

Anticipated PM_{2.5} Designations Schedule

Designations Action	Anticipated Date
EPA promulgates 2024 Revised Primary Annual Fine Particle NAAQS final rule	February 7, 2024
States certify 2023 PM _{2.5} data; EPA calculates design values	May 2024
States and Tribes submit their designations recommendations to EPA	No later than February 7, 2025
States certify 2024 PM _{2.5} data; EPA calculates design values	May 2025
EPA notifies states and Tribes concerning any intended modifications to their recommendations (120-day letters); 30- day public comment period begins	Mid-October 2025 (120 days prior to final designations)
End of 30-day public comment period	Mid-November 2025
States and Tribes submit additional information, if any, to respond to the EPA's modification of recommended designations	Mid-December 2025
Final designations decisions (without extension)	February 6, 2026