONCENTRATION		AVERAGE INTERVAL	CONCENTRATION		AVERAGE INTERVAL
	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	PPM		µg/m <sup>3</sup>	PPM	
PM <sub>10</sub>	50		AAM	50		AAM
	150		24-HR	150		24-HR
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	15		AAM	15		AAM
	65		24-HR	65		24-HR
Sulfur Dioxide	80	0.03	AAM			
	365	0.14	24-HR 3-HR	1,300	0.5	3-HR
Carbon Monoxide	40,000	35.0	1-HR	No secondary standard		
	10,000	9.0	8-HR			
Ozone	235	0.12	1-HR	235	0.12	1-HR
	157	0.08	8-HR	157	0.08	8-HR
Nitrogen Dioxide	100	0.053	AAM	100	0.05	AAM
Lead	1.5		QA	1.5		QA
AAM – Annual Arithmetic Mean      QA – Quarterly Average						

\*On July 17, 1997, EPA revised the ozone standard by phasing out and replacing the 1-hour standard with an 8-hour standard to protect against longer exposure periods. Subsequently, the 1-hour standard was revoked in many areas across the United States, including Davidson County. Compliance with the new 8-hour ozone standard is attained at each monitoring site if the 3-year average of the annual fourth highest daily maximum is less than or equal to 0.08 ppm. The 8-hour ozone standard was challenged in Federal court, and returned to EPA for various clarifications. In the interim, the 1-hour ozone standard was reinstated. During 2003, the problems with the 8-hour ozone standard were resolved. Currently, Nashville and the Middle Tennessee areas are under the requirements of our original 1-hour ozone maintenance plan and the voluntary Early Action Compact for 8-hour ozone.

\*The EPA revised the primary and secondary particulate matter standards by changing the form of the existing 24-hour and annual particulate matter standards for particles 10 micrometers in diameter (PM<sub>10</sub>) or smaller.



Compliance with the 24-hour standard is attained when the three-year average of the annual 99<sup>th</sup> percentile of the 24-hour monitored concentrations are less than or equal to 150 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. Compliance with the annual standard is attained when the annual arithmetic mean is less than or equal to 50 µg/m<sup>3</sup>.

\*The EPA established 24-hour and annual standards for "fine" particles (PM<sub>2.5</sub> or particles 2.5 micrometers in diameter or smaller). Compliance with the 24-hour standard is attained when the 3-year average of the annual 98<sup>th</sup> percentile of 24-hour monitored concentrations is less than or equal to 65 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. Compliance with the annual standard is attained when the 3-year average of the annual arithmetic mean is less than or equal to 15 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. The new PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard was also challenged in Federal court. During 2003, the problems with the PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard were resolved. Designations are expected during 2004.

Ambient monitoring for PM<sub>2.5</sub> began January 1, 1999. The ambient network was installed and sampling began as planned. However, due to equipment and software problems from the manufacturer, the data collected for most of 1999 is questionable as to its validity. Sampler and software modifications were performed in September, 1999, and we are confident of the validity of the data generated after that date. Therefore, the PM<sub>2.5</sub> data generated beginning October, 1999 through 2004 are presented in this report. A continuous PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitor became operational in December, 2000. This monitor is used primarily to aid in the generation of the daily Air Quality Index.

## PARTICULATE MATTER

The air pollution called "particulate matter" includes airborne pollutants of materials such as dust, soot, pollen, aerosols, etc. Particulates range in diameter from 0.005 to 250 microns. There are many sources of particulate matter that includes both natural and anthropogenic (man-made).

PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> focus on those particles with aerodynamic diameters smaller than 10 micrometers and 2.5 micrometer respectively, which are likely to be responsible for adverse health effects because of their ability to reach the lower regions of the respiratory tract. Particulate matter has a negative effect on breathing and respiratory systems. It aggravates existing respiratory and cardiovascular disease. The elderly, children and people with chronic pulmonary or cardiovascular disease, or asthma are especially sensitive to the effects of particulate matter.

The concentration of particulate matter in the ambient air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>) is computed by measuring the mass of the particulate matter collected and the volume of air sampled. For determining the average concentrations of particulate matter, a 24-hour sampling period is used. After sampling for 24 hours, the filter is removed and returned to the laboratory where it is allowed to equilibrate and is weighed.

In 2004, the Pollution Control Division operated two (2) sites equipped with PM<sub>10</sub> samplers and three (3) sites equipped with PM<sub>2.5</sub> samplers. Tables VI and VII present a summary of the measured PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations during 2004. This data shows that the ambient air quality standard for PM<sub>10</sub> was not exceeded in 2004. Tables VIII and IX and Figures 8 and 9 compare the PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations for the past 14 years. Tables X, XI, XII and XIII present a summary of the 2004 PM<sub>2.5</sub> data. Figures 10 and 11 summarize the maximum 24 hour and annual average PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations for the last calendar quarter of 1999, and the years 2000 - 2004. Figure 10 shows that Nashville and Davidson County is in compliance with the maximum 24 hour PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration. Figure 11 shows that based on the 2002 - 2004 data, Davidson County will comply with the annual average PM<sub>2.5</sub> National Ambient Air Quality Standard. In order to determine compliance with the annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard, the monitor data from the Hendersonville site (Sumner County) will be spatially averaged with the Davidson County data. Data from all four sites will be averaged, and if the 3-year average of the annual arithmetic mean is less than or equal to 15 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, the Middle Tennessee area will attain the PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard. For the period of 2002 - 2004, the Middle Tennessee area is in compliance with the annual NAAQS for PM<sub>2.5</sub>.

TABLE VI
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2004 SUMMARY OF PM <sub>10</sub> (µG/M <sup>3</sup> )		
SITE LOCATION	Trevecca	McCann
Number of Observations	57	60
Maximum 24-Hr Concentration	45	47
Date of Maximum Concentration	7/20	11/17
2nd Maximum 24-Hr Concentration	45	43
Date of 2nd Maximum 24-Hr. Concentration	7/26	7/20
Annual Arithmetic Mean	24	25
Number of Exceedance of 24-Hr Standard	0	0

TABLE VII 2004 QUARTERLY COMPARISON OF PM <sub>10</sub> ARITHMETIC MEAN (µG/M <sup>3</sup> )					
Site Location	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	Annual
Trevecca	24	25	27	19	24
McCann	23	25	28	23	25

TABLE VIII 1991 – 2004 24-HOUR MAXIMUM PM <sub>10</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (µG/M <sup>3</sup> )														
Site Location	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Trevecca	73	61	83	73	69	61	76	70	68	81	60	47	51	45
East*	70	55	57	63	64	64	54	50	52	63	46	49	42	NA
Lockeland*	76	58	72	63	65	55	51	53	55	61	46	56	56	NA
McCann	76	65	79	85	70	76	65	56	60	79	61	53	58	47

TABLE IX 1991 – 2004 ANNUAL AVERAGE PM <sub>10</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (µG/M <sup>3</sup> )														
Site Location	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Trevecca	35	31	32	32	34	33	34	32	31	33	30	22	25	24
East*	31	30	27	28	27	24	25	25	24	27	24	21	23	NA
Lockeland*	32	28	28	25	27	26	23	25	24	26	24	24	24	NA
McCann	38	33	36	36	35	30	30	28	27	30	29	24	27	25

- Due to the density of PM<sub>10</sub> monitoring sites in Davidson County and the history of the Davidson County PM<sub>10</sub> values being well below the NAAQS for PM<sub>10</sub>, the Environmental Protection Agency recommended that the monitors at East and Lockeland be taken out of service on June 30, 2003. Therefore, these monitors were permanently taken out of service in 2003.

TABLE X 2004 SUMMARY OF PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µG/M <sup>3</sup> )				
SITE LOCATION	Lockeland (POC1)	Lockeland (POC2)	Wright	Hillwood
Number of Observations	345	70	114	348

Maximum 24-Hr Concentration	36.6	30.4	31.4	33.9
Date of Maximum Concentration	8/3	7/20	8/4	8/3
2nd Maximum 24-Hr Concentration	32.4	27.8	30.4	30.5
Date of 2nd Maximum 24-Hr. Concentration	6/29	7/26	7/20	12/25
Annual Arithmetic Mean	13.1	13.2	13.1	12.1
Number of Exceedances of 24-Hr Standard	0	0	0	0

**TABLE XI**  
**2004 QUARTERLY COMPARISON OF PM<sub>2.5</sub> ARITHMETIC MEAN (µG/M<sup>3</sup>)**

Site Location	1st	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	Annual
Lockeland (POC1)	11.67	12.54	16.65	11.52	13.09
Lockeland (POC2)	13.09	12.26	16.37	10.40	13.16
Wright	13.00	12.99	16.44	9.76	13.11
Hillwood	11.26	11.43	15.35	10.33	12.14

