DENVER, CO- EPA Region 8 Air Program Intern Description (CLOSING DATE: 04/09/2018)

Position Title: Air Program Project Assistant

Background: The goal of the Region 8 Air Program is to keep the air clean across the Rocky Mountains and High Plains. Through implementation and oversight of the Clean Air Act, Region 8 ensures that six states and 27 tribes throughout the West have healthy air to breathe.

Position Description: The position supports efforts related to the development and review of emissions inventories to meet Clean Air Act requirements as well as support of other Region 8 air program activities as assigned (based on intern's interests and EPA needs).

Specific duties may include:

- Learning emission inventory development techniques and models
- Supporting the development of federal regulations that control emission sources in areas of degraded air quality
- Generating maps, figures, tables, and other data analysis in support of internal briefings and external presentations/outreach
- Conducting research in support of various air program efforts
- Other assignments as needed
- Note that the specific position responsibilities can be tailored to the goals and interests of the intern

Desired Skills:

- Some knowledge of air pollution science and policy
- Excellent written and verbal communication
- Basic Excel, Word, and PowerPoint
- Ability to work both independently and on a team

Knowledge/Experience (optional): Database/programming languages (R, Python, MySQL, etc.), ArcGIS

Timeline:

Intern will be on board for a minimum of 3 months, maximum of 4 months (there may be an opportunity to extend for a maximum of 6 months depending on circumstances, but this is not assured).

Desired hours per week: 20-40

Desired start date: May, 2018

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