



Monthly Activity Report

February 1 to February 28, 2018

Regulated sources, by county

	Island	Skagit	Whatcom	Portable	Total
Air operating permit sources	1	12	12	0	25
Registered sources	47	171	259	4	481
Totals	48	183	271	4	506

Permitting

Construction permit applications received

Permit No.	Source	County	Received	Project description
GO003-10	WSDOT Bellingham Station	Whatcom	2/2/2018	Gasoline-dispensing station.

Construction permit decisions

Permit No.	Source	County	Processing time (60 days max)	Project description	Action taken
1258	Dogwood Industries	Skagit	NA	New paint spray booth for structural steel building components.	Denied/closed due to inaction by applicant
GO003-10	WSDOT Bellingham Station	Whatcom	8	Gasoline-dispensing station.	Issued - General Order
1262a	GEM Mobile Treatment Services	Portable	90	Permit revision to allow portable air pollution controls (vapor combustors) to be used at additional facilities, not just refineries, to combust gas from storage tanks when tanks are vented for maintenance.	Issued Permit
1120b	Safe Harbor Funeral Services	Whatcom	16	Permit revision to increase allowed cremations to 2,822 cases per year.	Issued Permit
GO003-09	Herb's Chevron	Skagit	3	Gasoline-dispensing station.	Issued – General Order

Enforcement

Alleged violations

Case No.	Issue Date	Source	County	Alleged violation description
4272	02/21/18	Myers General Inc.	Whatcom	Demolition of two structures without performing an asbestos survey.
4277	02/21/18	MAACO Collision Repair & Auto	Whatcom	Maaco failed to shut down the spray booth immediately when the pressure drop was not within the acceptable range and/or resumed operation before identifying and correcting the problem.
4276	02/27/18	Puget Sound Energy - Encogen Generating Station	Whatcom	Approximately 43 pounds of total excess ammonia emissions from combustion turbine 1 on November 10 and 16, 2017.

Penalties issued

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Source</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Conditionally reduced or suspended¹ to</u>	<u>Alleged violation description</u>
4264	Ernesto Apreza	Whatcom	\$1,407	\$907	Demolition without survey/notification

Industry reports of process upsets with potential excess emissions

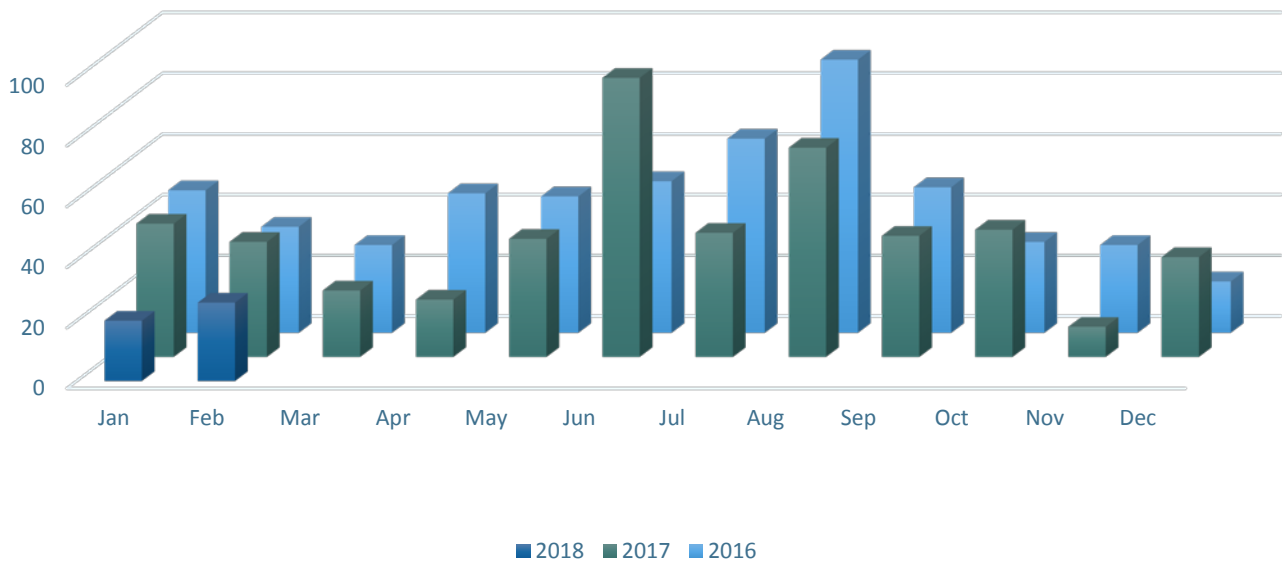
Date	Source	County
02/14/18	Air Liquide L.P.	Skagit
02/15/18	Tesoro Refining & Marketing Company LLC	Skagit
02/16/18	Puget Sound Energy - Ferndale Generating Station	Whatcom