**TABLE XII**  
**1999 - 2004 24-HOUR MAXIMUM PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (µG/M<sup>3</sup>)**

Site Location	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Lockeland (POC1)	55.8	42.3	38.2	39.8	42.3	36.6
Lockeland (POC2)	55.7	40.8	37.0	32.6	39.0	30.4
Wright	34.0	52.4	33.4	32.8	42.4	31.4
Hillwood	58.2	38.6	35.5	35.7	42.1	33.9

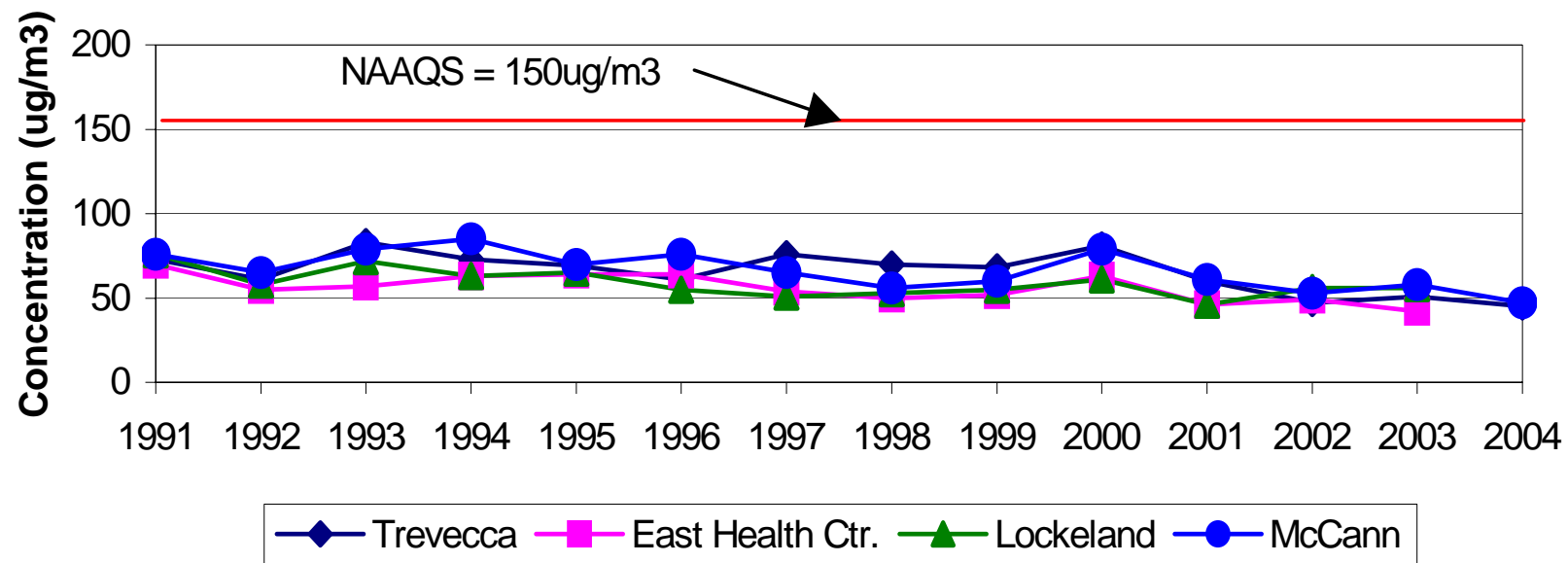
**TABLE XIII**  
**2001 - 2004 ANNUAL AVERAGE PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (µG/M<sup>3</sup>)**

Site Location	2001	2002	2003	2004	LATEST 3 YEAR AVERAGE
Lockeland (POC1)	15.2	na	na	13.1	13.1
Lockeland (POC2)	na	13.7	14.3	13.2	13.7
Wright	14.6	na	na	13.1	13.1
Hillwood	13.4	na	na	12.1	12.1
Sumner County	14.2	12.9	13.4	12.8	13.0
<b>Spatial Avg. of Valid Monitors</b>	14.3	13.3	13.9	12.8	13.3

According to the Environmental Protection Agency, there were quality assurance problems with the data generated by the Lockeland POC1 monitor during 2002 and 2003. We believe the data to be good data representative of the PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations at the Lockeland site. However, due to EPA's ruling, the data from the collocated site at Lockeland (the POC2 site) will be substituted for the primary site's (POC1) data for 2002 and 2003. Also, for determination of compliance with the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), the data from the Sumner County monitor operated by the State of Tennessee will be spatially averaged with the three sites in Davidson County. For the three (3) year period of 2002 - 2004, the Middle Tennessee area was in attainment with the PM<sub>2.5</sub> NAAQS.

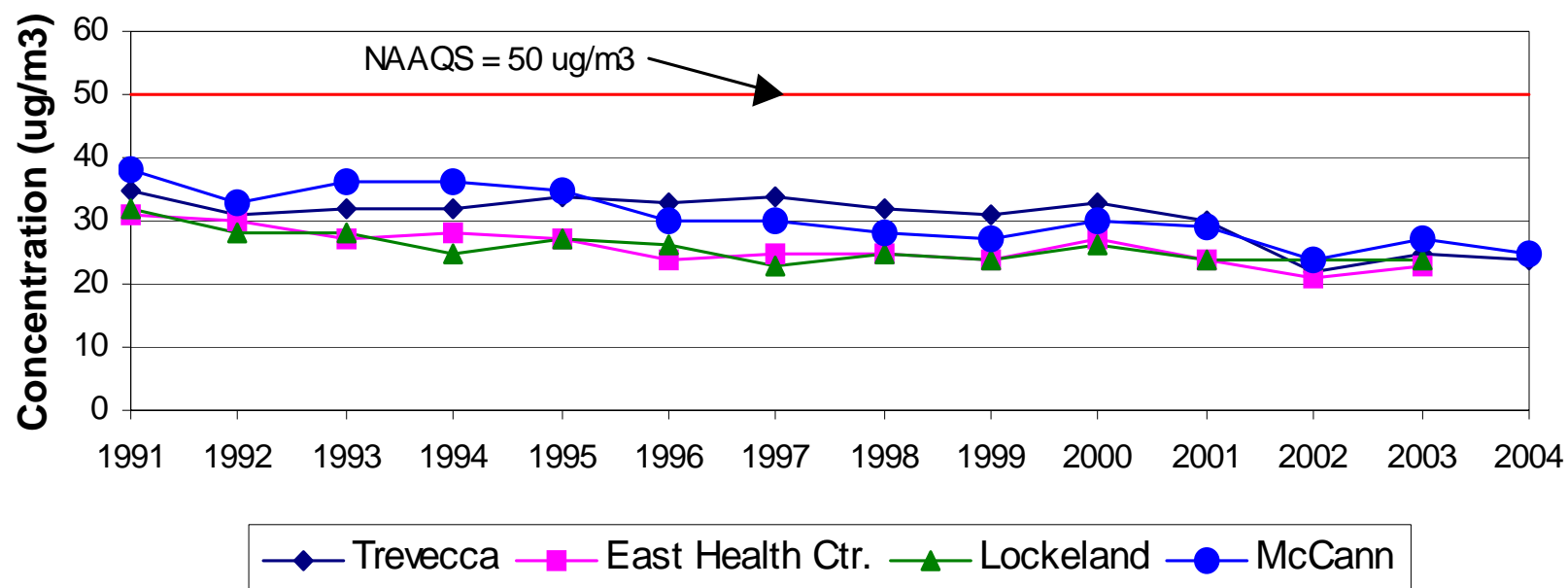
## MAXIMUM 24-HOUR PM<sub>10</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (ug/m<sup>3</sup>)

