FY17 (Oct. 1, 2016–Sep. 30, 2017)

Overview of Technical Work and Projects



CenSARA Committees

- Technical Workshare
 - 11 conference calls
 - Travel assistance for members to attend the National Emissions Inventory and Community Modeling and Analysis System (CMAS) conferences
- Regional Haze
 - Two conference calls
 - Initial planning for December national meeting

Multi-MJO projects

- Co-led coordination of the Federal/State
 Technical Work Collaborative Group
 - Communications about EPA's 2015 Ozone Transport SIP NODA and comments received
 - Distribution of the 2011/2023 modeling platform data
 - Agreement that 2015 and 2016 base years for future work would be best; if not possible, EPA should use 2016

Multi-MJO projects, cont.

- Non-EGU controls survey used to improve 2014 NEI V2
- CAMD and MJOs working more positively on IPM/ERTAC topics
- Overview of EPA's initial 2011/2018 national– level PSAT modeling for regional haze
- Distribution of 2013, 2014, 2015 WRF and MMIF data

Other Projects

- Work Award to Eastern Research Group, Inc. (ERG) for the Regulatory Streamlining Pilot Project – Arkansas Air Regulations
 - Objective to merge and clean up four permitting regulations – contractor tasks completed in September 2017.

Other Projects, cont.

- Since 2014, Executive Director has been a member of the Science Review Group (SRG) for Bureau of Ocean Management project (lead contractor – ERG)
 - Purpose is to assess results of photochemical modeling to estimate the potential cumulative impacts, if any, of outer continental shelf oil and gas development projects to use in National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Multi-sale 2017-2022 Environmental Impact Statements (EIS).
 - Plan to transfer contract from CenSARA to T. Pella as individual

FY18 Technical Work

- Continue the Technical Workshare Committee as the venue to share information; stay up to date on regional/national work
- Continue working with members to find best way to tackle 2021 regional haze SIP requirements