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For Wisconsin, "Absent Title 5" means significant funding, implementation issues

- How did we get here?
 - Background, context
 - Funding changes driven by other factors
 - EPA area source permit exemption (12/05)
- What's in the future?



Air Toxics Control Options in Wisconsin

- Federal MACT's
 - State enforceable if codified in state rule, or
 - State enforceable if MACT requirements put in permit
- State Toxics Program (NR 445)
 - Standards on a pollutant-by-pollutant basis (~500 substances)
 - Superseded by MACT requirements (statutory, messy)
 - Generally unpopular w/industry



Approach for Area Source Activities in Wisconsin

- Target a source category
 - Number of affected sources in state (info <u>very</u> difficult to obtain)
 - Relative risk from emissions (qualitative)
 - More art than science
- Conduct inspections/FCE's at source category facilities
- Follow-up (compliance assistance, enforcement)



Past MACT Area Source Activities in Wisconsin

- Chromium Plating (16 sources)
 - Non-compliance at 60% of facilities
 - Serious (non-paperwork) violations at 20% of facilities
- Solvent Degreasing (15 sources)
 - Non-compliance at 60% of facilities
 - Serious violations at 20% of facilities
- Dry Cleaners (compliance assistance effort, 13 sources)
 - Non-compliance at 54% of facilities
 - Serious violations at 15% of facilities



Air Program Funding (prior to EPA NOD)

- Emission Fees
 - FOP & FESOP permit & compliance activities
 - Fees collected "above presumptive minimum" available for funding other program parts
- 105 Grant
 - State toxics program development
 - Minor source compliance (open burning, odor complaints, etc.)
 - Other program elements



Air Program Funding (after EPA NOD)

- Title 5 Emission Fees
 - permit, compliance activities at majors
- Non-Title 5 Emission Fees (new FY '07 funding source)
 - Permit, compliance activities at non-majors w/permits required
- 105 Grant
 - Same activities eligible, grant decreasing



Impact of EPA Area Source Permit Exemption (12/05)

- Area source work ineligible for T5 funding
- Area source work ineligible for non-T5 funding
 - Area source work not eligible w/o permits
 - "More stringent than federal" prohibited by statute
- Fund area source activity with 105 grant?
 - Area source work theoretically 105 eligible
 - Other 105 funded activities already being cut
- More area source MACT's coming



The Future for Area Source MACT's in Wisconsin

- Increase/find alternative funding?
 - Any "fix" would come after July '07 (next state biennium)
 - Political considerations
- "Give back" the area source MACT program?
 - EPA Region 5 limitations
- Minimal area source activity near term
 - 1 FTE (105 grant) allocated for all minor source compliance activities statewide, including MACT area sources
 - Complaint driven, reactive