Figure 8



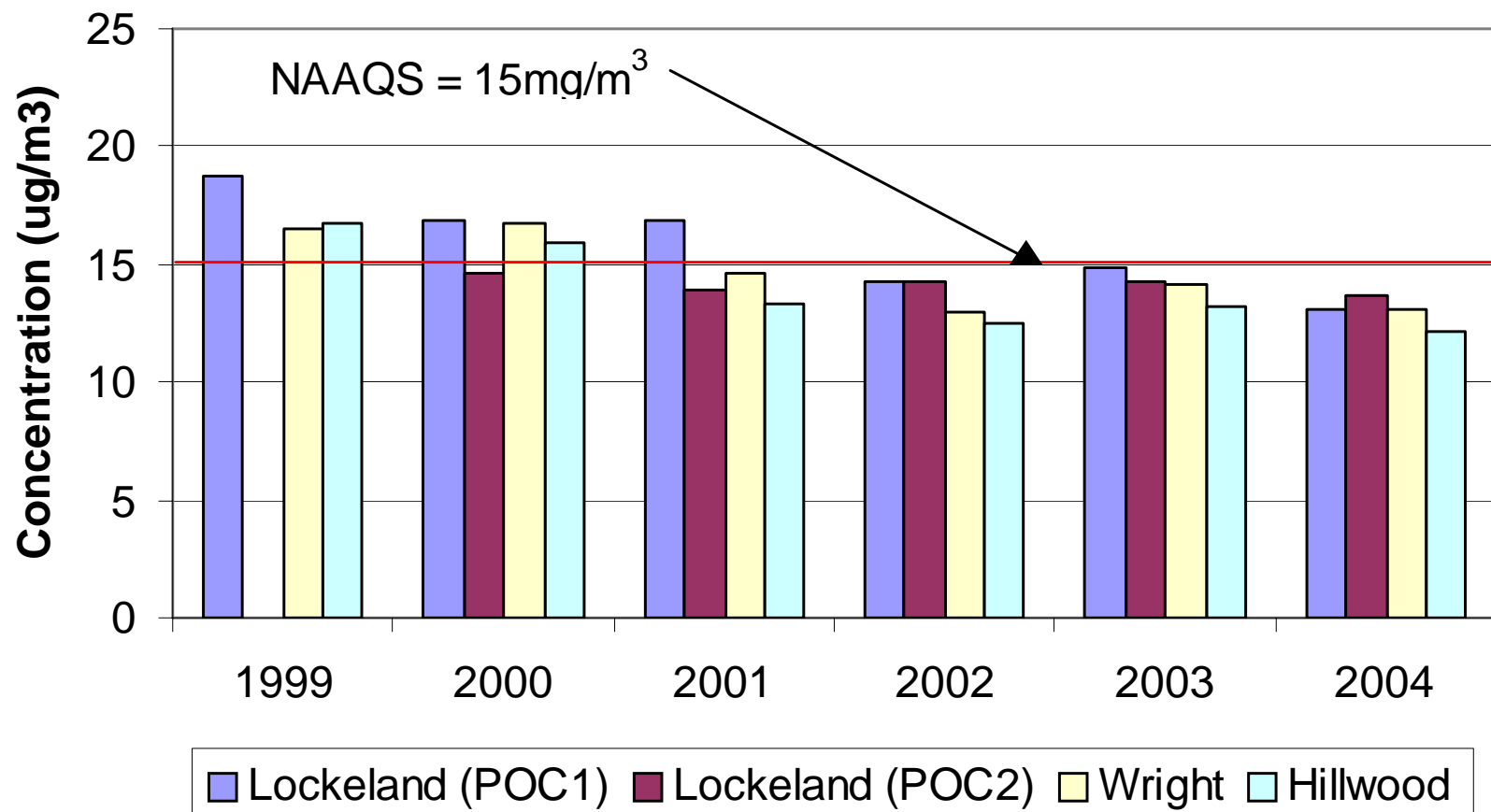
## ANNUAL AVERAGE PM<sub>10</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (ug/m<sup>3</sup>)

Figure 9



## ANNUAL AVERAGE PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS (ug/m<sup>3</sup>)

Figure 11



## LEAD

The traditional major sources of ambient lead are from the combustion of leaded gasoline, and the manufacture of lead storage batteries. During 1997, the Metro Public Health Department operated high-volume samplers at two (2) sites. Samples were taken every 6th day on the same schedule as the PM<sub>10</sub> samplers. The filters were analyzed for suspended lead. Table XIV is a summary of the suspended lead concentrations measured in 1997. This data shows that the Ambient Air Quality Standard of 1.5 µg/m<sup>3</sup> averaged on a calendar quarter was not exceeded in 1997. The maximum calendar quarter concentration measured over the six (6) years previous to 1997 was 0.10 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. This data indicates that ambient lead concentrations are relatively insignificant. Based on low monitored lead levels and EPA guidance, ambient monitoring for lead was discontinued in Nashville and Davidson County on December 31, 1997.

**TABLE XIV**  
**1997 QUARTERLY COMPARISON OF LEAD, ARITHMETIC MEAN ( $\mu\text{G}/\text{M}^3$ )**

<b>SITE</b>	<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	<b>ANNUAL</b>
MHDA—1400 8 <sup>th</sup> Avenue North	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
NES—1214 Church Street	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07

## SULFUR DIOXIDE

Sulfur dioxide is a heavy, pungent, colorless gas that combines easily with water vapor to form sulfuric acid. The major health concerns associated with exposure to sulfur dioxide include effects on breathing, respiratory illness, alterations in the lungs' defenses, and aggravation of existing cardiovascular disease. Sulfur dioxide was measured at East Health Center (site 0011) during 2004. Table XV presents a summary of this data. The data shows that the annual arithmetic mean, the 24-hour average or the 3-hour average standards of 0.03 ppm, 0.14 ppm and 0.5 PPM respectively were not violated in 2004. The main source of sulfur dioxide in Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County is from fuel combustion.

**TABLE XV**  
**2004 SULFUR DIOXIDE (PPM), SITE 247-037-0011, EAST HEALTH CENTER**

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## NITROGEN OXIDE

Air is composed of approximately 78% nitrogen and 21% oxygen. When combustion occurs at high temperatures, such as in automobile engines and in other fossil fuel combustion, nitrogen combines with oxygen to form several different gaseous compounds collectively known as oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>). Of these, nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>) and nitric oxide (NO) are the most important from an air pollution standpoint. Nitrogen dioxide can irritate the lungs and lower resistance to respiratory infections. Nitrogen dioxide contributes to the formation of ozone through a chemical reaction with volatile organic compounds in the presence of sunlight. On-road mobile sources emitted 67% of the nitrogen dioxide emissions in 2004 with light duty gasoline cars and light duty gasoline trucks responsible for 32% of the total nitrogen dioxide emissions.

Nitrogen dioxide was measured at East Health Center (site 0011) during 2004. Table XVI presents a summary of this data and shows that the annual arithmetic mean standard of 0.05 PPM for nitrogen dioxide was not violated in 2004.

**TABLE XVI**  
**2004 NITROGEN DIOXIDE (PPM), SITE 247-037-0011, EAST HEALTH CENTER**

MONTH	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
No. of Observations	738	691	736	711	742	710	737	733	713	736	715	737	8699
Arithmetic Mean	0.014	0.017	0.017	0.015	0.014	0.014	0.013	0.015	0.014	0.016	0.015	0.017	0.015
Highest 24-Hr Conc.	0.023	0.030	0.028	0.029	0.028	0.024	0.020	0.024	0.025	0.027	0.026	0.027	0.030
Date of Highest 24-Hr Conc.	1/7	2/23	2/23	4/7	5/7	6/28	7/20	8/17	9/23	10/31	11/17	12/16	2/23
2nd Highest 24-Hr Conc.	0.022	0.025	0.025	0.027	0.027	0.024	0.020	0.024	0.022	0.026	0.024	0.027	0.029
Date of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Highest 24-Hr Conc.	1/13	2/19	3/14	4/6	5/8	6/29	7/16	8/19	9/22	10/1	11/16	12/17	4/7
No. of 24-Hour Conc													
0.0 - 0.049	31	29	31	30	31	30	31	31	30	31	30	31	366
0.050 - 0.089	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.090 - 0.129	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.130 - 0.169	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## OZONE



Ozone (O<sub>3</sub>) is an unstable, pungent gas in the stratosphere, about ten miles above the earth, which protects us by shielding us from the sun's ultraviolet rays. Tropospheric ozone at the earth's surface has a different effect. It is an eye, nose and throat irritant. It can lower a person's resistance to infection, cause shortness of breath, and over time could damage the lungs. It is also harmful to plants and animals.

Ozone is not released directly from sources. It is produced by a complex series of chemical reactions called photochemical oxidation involving the reaction of nonmethane hydrocarbons and nitrogen dioxide in the presence of heat and sunlight. Ozone is a seasonal problem occurring normally from April through September when warm, sunny weather is abundant. High ozone levels occur in the afternoon after the temperature has risen and the precursors have had time to react. The major sources of volatile organic compounds includes various types of industrial processes, surface coating, solvent usage, fuel combustion and automobiles. Tables XVII and XVIII are summaries of the 1-hour ozone concentrations for 2004. The data shows that the old National Ambient Air Quality one-hour standard of 0.12 ppm was not exceeded in 2004. The maximum one-hour average concentration of 0.096 ppm was measured at Percy Priest Dam (site 0026) on August 10, 2004. Table XXI compares the measured ozone concentration for the past several years.

