

Directives and Actions
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Emission Inventory Assessment

1. Prepare and execute a strategy for communicating the Assessment to key decision-makers in the three NARSTO countries.

Strengthening the Connection between the Air Quality and Health Science Communities

1. Summarize the insights and recommendations from the panel discussion
2. Craft a statement from NARSTO to the Air Quality Research Subcommittee that provides recommendations for improving Air-Quality/Health Science collaboration
3. Consider preparation of a summary paper on enhancing collaboration between the two research communities for presentation at Health Science research meetings
4. Consider preparing a critical review paper on source apportionment methods for presentation in an appropriate Health Science publication and for presentation at appropriate meetings.
5. Consider collaboration with appropriate Health Science organizations in developing recommended research strategies (see the Panel Summary paper).
6. Consider NARSTO sponsorship of, say, a biennial conference on Air-Quality and Health Effects. Team with a HE or Health Sciences organization. HEI?

Reactivity Research Working Group

1. The working group should write a summary report of technical findings.

Climate and Air Quality

1. Conduct an analysis of air quality and climate research activities and plans in the three NARSTO countries.
2. Investigate interest in a regional aerosol modeling workshop and assessment.
3. Defer action on an emission inventory assessment follow-up

One-Atmosphere Approach to Air Quality Management

1. Establish a small working group to define the level of interest, a scope, a charge, and plan of attack.
2. Report back to the Executive steering committee by October 2005.

Re-Chartering NARSTO

1. Re-chartering is unnecessary.

Ellis Cowling Proposal

1. Refer to the Executive Steering Committee for a decision on the merits of the proposal.