



# Portland Metals Timeline

**Feb. 25:**

DEQ will have its internal rulemaking team assigned to establish health or risk based standards for air toxics from industrial facilities that will address a gap in current state and federal regulations. This process will include extensive stakeholder and public involvement.

**Feb. 29:**

DEQ will release a preliminary report of facilities permitted to emit hexavalent chromium and other metals.

**March:**

DEQ will initiate rulemaking - which will include extensive stakeholder and public involvement.

**Week of March 7:**

DEQ will release the first results from additional air and soil sampling in SE Portland to the public

**Week of March 14:**

DEQ will release its report on soil sampling in N Portland

**March 31:**

DEQ expects to have a preliminary report on national investigation into potential emissions from art and architectural glass manufacturing

**April:**

DEQ will report Initial results of air monitoring in north Portland which began Feb. 19, 2016.

**Ongoing:**

DEQ is committed to investigating other hotspots identified in the US Forest Service moss study. We will prioritize the placement of monitoring resources based on our review of the complete USFS study and as other information becomes available.

DEQ and the Oregon Health Authority will be screening data as it comes in, and if there are any acute health concerns, agencies will immediately notify potentially affected parties.