**TABLE XVII**  
**2004 OZONE (PPM), DAILY MAXIMUM 1-HOUR AVERAGE VALUES, SITE 247-037-0011, EAST HEALTH CENTER**

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**TABLE XVIII**  
**2004 OZONE (PPM), DAILY MAXIMUM 1-HOUR AVERAGE VALUES, SITE 247-037-0026, PERCY PRIEST DAM**

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<b>TABLE XIX</b>													
<b>2004 OZONE (PPM), DAILY MAXIMUM 8-HOUR AVERAGE VALUES, SITE 247-037-0011, EAST HEALTH CENTER</b>													
<b>MONTH</b>	<b>JAN</b>	<b>FEB</b>	<b>MAR</b>	<b>APR</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JUN</b>	<b>JUL</b>	<b>AUG</b>	<b>SEP</b>	<b>OCT</b>	<b>NOV</b>	<b>DEC</b>	<b>ANNUAL</b>
No. of Observations	744	688	744	714	744	720	744	738	720	744	713	744	8757
Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.028	0.047	0.055	0.062	0.056	0.058	0.062	0.071	0.065	0.046	0.039	0.029	0.071
Date of Highest Conc.	1/28	2/29	3/24	4/16	5/5	6/28	7/29	8/3	9/25	10/4	11/7	12/7	8/3
2nd Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.028	0.042	0.049	0.060	0.055	0.055	0.054	0.065	0.055	0.045	0.037	0.027	0.065
Date of 2nd Highest Conc.	1/29	2/19	3/25	4/29	5/8	6/20	7/22	8/9	9/1	10/6	11/1	12/22	8/9
3rd Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.027	0.041	0.047	0.058	0.055	0.053	0.053	0.064	0.055	0.043	0.032	0.026	0.065
Date of 3rd Highest Conc.	1/6	2/20	3/27	4/8	5/9	6/5	7/19	8/8	9/5	10/7	11/6	12/31	9/25
4th Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.026	0.037	0.046	0.055	0.054	0.052	0.052	0.063	0.055	0.040	0.031	0.023	0.064
Date of 4th Highest Conc.	1/27	2/21	3/26	4/17	5/7	6/27	7/20	8/17	9/22	10/5	11/8	12/18	8/8
No. of 8-Hr Exceedances	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of 1-Hr Concentrations													
0.000 - 0.064	744	688	744	714	744	720	744	733	719	744	713	744	8751
0.065 - 0.084	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	6
0.085 - 0.104	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.105 - 0.124	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.125 - 0.374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greater Than 0.374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

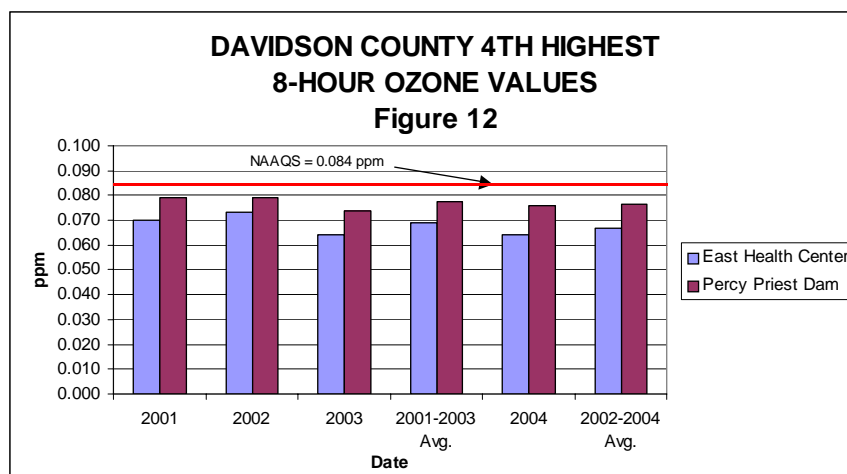
<b>TABLE XX</b>													
<b>2004 OZONE (PPM), DAILY MAXIMUM 8-HOUR AVERAGE VALUES, SITE 247-037-0026, PERCY PRIEST DAM</b>													
<b>MONTH</b>	<b>JAN</b>	<b>FEB</b>	<b>MAR</b>	<b>APR</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JUN</b>	<b>JUL</b>	<b>AUG</b>	<b>SEP</b>	<b>OCT</b>	<b>NOV</b>	<b>DEC</b>	<b>ANNUAL</b>
No. of Observations	744	696	744	714	738	720	735	744	720	738	720	736	8749
Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.034	0.055	0.066	0.068	0.059	0.062	0.076	0.082	0.063	0.053	0.043	0.037	0.082
Date of Highest Conc.	1/29	2/29	3/24	4/16	5/7	6/18	7/20	8/3	9/23	10/7	11/1	12/5	8/3
2nd Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.031	0.050	0.059	0.062	0.058	0.060	0.073	0.077	0.063	0.050	0.040	0.035	0.077
Date of 2nd Highest Conc.	1/4	2/19	3/25	4/17	5/5	6/29	7/29	8/9	9/25	10/1	11/7	12/31	8/9
3rd Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.031	0.047	0.053	0.062	0.058	0.056	0.071	0.077	0.058	0.049	0.037	0.034	0.077
Date of 3rd Highest Conc.	1/24	2/20	3/26	4/29	5/8	6/28	7/22	8/10	9/22	10/6	11/6	12/22	8/10
4th Highest 8-Hr Avg. Conc.	0.030	0.035	0.053	0.058	0.056	0.055	0.069	0.074	0.057	0.048	0.035	0.033	0.076
Date of 4th Highest Conc.	1/28	2/8	3/27	4/18	5/9	6/5	7/23	8/17	9/1	10/8	11/26	12/7	7/20
No. of 8-Hr Exceedances	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of 8-Hr Concentrations													
0.000 - 0.064	744	696	741	710	738	720	714	711	720	738	720	736	8688
0.065 - 0.084	0	0	3	4	0	0	21	33	0	0	0	0	61
0.085 - 0.104	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.105 - 0.124	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.125 - 0.374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greater Than 0.374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Tables XIX and XX are summaries of the maximum 8-hour average ozone concentrations for 2004. The maximum eight-hour average concentration of 0.082 ppm was measured at Percy Priest Dam (site 0026) on August 3, 2004. The data shows that the 8-hour ozone standard was not violated in Davidson County during 2004. Table XXI compares the 1-hour daily maximum ozone concentrations from 1980 through 2004 at East Health Center and Percy Priest Dam. Table XXII compares the 8-hour ozone concentrations for the past eight (8) years.

TABLE XXI																									
1980 - 2004 ANNUAL COMPARISON OF 1-HOUR AVERAGE OZONE CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)																									
SITE 247-037-0011 EAST HEALTH CENTER																									
YEAR	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.130	0.095	0.110	0.135	0.120	0.090	0.105	0.105	0.145	0.100	0.110	0.095	0.090	0.105	0.090	0.110	0.100	0.130	0.114	0.117	0.104	0.088	0.087	0.085	0.084
2nd Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.130	0.095	0.105	0.120	0.100	0.085	0.095	0.090	0.130	0.095	0.105	0.075	0.080	0.100	0.090	0.105	0.100	0.125	0.105	0.116	0.091	0.083	0.087	0.076	0.076
3rd Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.130	0.090	0.105	0.115	0.085	0.080	0.085	0.090	0.125	0.090	0.100	0.075	0.080	0.100	0.090	0.100	0.095	0.110	0.102	0.107	0.085	0.083	0.086	0.073	0.074
4th Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.130	0.090	0.095	0.115	0.085	0.080	0.080	0.090	0.120	0.085	0.095	0.070	0.075	0.090	0.090	0.100	0.095	0.110	0.101	0.101	0.084	0.079	0.085	0.073	0.073
No. of 1-Hr. Exceedances	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of Days Std. Exceeded	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SITE 247-037-0026 PERCY PRIEST DAM																									
YEAR	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.100	0.085	0.070	0.095	0.115	0.075	0.085	0.115	0.130	0.085	0.115	0.105	0.105	0.100	0.105	0.115	0.125	0.120	0.141	0.129	0.109	0.106	0.100	0.092	0.096
2 <sup>nd</sup> Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.090	0.075	0.065	0.090	0.100	0.075	0.085	0.095	0.130	0.080	0.100	0.095	0.095	0.090	0.095	0.110	0.110	0.100	0.120	0.123	0.106	0.100	0.097	0.091	0.091
3 <sup>rd</sup> Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.090	0.065	0.060	0.090	0.085	0.070	0.085	0.095	0.125	0.080	0.095	0.095	0.080	0.090	0.080	0.110	0.105	0.095	0.112	0.120	0.103	0.094	0.090	0.086	0.087
4 <sup>th</sup> Highest 1-Hr. Conc.	0.090	0.065	0.055	0.090	0.080	0.070	0.080	0.090	0.120	0.075	0.085	0.095	0.080	0.090	0.080	0.110	0.100	0.095	0.111	0.118	0.099	0.088	0.087	0.084	0.085
No. of 1-Hr. Exceedances	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
No. of Days Std. Exceeded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE XXII								
1997 – 2004 ANNUAL COMPARISON OF 8-HOUR AVERAGE OZONE CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)								
SITE 247-037-0011 EAST HEALTH CENTER								
YEAR	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Highest 8-hour average concentration	0.104	0.095	0.103	0.084	0.078	0.076	0.078	0.071
2 <sup>nd</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.098	0.092	0.102	0.081	0.076	0.075	0.066	0.065
3 <sup>rd</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.098	0.092	0.090	0.075	0.074	0.073	0.065	0.065
4 <sup>th</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.097	0.089	0.088	0.072	0.070	0.073	0.064	0.064
No. of days 8-hour standard exceeded	8	4	9	0	0	0	0	0
SITE 247-037-0026 PERCY PRIEST DAM								
YEAR	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Highest 8-hour average concentration	0.102	0.107	0.101	0.096	0.097	0.082	0.085	0.082
2 <sup>nd</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.087	0.100	0.100	0.085	0.093	0.082	0.082	0.077
3 <sup>rd</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.087	0.093	0.098	0.085	0.079	0.079	0.075	0.077
4 <sup>th</sup> highest 8-hour average concentration	0.086	0.091	0.098	0.084	0.079	0.079	0.074	0.076
No. of days 8-hour standard exceeded	4	12	15	3	2	0	1	0

The data in Figure 12 shows that the new, more stringent 8-hour average ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) of 0.08 ppm was not exceeded in 2004. Compliance with the 8-hour average ozone NAAQS is achieved when the 3-year average of the annual fourth highest value is 0.084 ppm or less. The Davidson County 3-year average (2002, 2003 and 2004) at the Percy Priest Dam site is 0.076. Therefore, Davidson County is attaining the new, more stringent 8-hour ozone NAAQS.



