

EPA Proposal on New Ozone Standards

CAC / TAC

March 2 / March 4, 2015



Mid-Ohio Regional
Planning Commission

US EPA Proposal

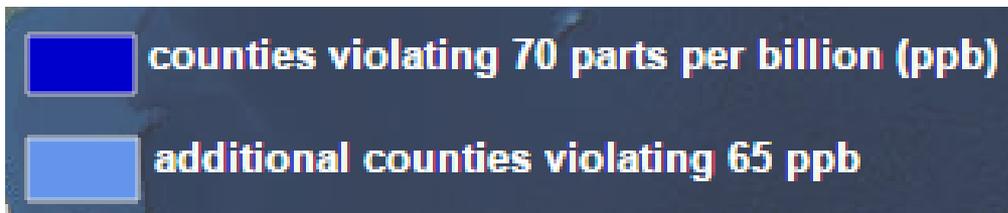
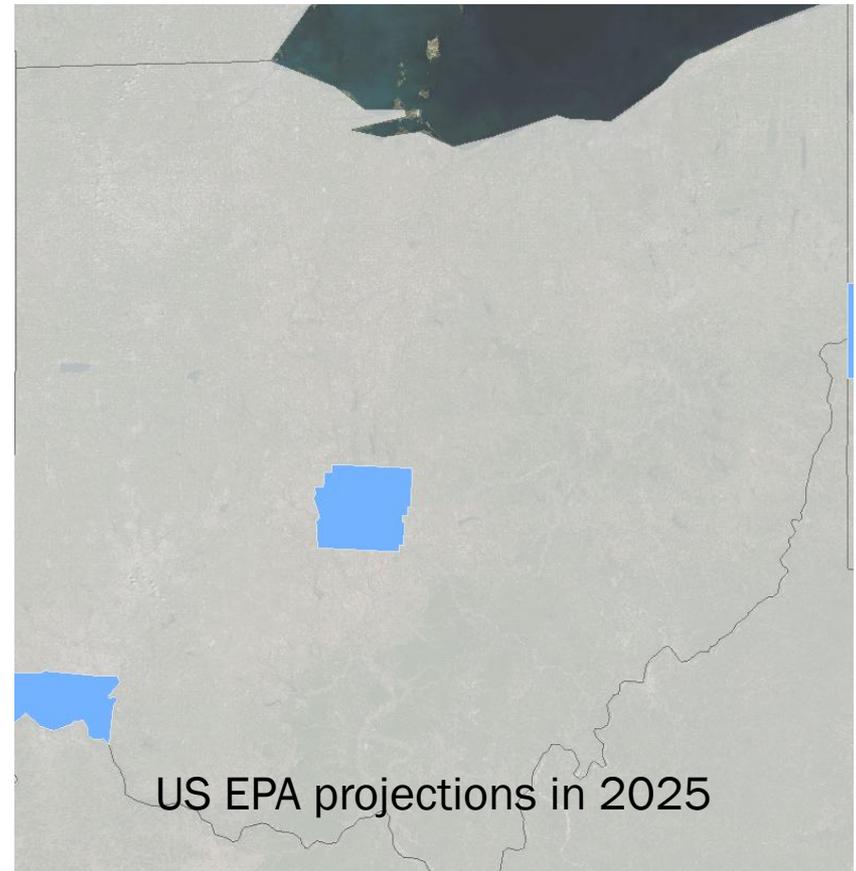
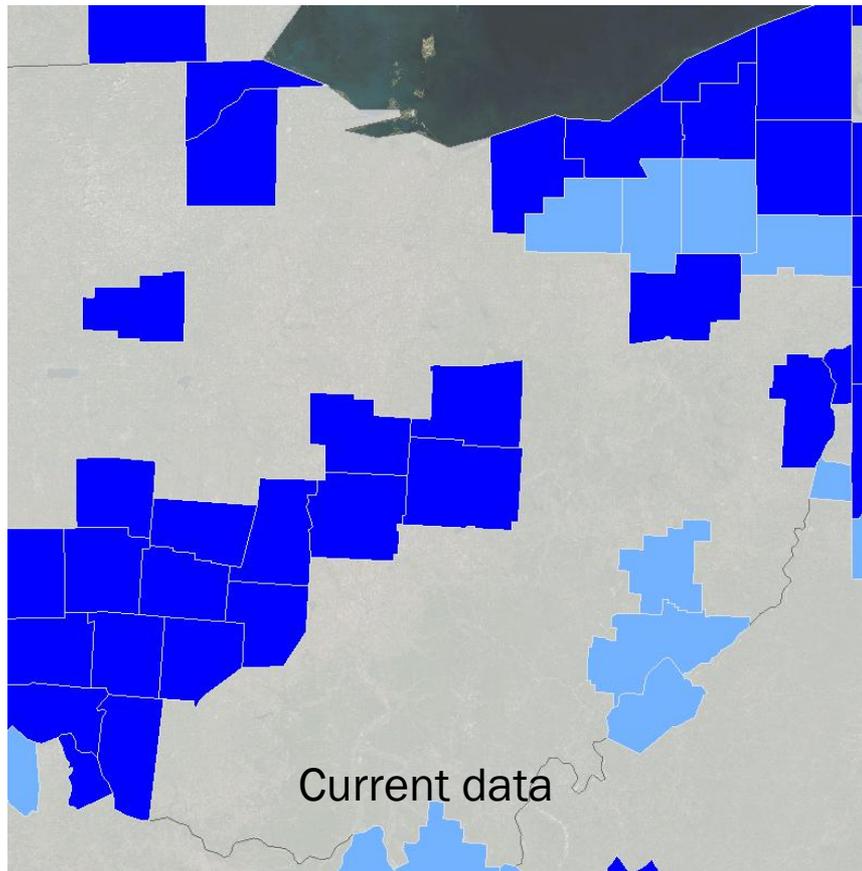
- Strengthen the standard to range between 65 – 70 ppb
- Comment period through March 17, 2015
- Final rule to be issued Oct. 1, 2015
- US EPA designates non-attainment areas
- States develop plan to attain NAAQS for implementation

Impact to Central Ohio

- Public Health Benefits & Costs
- Non-attainment Status & AQ alerts

Ozone standards	2014 Ozone season: Number of days at each site
>60 ppb	18
>65 ppb	8
>70 ppb	3
>75 ppb*	0

US EPA Projections on Compliance





MORPC Seeks Input – Next Steps

- Feb/March: Present to Energy & Air Quality Working Group, Policy Roundtable, CAC and TAC
- March 4: Deadline for comments to MORPC
- March 5: Present to Executive Committee
- March 12: Present to Commission for Approval
- March 17: Submit to U.S. EPA (pending approval)



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