

what's going to be done?

An extensive action plan is set out in the Strategy to tackle the eight main scenarios. The action plan aims to be realistic and sets out actions for a number of bodies within Cornwall with timescales for completion.

The actions include:

- Continued monitoring
- Working with the China Clay industry to improve working practices
- Air quality to be considered by planning authorities
- Measures to reduce our energy consumption
- Publicity campaigns and lobbying
- Transport improvements
- Joint working between CAQF and other bodies such as the Fire Service and Tourist Board.

to find out more:

You can find a full copy of the Cornwall Air Quality Strategy and the leaflet 'Air Quality in Cornwall - What has air pollution got to do with me?' on the Cornwall Air Quality Forum website:

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the
cornwall
air quality
strategy

what's the point of an air quality strategy?

Air pollution affects people's health and the environment around us – both the natural and built environment. The purpose of the Cornwall Air Quality Strategy is to 'achieve excellent air quality across Cornwall to protect public health and the environment'

who wrote it?

The Strategy was co-ordinated by the Cornwall Air Quality Forum (CAQF) – a partnership of Cornish local authorities, the Environment Agency, the Health Authority and Cornwall College.



The Forum consulted with a wide range of organisations and individuals over two years in order to agree the main problems and solutions for air quality in Cornwall.

so what is the problem?

Whilst air quality is very good in many parts of Cornwall, there are still places where it can be improved. Following air quality monitoring results, public consultation and local authority assessments of air quality, the eight scenarios set out in the diagram below were identified as those where action is required in Cornwall.