The Middle Tennessee ozone nonattainment area, which includes Davidson, Sumner, Rutherford, Williamson, and Wilson Counties, was reclassified to attainment for the 1-hour ozone NAAQS on October 30, 1996. The area is currently operating under an existing 1-hour ozone maintenance plan. Designation for the Middle Tennessee area for the 8-hour ozone standard occurred in April, 2004. The area was designated nonattainment for 8-hour ozone with the requirements being deferred as long as the Early Action Compact milestones are met. A deferral of 8-hour ozone nonattainment requirements is currently in place until December 31, 2006.

Table XXIII shows the highest ozone values measured in the Middle Tennessee area during the three-year period of 2002 through 2004. Compliance with the 1-hour standard is achieved by measuring less than one (1.0) exceedance per year averaged over the most recent three (3) year period. Compliance with the new, more stringent 8-hour standard is achieved when the three (3) year average of the annual fourth highest 8-hour ozone value is less than 0.085 ppm. During that time, none of the ozone monitors in the Middle Tennessee area measured a violation of the original 1-hour NAAQS or the new, more stringent 8-hour NAAQS.

<b>TABLE XXIII</b> <b>2002 - 2004 SUMMARY OF THE HIGHEST 1-HOUR AVERAGE AND 8-HOUR AVERAGE OZONE CONCENTRATIONS</b> <b>IN THE MIDDLE TENNESSEE AREA</b>											
SITE NUMBER & LOCATION	Y E A R	MAXIMUM CONCENTRATIONS								NO. OF DAYS > STANDARD	
		1 <sup>st</sup> 1-Hr.	1 <sup>st</sup> 8-Hr.	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1-Hr.	2 <sup>nd</sup> 8-Hr.	3 <sup>rd</sup> 1-Hr.	3 <sup>rd</sup> 8-Hr.	4 <sup>th</sup> 1-Hr.	4 <sup>th</sup> 8-Hr.	1-Hr.	8-Hr.
247-037-0011 East Health Center-Davidson	2002	0.087	0.076	0.087	0.075	0.086	0.073	0.085	0.073	0	0
	2003	0.085	0.078	0.076	0.066	0.073	0.065	0.073	0.064	0	0
	2004	0.084	0.071	0.076	0.065	0.074	0.065	0.073	0.064	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-037-0026 Percy Priest Dam-Davidson	2002	0.100	0.082	0.097	0.082	0.090	0.079	0.087	0.079	0	0
	2003	0.092	0.085	0.091	0.082	0.086	0.075	0.084	0.074	0	1
	2004	0.096	0.082	0.091	0.077	0.087	0.077	0.085	0.076	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-149-0101* Eagleville- Rutherford	2002	0.121	0.104	0.109	0.096	0.108	0.092	0.095	0.090	0	8
	2003	0.090	0.087	0.089	0.080	0.089	0.077	0.088	0.076	0	1
	2004	0.098	0.088	0.079	0.074	0.078	0.072	0.078	0.070	0	1
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-165-0007* Old Hickory Dam-Sumner	2002	0.118	0.093	0.107	0.087	0.105	0.087	0.104	0.086	0	5
	2003	0.100	0.095	0.096	0.086	0.096	0.086	0.094	0.086	0	5
	2004	0.095	0.084	0.093	0.080	0.092	0.079	0.088	0.078	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-165-0101* Cottontown- Sumner	2002	0.106	0.093	0.101	0.089	0.101	0.087	0.099	0.087	0	6
	2003	0.098	0.078	0.091	0.078	0.089	0.075	0.085	0.074	0	0
	2004	0.104	0.083	0.099	0.078	0.093	0.078	0.091	0.076	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-187-0106* Fairview- Williamson	2002	0.124	0.096	0.113	0.095	0.106	0.094	0.106	0.094	0	12
	2003	0.091	0.088	0.091	0.083	0.090	0.082	0.086	0.080	0	1
	2004	0.081	0.074	0.081	0.073	0.079	0.073	0.079	0.072	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes
247-189-0103* Cedars of Lebanon-Wilson	2002	0.124	0.108	0.102	0.098	0.096	0.089	0.095	0.088	0	7
	2003	0.099	0.089	0.090	0.081	0.089	0.079	0.089	0.079	0	1
	2004	0.098	0.080	0.089	0.079	0.083	0.072	0.082	0.071	0	0
COMPLIANCE WITH NAAQS										Yes	Yes

\*OPERATED BY THE STATE OF TENNESSEE--DIVISION OF AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

## CARBON MONOXIDE

Carbon monoxide is a colorless, odorless gas that is a product of incomplete combustion. The major source of carbon monoxide is the internal combustion engine, particularly the automobile. Carbon monoxide enters the bloodstream and reduces oxygen delivery to the body's organs and tissues. The method used for measuring carbon monoxide is a non-dispersive infrared method. During 2004, carbon monoxide was measured at two sites: one in the downtown area, Hume Fogg Magnet School (site 0021); and one in an urbanized neighborhood, Douglas Park (site 0031). The Donelson Library site (site 0028) was taken out of service at the end of 2002 due to continuing compliance with the carbon monoxide NAAQS. Tables XXIV through XXVI present a summary of the carbon monoxide data for 2004. This data shows that the National Ambient Air Quality Standard was not violated at any site during 2004.

**TABLE XXIV**  
**2004 CARBON MONOXIDE (PPM), SITE 247-037-0021, HUME FOGG MAGNET SCHOOL**

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**TABLE XXV**  
**2004 CARBON MONOXIDE (PPM), SITE 247-037-0031, DOUGLAS PARK**

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**TABLE XXVI**  
**2004 SUMMARY OF CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)**

<b>SITE</b>	<b>HUME FOGG</b>	<b>DOUGLAS PARK</b>	<b>ANNUAL</b>
Highest 1-Hr Conc.	3.9	5.1	5.1
2nd Highest 1-Hr Conc.	3.9	5.1	5.1
Highest 8-Hr Conc.	2.7	4.2	4.2
2nd Highest 8-Hr Conc.	2.7	3.8	3.8
No. of 1-Hr Exceedances	0	0	0
No. of 8-Hr Exceedances	0	0	0
No. of Days 8-Hr Exceedances	0	0	0

Tables XXVII, XXVIII and XXIX, and Figures 13 and 14, show a comparison of the concentrations of carbon monoxide over the past several years. This data shows that the 8-hour NAAQS of 9.0 PPM has not been violated since 1989.

**TABLE XXVII**  
**1981 – 2004 ANNUAL COMPARISON CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS, (PPM)**

<b>SITE 247-037-0021 HUME FOGG MAGNET SCHOOL</b>																								
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>1981</b>	<b>1982</b>	<b>1983</b>	<b>1984</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>1986</b>	<b>1987</b>	<b>1988</b>	<b>1989</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1992</b>	<b>1993</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004</b>
Highest 1-Hr Conc.	16.5	23.0	17.0	19.5	16.0	15.0	14.0	12.5	11.0	9.5	7.5	8.5	11.0	9.0	7.5	6.0	7.5	6.9	7.9	5.7	5.0	4.9	5.4	3.9
2nd Highest 1-Hr Conc.	16.0	22.5	16.5	17.0	14.0	15.0	12.0	11.0	11.0	8.0	7.5	8.0	8.5	9.0	7.0	5.5	7.0	5.8	7.6	5.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	3.9
Highest 8-Hr Conc.	12.9	17.9	11.6	10.8	8.9	9.9	9.3	8.0	8.8	7.8	5.3	6.3	7.0	6.3	6.5	4.4	5.8	4.9	6.2	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.9	2.7
2nd Highest 8-Hr Conc.	10.3	15.6	10.8	10.1	7.8	9.5	8.2	7.8	7.6	5.8	4.9	5.8	8.5	5.4	4.8	4.1	5.1	4.6	5.2	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.0	2.7
No. of 1-Hr Exceedances of the Standard (35PPM)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of 8-Hr Exceedances of the Standard (9PPM)	4	6	20	8	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of Days 8-Hr. Standard Exceeded (Standard = 9PPM)	3	5	20	8	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**TABLE XXVIII**  
**1982 - 2002 ANNUAL COMPARISON OF CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS, (PPM)**

