

## APPENDIX E

### Public Participation Process Documentation

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## **LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

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## CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

This is to certify that the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) Notice of the opportunity for a Public Hearing regarding the following:

- Redesignation and Maintenance Plan in association with the 2008 8-Hour Ozone Standard for Lake and Porter Counties, Indiana

was published on IDEM's web site on October 25, 2012. It remained posted on the site until at least December 3, 2012.

The notice in full may be found at the following web address, under "Lake and Porter" counties.

<http://www.in.gov/idem/6395.htm>

Web publication of the notice was at the request of Scott Deloney, Branch Chief, Programs Branch, Office of Air Quality, IDEM.

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