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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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It is well beyond time for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to seriously address climate change. The CGGI is a start and if properly implemented can lead to economic development across our region while addressing one of the most critical issues facing us. I am in support of this legislation and want to say that there will be those that scream you are killing coal, or destroying the economy or some other grievance that they amplify and distort. In spite of these tantrums, please move on and do what needs to be done for our grandchildren and great grandchildren. Make the moves to move away from fossil fuels and invest in sustainable energy sources. Make the moves that train people for new jobs so that they are not shackled to black lung or hydrofracking. Make the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania a good neighbor, like Mr. Rogers would want us to be, and a leader in moving our world towards a carbon neutral economy. Time is of the essence.

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

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