<b>SITE 247-037-0028 DONELSON LIBRARY*</b>																					
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>1982</b>	<b>1983</b>	<b>1984</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>1986</b>	<b>1987</b>	<b>1988</b>	<b>1989</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1992</b>	<b>1993</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>
Highest 1-Hr Conc.	10.0	13.5	8.0	8.5	8.5	8.0	7.0	11.5	8.5	8.0	8.0	7.0	6.0	3.5	5.0	4.0	3.6	4.1	3.5	3.9	2.7
2nd Highest 1-Hr Conc.	9.5	8.0	7.5	7.0	6.5	8.0	7.0	7.0	7.5	6.5	7.0	6.8	5.5	3.0	4.5	4.0	3.4	4.0	3.4	3.5	2.6
Highest 8-Hr Conc.	6.1	9.5	6.6	4.1	6.3	4.4	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.5	4.4	5.8	4.1	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.1	3.6	3.0	2.8	2.2
2nd Highest 8-Hr Conc.	5.9	4.9	6.2	3.8	5.8	4.1	4.5	5.6	4.3	3.4	4.4	5.4	3.1	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.7	1.8
No. of 1-Hr Exceedances of the Standard (35PPM)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of 8-Hr Exceedances of the Standard (9PPM)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of Days 8-Hr. Standard Exceeded (Standard = 9PPM)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

\*Donelson Library site was taken out of service in 2002.



**TABLE XXIX**  
**1982 - 2004 ANNUAL COMPARISON OF CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS, (PPM)**

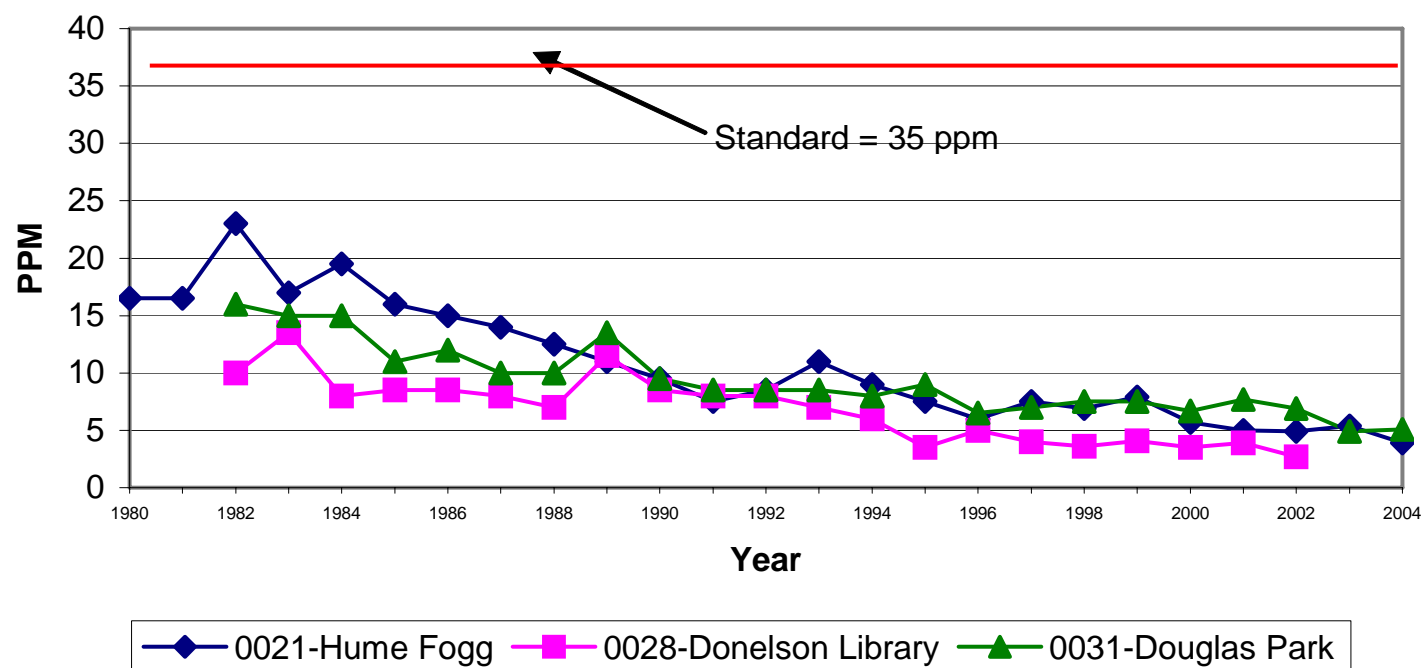
**SITE 247-037-0031 DOUGLAS PARK**

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## ANNUAL COMPARISON CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)

Highest 1-Hour Concentrations

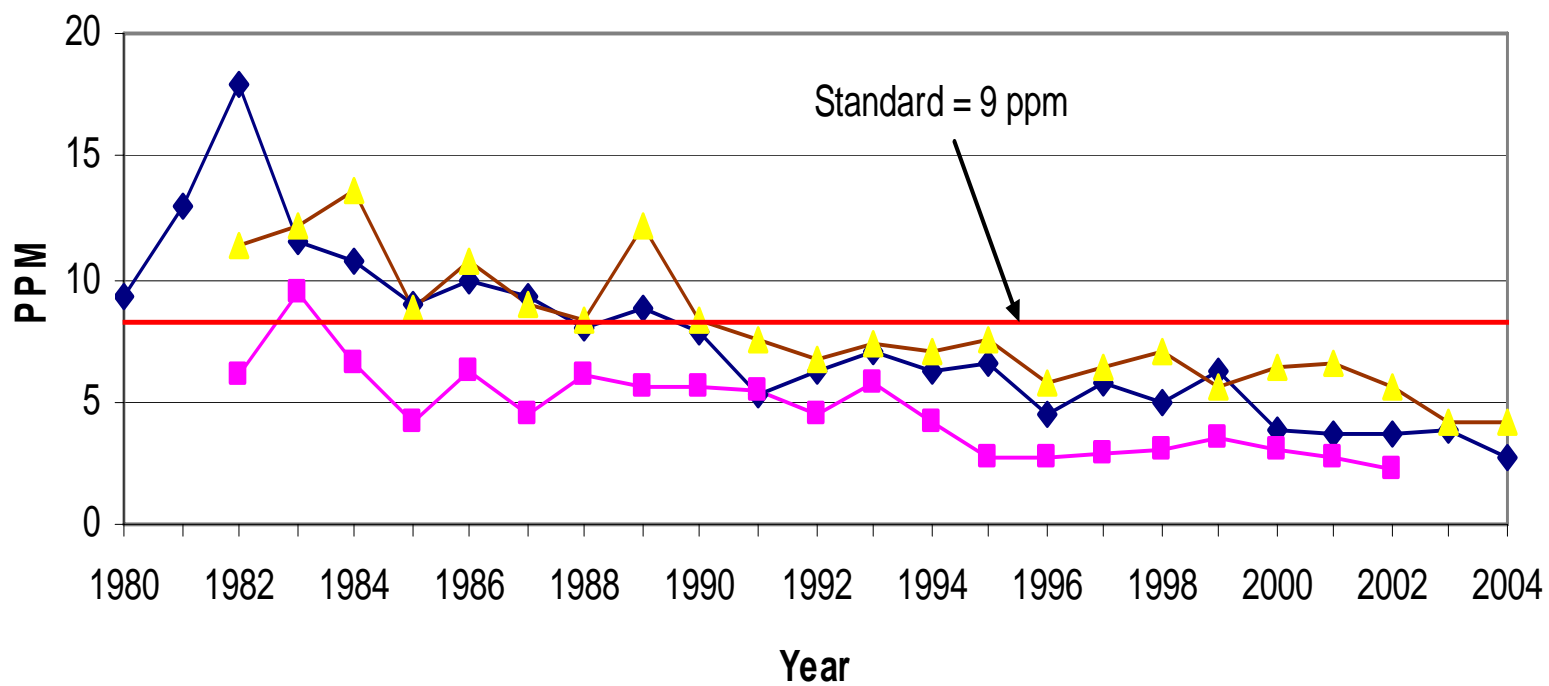
Figure 13



# ANNUAL COMPARISON OF CARBON MONOXIDE CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)

Highest 8-Hour Average Concentrations

Figure 14



0021-Hume Fogg 0028-Donelson Library 0031-Douglas Park

## **AIR QUALITY INDEX AIR QUALITY FORECASTING**

The Air Quality Index (AQI) was developed by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to provide accurate, timely, and easily understandable information about daily levels of air pollution. The AQI converts the measured pollutant concentration to a number on a scale of 0 to 500 with critical breakpoints in between representing ranges of air pollution. The AQI provides general information to the public about air quality and associated health effects. Another purpose of the AQI is to maintain a standardized air quality reporting method across the country.

