



Connecticut

Delaware

District of Columbia

Maine

Maryland

Massachusetts

New Hampshire

New Jersey

New York

Pennsylvania

Penobscot Indian Nation

Rhode Island

St. Regis Mohawk Tribe

Vermont

July 31, 2024

Mr. Scott Mathias, Air Quality Policy Division  
Office of Air Quality Planning And Standards  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Research Triangle Park, NC 27711

**Attention: Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2023-0262**

RE: Clarification to June 25, 2024 Letter - *Protection of Visibility: Amendments to Requirements for State Plans Rule*

Dear Mr. Mathias:

We are writing on behalf of the membership of the Mid-Atlantic/Northeast Visibility Union (MANEVU) Technical Support Committee (TSC) to provide a clarification to our letter dated June 25, 2024, which provided comments to the docket noted above regarding the potential Regional Haze Rule revisions.

MANEVU was formed to foster a coordinated approach to improving visibility at national parks and wilderness areas in the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic region. Its members include Connecticut; Delaware; the District of Columbia; Maine; Maryland; Massachusetts; New Hampshire; New Jersey; New York; Pennsylvania; Rhode Island; Vermont; the Penobscot Indian Nation; the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe; EPA Regions 1, 2, and 3; the National Park Service; the U.S Fish & Wildlife Service; and the U.S. Forest Service.

While the federal agencies and federal land managers are members of MANEVU TSC, the June 25, 2024 letter failed to clarify that the specific comments were the consensus views of the MANEVU non-federal members and were not intended to represent views of the federal agency partners in MANEVU. This letter serves to make that clarification and correct the record. Any implication otherwise was purely unintentional.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact the co-chairs of the MANEVU TSC, Sharon Davis of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection ([sharon.davis@dep.nj.gov](mailto:sharon.davis@dep.nj.gov)) and David Healy of the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services ([David.s.healy@des.nh.gov](mailto:David.s.healy@des.nh.gov)).

**MANE-VU Class I Areas**

Acadia National Park  
Maine

Brigantine Wilderness  
New Jersey

Great Gulf Wilderness  
New Hampshire

Lye Brook Wilderness  
Vermont

Moosehorn Wilderness  
Maine

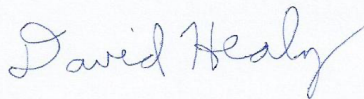
Presidential Range  
Dry River Wilderness  
New Hampshire

Roosevelt Campobello  
International Park  
Maine/New Brunswick,  
Canada

Sincerely,

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Sharon Davis  
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Co-Chair of MANEVU Technical  
Support Committee

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David Healy  
New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services and Co-Chair of MANEVU Technical  
Support Committee  
cc: MANEVU Technical Support Committee