## What's New for the 2023 Reporting Year

## **Changes and Notifications**

- 1. There have been no significant changes to ERIC since the last reporting period.
- 2. Updates to the Source Classification Code list are pending. Some codes added, others deactivated.
- 3. EPA intends to provide a response to comments on the proposed AERR this summer.
- 4. The due date for mailing the RY2023 Inventory's Certification Statement is Tuesday, April 30, 2024.

## Reminders

- 1. Please pay special attention to warnings related to release point exit gas velocity and flow rate greater than 5% of calculated values. These validation warnings will be **ERRORS** in future years. Please start addressing them now. If there is a programmatic reason that the numbers cannot calculate out properly, please let us know as soon as possible.
- 2. Check the DEQ website for status updates/outage notices. Notices do not appear at the top of ERIC pages when logged into the reporting system. <a href="https://deq.louisiana.gov/page/EmissionsInventory">https://deq.louisiana.gov/page/EmissionsInventory</a>
- 3. Any coordinate updates or <a href="mailto:facupdate@la.gov">facupdate@la.gov</a> requests received after 4:00pm on Tuesday, April 30, 2024, will not be processed until the next business day. Any inventories that cannot be submitted on time because of pending <a href="mailto:facupdate@la.gov">facupdate@la.gov</a> and coordinate review/approval issues will be considered late.
- 4. Don't mail **copies** of the Certification Statement. We only need **one** original wet-ink signature Certification Statement.
- 5. Report Actual Emissions. Permitted emission limits are for capturing the worst case scenario. Emissions Inventory is used to capture what happened for the year.
- 6. Facility updates request form: <a href="https://www.deq.louisiana.gov/form/eric-facupdate-request">https://www.deq.louisiana.gov/form/eric-facupdate-request</a>

## Useful Tools and Guidance Documents