Complaint summary

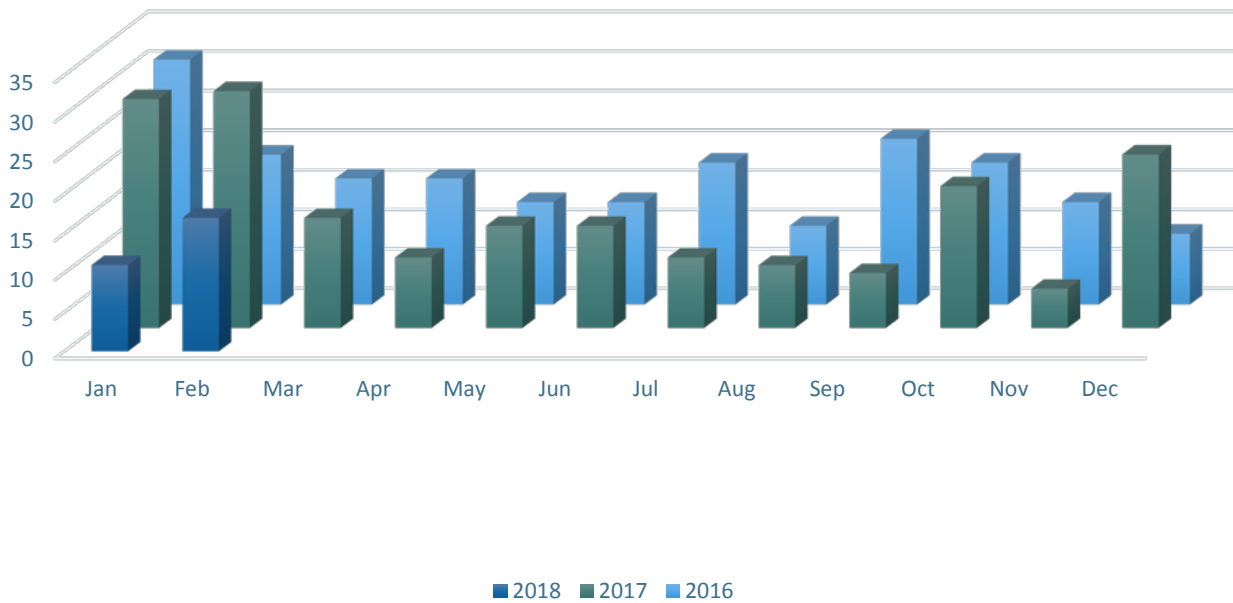
Industrial Emissions	1
Marijuana	2
Odor	3
Other	2
Outdoor Burning	13
Particulate	1
Smoke	1
Woodstove	3
TOTAL: (unique for the period)	26

¹ In some cases, NWCAA offers air pollution sources the opportunity to reduce their penalty by agreeing to specific actions that go beyond compliance requirements. Alternatively, a portion of a penalty may be suspended, holding the remainder of the penalty due if the violation is repeated within 5 years.

Total Complaints



Burning Related Complaints



Odor Complaints

