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#### **America's Most Air Polluted Cities**

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+ AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION State of the Air: 2004

"Knowing the truth about air pollution, and what you can do to help, is the first step in protecting you and your family's health."

- American Lung Association, April 29, 2004

April 29, 2004 New York City, N. Y. -

#### Most Ozone Smog

- 1 Los Angeles-Long Beach-Riverside, CA
- 2 Fresno-Madera, CA
- 3 Bakersfield, CA
- 4 Visalia-Porterville, CA
- 5 Houston-Baytown-Huntsville, TX
- 6 Merced, CA
- 7 Sacramento-Arden-Arcade-Truckee, CA-NV
- 8 Hanford-Corcoran, CA
- 9 Knoxville-Sevierville-La Follette, TN
- 10 Dallas-Fort Worth, TX
- 11 Washington-Baltimore-N. Virginia, DC-MD-VA-WV
- 12 Philadelphia-Camden-Vineland, PA-NJ-DE-MD

#### Most Particle Pollution

- 1 Los Angeles-Long Beach-Riverside, CA
- 2 Fresno-Madera, CA
- 3 Bakersfield, CA
- 4 Pittsburgh-New Castle, PA
- 5 Eugene-Springfield, OR
- 6 Salt Lake City-Ogden-Clearfield, UT
- 7 Birmingham-Hoover-Cullman, AL
- 8 Sacramento-Arden-Arcade-Truckee, CA-NV
- 9 Visalia-Porterville, CA
- 10 Cleveland-Akron-Elyria, OH
- 12 Hanford-Corcoran, CA

To find out more about your own city and region, go to the American Lung Association's map:

http://lungaction.org/reports/stateoftheair2004.html

#### **Websites:**

http://www.lungusa.org/

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