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Los Angeles Unified School District
Office of Environmental Health and Safety

TO: Local District Superintendents
Local Districts

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FROM: Carlos A. Torres, Director 
Office of Environmental Health and Safety

SUBJECT: AIR QUALITY & SMOKE ADVISORY FOR 11/14/18

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) is advising that satellite imagery and local webcams indicate that smoke production from the Woolsey fire has decreased and possible smoke impacts are expected to be limited. In addition, Santa Ana winds from the northeast are expected to transport any remaining smoke from these fires out to sea, reducing smoke impacts throughout the South Coast Air Basin. There is a possibility of onshore winds on Wednesday evening that may lead to limited smoke impacts in the Los Angeles County portion of the South Coast Air Basin.

Currently, air quality conditions are good to moderate but we will continue monitoring meteorological or fire conditions. If conditions change, AQMD advises that individuals should avoid any vigorous outdoor or indoor exertion in areas where you smell smoke or see ash. Children, older adults and people with respiratory or heart disease should remain indoors with windows and doors closed in these areas.

Please share this information with schools and offices. If you should have any questions or need assistance, do not hesitate to contact our office at (213) 241-3199.

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