

Environmental Quality Board

This letter is to urge the State to move ahead as quickly as possible in implementing the Pennsylvania Clean Vehicles Program and its clean air standards for vehicles that go beyond weaker federal requirements.

Pennsylvania ranks among the worst states in the country when it comes to air pollution, which is leading to a host of public health problems, including asthma attacks in children and respiratory ailments in adults.

Vehicles on the road is one of the worst sources of pollution. Technology does exist to allow cars and trucks to run cleaner and reduce the air pollution.

By moving as quickly as possible to implement the Pennsylvania Clean Vehicles Program, we could reduce our air pollution problem - emission of smog-forming pollution from vehicles could be cut by 10%, toxic benzene pollution up to 15% and global warming would drop nearly 25% by 2025.

Please move forward and implement the Pennsylvania Clean Vehicles Program. We deserve this.

Sincerely

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