The daily air quality index and pollen count is made available to the public by the PCD by calling (615) 340-0488 and on the Metro Public Health Department's website which can be found at <http://healthweb.nashville.gov>. The measured concentrations of carbon monoxide, ozone, sulfur dioxide, PM<sub>2.5</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub> and nitrogen dioxide are used to generate the AQI. It is furnished daily, Monday through Friday, by 9:00 a.m. Included in the numerical value is a descriptive word and cautionary statement, when applicable. Table XXX summarizes the daily AQI for 2004. Table XXXI shows the Air Quality Index categories along with the cautionary statements associated with each pollutant.

<b>TABLE XXX 2004 AQI SUMMARY</b>		
<b>Range</b>	<b>Number of Days</b>	<b>% of Total Days</b>
Good	239	65%
Moderate	127	35%
Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups	0	0%

The maximum Air Quality Index in 2004 was on August 4, 2004 when the PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration reached 39 µg/m<sup>3</sup> at the Lockeland monitoring site. The 39 µg/m<sup>3</sup> ppm concentration resulted in a reported AQI of 98.

In cooperation with the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Air Pollution Control Division and the Tennessee Valley Authority, the PCD participates in the issuance of a daily air quality forecast. This forecast is issued to alert the Middle Tennessee area of the probable maximum ozone and particulate matter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) concentration on the next day. The intent is to notify those people that might be affected by the next day's air quality so that they have the opportunity to make adjustments to minimize their exposure to ozone and particulate matter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) air pollution. It also provides the opportunity for area residents and businesses to alter their activities to minimize their impact on air quality in the Middle Tennessee area.

The daily air quality forecast is made available to the public by the PCD by calling (615) 340-0488 and on the Metro Public Health Department's website which can be found at <http://healthweb.nashville.gov>.

**TABLE XXXI**  
**AQI CAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

AQI Category	Ozone (ppm)		Particulate Matter ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )		Carbon Monoxide (ppm)	Sulfur Dioxide (ppm)	Nitrogen Dioxide (ppm)
	8-Hour	1-Hour	PM <sub>2.5</sub> 24-Hour	PM <sub>10</sub> 24-Hour	8-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour
Good (0 – 50)	None		None	None	None	None	None
Moderate (51 – 100)	Unusually sensitive people should consider limiting prolonged outdoor exertion.		Unusually sensitive people should consider reducing prolonged or heavy exertion.	Unusually sensitive people should consider reducing prolonged or heavy exertion.	None	None	None
Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups (101 – 150)	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should limit prolonged outdoor exertion.	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should limit heavy outdoor exertion.	People with respiratory or heart disease, the elderly and children should limit prolonged exertion.	People with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should limit outdoor exertion.	People with cardiovascular disease, such as angina, should limit heavy exertion and avoid sources of CO, such as heavy traffic.	People with asthma should consider limiting outdoor exertion.	None
Unhealthy (151 – 200)	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should avoid prolonged outdoor exertion; everyone else, especially children, should limit prolonged outdoor exertion.	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should avoid heavy outdoor exertion; everyone else, especially children, should limit heavy outdoor exertion.	People with respiratory or heart disease, the elderly and children should avoid prolonged exertion; everyone else should limit prolonged exertion.		People with cardiovascular disease, such as angina, should limit moderate exertion and avoid sources of CO such as heavy traffic.	Children, asthmatics, and people with heart or lung disease should limit outdoor exertion.	None
Very Unhealthy (201 – 300)	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should avoid all outdoor exertion; everyone else, especially children, should limit outdoor exertion.	Active children and adults, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should avoid all outdoor exertion; everyone else, especially children, should limit outdoor exertion.	People with respiratory or heart disease, the elderly and children should avoid any outdoor activity; everyone else should avoid prolonged exertion.	People with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should avoid any outdoor activity; everyone else, especially the elderly and children, should limit outdoor exertion.	People with cardiovascular disease, such as angina, should avoid exertion and sources of CO, such as heavy traffic.	Children, asthmatics, and people with heart or lung disease should avoid outdoor exertion; everyone else should limit outdoor exertion.	Children and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should limit heavy outdoor exertion.
Hazardous (greater than 300)	Everyone should avoid all outdoor exertion.	Everyone should avoid all outdoor exertion.	Everyone should avoid any outdoor exertion; people with respiratory or heart disease, the elderly and children should remain indoors.	Everyone should avoid any outdoor exertion; people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should remain indoors.	People with cardiovascular disease, such as angina, should avoid exertion and sources of CO, such as heavy traffic; everyone else should limit heavy exertion.	Children, asthmatics, and people with heart or lung disease should remain indoors; everyone else should avoid outdoor exertion.	Children, and people with respiratory disease, such as asthma, should limit moderate or heavy outdoor exertion.

## POLLEN

Pollen is a small, spherical shaped grain which is produced by plants and is necessary for plant fertilization. Each plant has its own pollinating season which tends to be fairly constant from year to year. In this region, trees generally pollinate from around the first of March through May, grass from the first of March until killing frost and ragweed in the fall. The actual amount of pollen in the air, at any given time, depends on the weather conditions, as well as total amount of pollen produced.

Pollen is measured using a Durham pollen sampler. Pollen is collected on a microscope slide which has been smeared with a light coating of white petroleum jelly or silicone grease. The slide is exposed for 24 hours and then returned to the laboratory where it is stained with a few drops of Calberia's staining solution. The pollen on the slide is read with a microscope on low power (10X). Five (5) scans across the stained area are counted, and the pollen count is computed as the number of grains of pollen per square centimeter. The following is used for the pollen count:

0 to 5 Pollen Grains/cm <sup>2</sup>	Slight
6 to 15 Pollen Grains/cm <sup>2</sup>	Moderate
16 to 25 Pollen Grains/cm <sup>2</sup>	Heavy
Greater than 25 Pollen Grains/cm <sup>2</sup>	Extremely Heavy

<b>TABLE XXXII</b>		
<b>2004 POLLEN COUNT SUMMARY</b>		
<b>Range</b>	<b>Number of Days</b>	<b>% of Total Days</b>
Slight	104	58%
Moderate	42	24%
Heavy	11	6%
Extremely Heavy	22	12%

The maximum daily pollen count for Nashville during 2004 was 274 grains/cm<sup>2</sup> measured March 29, 2004, due to the combination of cedar, maple and pine.

A daily update of the Pollen Count can be found on the website at <http://healthweb.nashville.gov> or by calling the recorded message at (615) 340-0488.

## 9. INDOOR AIR QUALITY

According to comparative risk studies performed by EPA and its Science Advisory Board, indoor air pollution has been ranked among the top five environmental risks to public health. Children may be especially vulnerable to these health effects. EPA estimates that indoor levels of many pollutants are typically 2-5 times, and occasionally more than 100 times, higher than outdoor levels. These levels are of particular concern because it is estimated that most people spend 90% of their time indoors.

The Pollution Control Division is presently operating an Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) program at the Metro Public Health Department. Currently, there are no regulations directly addressing non-occupational indoor air quality. This is a voluntary program that seeks to provide information, diagnostic services (when possible) and suggestions in hopes of increasing the public's knowledge of IAQ and decrease the health effects associated with poor indoor air quality. The IAQ program provides support and expertise to address the indoor air quality concerns of residences (homes, apartments, etc.), schools, childcare facilities, and public facilities. For indoor air quality issues relating to the workplace, the Tennessee Occupational Safety and Health Administration (TOSHA) is responsible for the health and safety of employees at commercial and industrial establishments.

During 2004, 137 on-site indoor air quality investigations were conducted. There were many more telephone calls from the community seeking information and guidance on how to correct a particular situation or how to improve their indoor air quality. Complaints and requests for assistance have been received from homeowners, renters, students, parents and staff at public and private schools, church members, parents and staff at daycare centers and employees and employers at commercial and industrial facilities.

Recently, there has been growing concern over mold in the indoor environment. News stories have focused on numerous health concerns reportedly caused by exposure to mold. The most common (documented) symptom is an allergic reaction. At this time, there is still much to learn about what other health effects can actually be directly related to mold exposure. Since there are no regulatory limits for mold in the home or work environment, the best advice is as follows: If you suspect you have a mold problem, look for a source of moisture. Moisture control is the key to mold control. Microbials need a source of moisture and a source of food to grow and multiply. Before successful remediation can take place, the source of moisture must be eliminated or the problem can reoccur. In most cases, mold can be cleaned off surfaces with soap and water and the surfaces sanitized with a weak bleach solution. Once mold begins to grow in insulation or wallboard the only way to deal with the problem is by removal and replacement. If you have an extensive amount of mold and believe you can not manage the cleanup on your own, you may want to contact a professional who has experience in remediation of mold in homes and other buildings.

There are many other sources of indoor air pollution that may be present in the home. Combustion sources such as oil, gas, kerosene, coal, wood, and tobacco products can produce pollutants such as carbon monoxide, nitrogen dioxide, and particulates. Organic chemicals are widely used as ingredients in many household products. Paints, varnishes, and wax all contain organic solvents, as do many cleaning, disinfecting, cosmetic, degreasing, and hobby products. All of these products can release volatile organic compounds while being used. Biological contaminants such as mold and mildew, dust mites, pet dander and cockroaches can trigger asthma and allergic reactions. By monitoring the relative humidity, increasing ventilation, and routinely cleaning the home, contact with many biological contaminants can be reduced.

