

## **Air Pollutant Watch List Public Comment Form**

Date received: September 30, 2009

APWL Site Under Consideration

County: Harris Cities: Deer Park

TCEQ Region: 12 (Houston)

APWL Site Number (for existing sites): APWL 1204

Pollutant(s): Benzene

## **Comment(s):**

ExxonMobil Refining and Supply Company (ExxonMobil) supports TCEQ's proposal to remove benzene from APWL1204 located at the Lynchburg Ferry in Harris County. It is clearly evident from the monitoring data that benzene levels are now significantly below the Effects Screening Level (ESL) for benzene. This is indicative of the strength of TCEQ's APWL program and industry's cooperation with TCEQ in successfully addressing and correcting an air pollution issue. ExxonMobil encourages the continuation of cooperative efforts such as these to improve air quality in Texas and particularly in the Houston region.



## Response to APWL Comment Submitted by Refining and Supply Company (ExxonMobil)

Date: January 6, 2010

APWL Site Under Consideration

County: Harris Cities: Houston

TCEQ Region: 12 (Houston)

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**Comment:** "ExxonMobil Refining and Supply Company (ExxonMobil) supports TCEQ's proposal to remove benzene from APWL1204 located at the Lynchburg Ferry in Harris County."

**Response:** The TCEQ Toxicology Division thanks ExxonMobil Refining and Supply Company for participating in the public comment period and appreciates their support of the TCEQ's proposal to remove benzene from the Lynchburg Ferry APWL (1204).

The TCEQ supports all efforts to reduce contaminants in all areas in the state of Texas. Furthermore, we encourage collaboration between the Agency and stakeholders to identify opportunities to make changes that will result in a reduction in air contaminants within our state. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, please do not hesitate to contact our office at 512-239-1795.