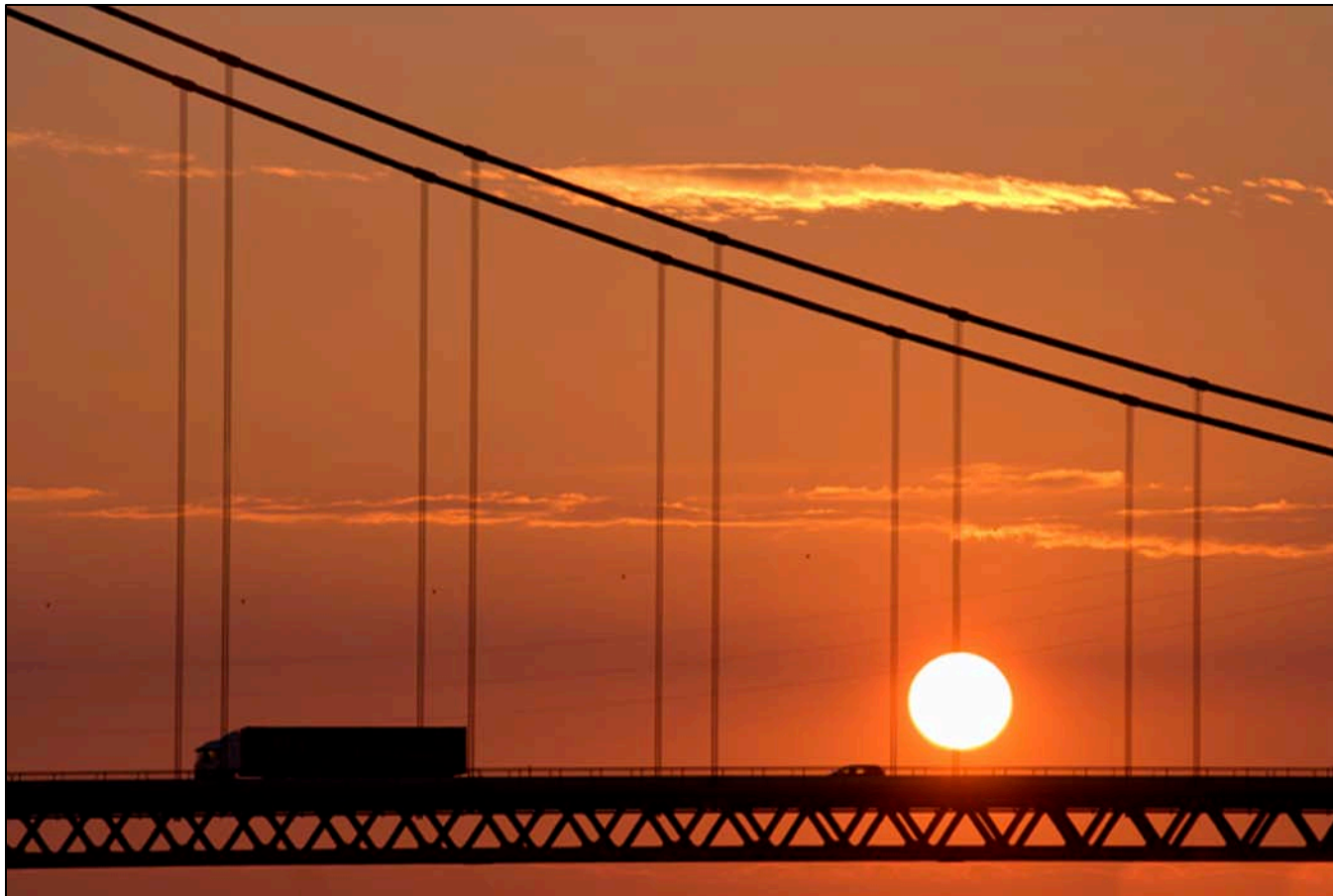


Idling at the Local Level



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Regulations Nationwide

- According to the (ATRI) American Transportation Research Institute
 - Over 25 states have idling regulations
 - Over 30 counties have idling regulation
 - Almost 50 cities have idling regulations
- Most created within the last decade
- More are developing all the time



Centralized Commerce Centers

- Intermodal Facilities (Trucking, Boat, Air)
- Includes Warehouse Facilities
- Located Close to Residential Areas
 - Health of Residents and Visitors
 - Quality of Life

So.....



Why JoCo Developed Regulation

- Protect the Public's Health
- Maintain its Quality of Life
- Guide its Own Development



How Is It Different Than State

- Covers Only Unincorporated Area of JoCo
- Includes Additional Requirements
 1. Electrical Hook-ups Are Available to Drivers
 2. Information and Training Are Available to Drivers
 3. Creature Comforts for Drivers
 4. Alternative Fuel May Be Available to Drivers
 5. Signage Is Required at Facilities
(County Offers Limited Number---
-----FREE)



Other Local Idling Initiatives

- Edgerton and Gardner have adopted idling regulations
- EPA and MARC is sponsoring local anti-idling initiative at dry cleaners, convenience stores, and medical facilities through Sustainable Skylines
- Local schools implemented anti-idling initiative with area school buses
- Several grants available to assist with truck retrofits



What Is In The Future?

- More Education for JoCo
- More Support for Truck Drivers
 - Grants
 - Training/Forums
- Local Facility Improvement



Questions?



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