Indoor pollution sources that release gases or particles into the air are the primary cause of indoor air quality problems in homes. Inadequate ventilation can increase indoor pollutant levels by not bringing in enough outdoor air to dilute emissions from indoor sources and by not carrying indoor air pollutants out of the home. High temperature and humidity levels can also increase concentrations of some pollutants. Controlling these aspects of the indoor environment will help decrease exposure to most indoor air pollutants.

## **10. VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM**

The Federal Clean Air Act as amended mandates a Vehicle Inspection Program in non-attainment areas that could not demonstrate attainment of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard for carbon monoxide and ozone by December 31, 1982. The allowable emission standards for various vehicle types and ages are listed in Table XXXIII. Davidson County could not demonstrate attainment by December 31, 1982; therefore, a five-year extension was requested to demonstrate attainment of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard for carbon monoxide and ozone. This extension was granted based on Davidson County implementing a Vehicle Inspection Program by January 1, 1982. Failure to implement this mandatory vehicle inspection program could result in sanctions including federal highway funds, air program funds and a construction moratorium.

Carbon monoxide (CO) is a colorless, odorless gas that is a product of incomplete combustion. The major source of carbon monoxide is light duty gasoline powered vehicles. Ozone (O<sub>3</sub>) is a colorless, pungent gas that is produced by the reaction of sunlight with hydrocarbon and nitrogen oxides. A major source of hydrocarbons and nitrogen oxides is the light duty gasoline powered vehicles.

This section describes the results of Davidson County's Vehicle Inspection Program for the period of January 1, 2004 through December 31, 2004.

### **VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

The Metropolitan Code of Nashville and Davidson County, Chapter 10.56, "Air Pollution Control," Section 10.56.240, "Internal Combustion Engines," authorizes the Metropolitan Board of Health to develop and implement a vehicle inspection maintenance program. On May 31, 1981, the Metropolitan Board of Health adopted the Metro Public Health Department, Division of Pollution Control's, Regulation No. 8, "Regulation of Emissions From Light-Duty Motor Vehicles Through Mandatory Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program," which provides for a vehicle inspection program for all light duty vehicles manufactured from 1975 through current model year with a maximum gross vehicle weight of 8500 pounds or less. The only exceptions are diesel or electric powered light duty vehicles and motorcycles. This regulation was approved by the Metropolitan Council of Nashville and Davidson County May 17, 1983, Resolution No. R83-1471. The program approved by the Metropolitan Council is a centralized program operated by a contractor. On April 1, 2005, the Vehicle Inspection Program will change the test weight of vehicles from 8,500 pounds Gross Vehicle Weight Rate (GVWR) to include vehicles up to 10,500 pounds GVWR. The program also added diesel powered vehicles.

The Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program requires all light duty gasoline vehicles to be inspected annually. Vehicles found to have excessive emissions must be repaired, retested and must pass the emissions test prior to being issued a Davidson County wheel tax license.

The Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program uses an idle test procedure. The vehicles are tested at idle RPM with the transmission in neutral or park. If the vehicle fails to pass this test, a high RPM Precondition is used and the vehicle is given a second idle test. A vehicle does not fail the initial test unless it fails both idle tests. A licensed vehicle inspector licensed by the Metro Public Health Department must make all inspections.

The Vehicle Inspection Program became mandatory January 1, 1985. Before the owner of a light duty vehicle can purchase the Davidson County wheel tax license, they must show proof that the vehicle has met the allowable tailpipe emission standards of the Vehicle Inspection Program.

Effective December 1, 1994, the program was changed to require all gasoline vehicles, 1975 and newer, to go through the Vehicle Inspection Program. The program was further expanded to require a visual three-point anti-tampering inspection. This includes the gas cap, gasoline inlet restrictor and catalytic converter.



In August, 2001, the Metropolitan Council adopted Resolution No. RS 2001-716 to allow all 1996 and newer vehicles to receive an onboard diagnostic (OBD) test for emissions compliance. The OBD testing started April 1, 2002. This test consists of two types of examinations. There is a visual check of the dashboard check engine light (malfunction indicator light or mil) and an electronic examination of the OBD computer itself.

<b>Table XXXIII</b> <b>Maximum Idle Speed Allowable Emissions</b> <b>During Idle Speed Test</b>				
Vehicle Model Year	Carbon Monoxide %		Hydrocarbon (PPM)	
	LIGHT DUTY VEHICLES LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 6000 LBS. GVWR	LIGHT DUTY VEHICLES GREATER THAN 6000 LBS. GVWR	LIGHT DUTY VEHICLES LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 6000 LBS. GVWR	LIGHT DUTY VEHICLES GREATER THAN 6000 LBS. GVWR
1975	5.0	6.5	500	750
1976	5.0	6.5	500	750
1977	5.0	6.5	500	750
1978	4.0	6.0	400	600
1979	4.0	6.0	400	600
1980	3.0	4.5	300	400
1981 & Newer	1.2	4.0	220	400

#### **VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM OPERATING STATISTICS**

During 2004, the Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program performed 563,864 emission inspections. Compared to the 551,945 inspections done during 2003, there was an increase of 4,919 inspections.

#### **VEHICLE INSPECTION PASS AND FAIL RATES**

In 2004, a total of 563,864 vehicles were tested. The 2004 overall pass rate was 88.7%, and the fail rate was 9.8%. The 2003 fail rate was 10.5%.

The initial inspection fail rates rounded to the nearest percent by year since the program start-up are contained in Table XXXIV.

<b>TABLE XXXIV INITIAL EMISSION INSPECTION FAIL RATE</b>	
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>FAIL RATE</b>
1986	18%
1987	16%
1988	14%
1989	12%
1990	11%
1991	9%
1992	7%
1993	7%
1994	7%
1995	10%
1996	9%
1997	8%
1998	8%
1999	7%
2000	6%
2001	6%
2002	10%
2003	11%
2004	10%

The most reasonable explanation for the decreasing fail rates from 1986 - 1994 is that affected vehicles are being better maintained and many gross polluters have been taken out of service. Encouraging motorists to maintain their vehicles is an essential goal of the program.

Also, note that the fail rate went up beginning in 1995 after years of decline. This is due to the adding of a three-point anti-tampering inspection into the program in 1995. Again, the increase in the 2002 and after fail rate was due to the addition of OBD testing on 1996 and newer vehicles.

This data shows that the Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program is effective in reducing tailpipe emissions from light duty vehicles.

#### **VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM QUALITY ASSURANCE**

The Metro Public Health Department Vehicle Inspection Staff is also assigned the duty of auditing all emission inspection facilities in the Davidson County program. The program has six test centers as seen in Table XXXV.

<b>TABLE XXXV TEST CENTER LOCATIONS DAVIDSON COUNTY</b>	
Station 1	501 Craighead Street
Station 2	3494 Dickerson Road
Station 3	715 Gallatin Road North, Madison
Station 4	3363 Stoners Bend Drive
Station 5	1317 Antioch Pike
Station 6	7008 West Belt Drive

The audit involves review of inspection facility records and compliance with administrative requirements and tests of emission inspection equipment to ensure that the equipment is operating in accordance with all federal and local requirements. Audits are conducted twice a month on all inspection facilities. Gas analyzer audits involve tests to ensure that the gas analyzers are measuring criterion gases (i.e., hydrocarbons, carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide) accurately. During 2004, there were 354 gas analyzer audits on 13 gas analyzers used by the test centers. Also, there were 25 undercover activities conducted on contractor inspection facilities.

#### **VEHICLE INSPECTION PROGRAM ENFORCEMENT**

During 2004, various enforcement activities were carried out to ensure compliance with the vehicle inspection program. The staff issued 487 Notices of Violation or Citations.

Due to the enforcement efforts of the staff, the Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program has a 98% compliance rate. The compliance rate of a vehicle inspection program is the percentage of vehicles in a fleet that ultimately receives a certificate of compliance after testing and any needed repair. Overall, the data shows that the Davidson County Vehicle Inspection Program is effective in reducing tailpipe emissions from light duty vehicles, since the dirty vehicles are being identified and repaired.

### **11. OTHER POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION ACTIVITIES**

During 2004, the staff attended 112 EPA workshops or training courses. Semi-annually in 2004, the State of Tennessee Visible Emission Evaluation School certified three environmentalists and one engineer to conduct visible emissions evaluations. The staff made 31 presentations.

In addition to the ambient monitoring activities previously presented, the Pollution Control Division Laboratory performed analysis on 69 samples for asbestos and 38 other particulate matter samples.

During 2004, this agency's revenue included:

\$510,050.27	Operating Permits and Emission-based fees
\$ 63,931.00	Penalties
\$ 3,437.50	Fines
\$928,266.40	Vehicle Inspection Program

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