Fugitive Dust Countywide

4-2-020 General

4-2-030 Definitions

4-2-040 Standards

4-2-050 Monitoring and Records

Summary

- **Do not** allow fugitive dust to become airborne within a subdivision site, driveway, parking area, vacant lot or sales lot, urban or suburban open area to be constructed, used, altered, repaired, demolished, cleared, or leveled, or the earth to be moved or excavated, or fill dirt to be deposited without taking reasonable precautions to keep the fugitive dust from becoming airborne.

- **Do not** allow motor vehicles, such as but not limited to all-terrain vehicles, trucks, cars, cycles, bikes, or buggies to drive over vacant lots, or urban or suburban open areas without taking reasonable precautions to keep the fugitive dust from becoming airborne.

- **Do not** allow particulate matter from agricultural practices including but not limited to tilling of land and application of fertilizers to become airborne without taking reasonable precautions.

- **Do not** disturb or remove soil or natural cover from any area without taking reasonable precautions to effectively prevent fugitive dust from becoming airborne.

- **Do not** allow crushing, screening, handling or conveying of materials, or permit material to be stacked, piled or stored without taking reasonable precautions to prevent fugitive dust from becoming airborne.

- Machinery used at storage piles will be operated with a minimum fall of material using spray bars and wetting agents, to prevent particulate matter from becoming airborne.

- **Do not** allow the fugitive dust to become airborne during the transporting of materials. Earth and other material that is tracked out or transported by truck or earth moving equipment onto paved streets will be removed by whomever is responsible for such deposits.

- **Do not** allow commercial feedlots or any commercial livestock area to be used for feeding or displaying of animals, racing or exercising of animals without effectively preventing fugitive dust from becoming airborne.

- **Do not** allow visible dust emissions to cross property lines into residential, recreational, institutional, educational, retail sales, hotel or business while operating a motor vehicle for recreation purposes in a dry wash, riverbed or open area. “Motor vehicle” includes trucks, cars, cycles, bikes, buggies and 3-wheelers.

- **Do not** allow excessive amounts of particulate matter to become airborne at mineral tailing piles without taking reasonable precautions. Controlling emissions from mineral tailing piles shall include wetting, chemical stabilization, re-vegetation or other measures that are approved. Any person who violates the provisions of this subsection shall be subject to prosecution under [A.R.S. §49-513](https://azleg.gov/leginfo/legis/legtext/CRS/CRS49-513/ch49-513-49.html).