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The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: CO2 Budget Trading Program (#7-559).

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## Comments entered:

I write to offer my support for RGGI, the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative, and Pennsylvania's participation in it. We as a Commonwealth have an obligation to our citizens and Pennsylvanians of the generations to come to be good stewards of our environment and our planet. Doing so is one of my highest duties as a locally elected official. Participation in RGGI is integral to fulfilling our responsibilities as citizens and tackling climate change. We can and will reduce emissions, create jobs, and lower electricity prices. These are not all mutually exclusive as some might argue, and are demonstrable benefits to joining RGGI. This is one important piece of the process of transitioning to a net-zero carbon emissions economy but also one that shows that legislators are willing to bet on the future of Pennsylvania and move our Commonwealth forward.

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

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