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I talked to Denis Lohman about exactly where we are in the process for modeling the PP. Denis said that the model evaluation has been completed per an agreed upon protocol and the LAPPES model was determined to be the best performing model. The only thing left to do is write a protocol for how the LAPPES model is to be applied in a regulatory sense to determine the attainment status for the NAA in NJ. Since NJ seems to want to require the use of the partial years of met data, I suspect that option would show continued nonattainment, which may be their desire. This would let them approve new sources under a different set of rules than under PSD. In fact, that was the original impetus behind declaring the area nonattainment in the first place. If I remember correctly, sources such as resource recovery facilities (which they wanted to permit) are exempt from the NAA requirement to obtain offsets.

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