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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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I want to express my strong support for Pennsylvania's participation in RGGI. All too often, people think that their individual actions mean very little to reduce the impact of greenhouse gases. Although that is true, those personal lifestyle changes set the tone for how thy want their state and government to act as well.

Conversely, RGGI sets the example for individuals at the regional level. It makes reducing greenhouse gases a Civic Project that we are all part of. We all want to be good citizens, and we want our state to be a good citizen at its own level.

I write this on behalf of my family, which consists of my wife and me, our two adult children, and our three grandchildren, ages 22 (twins) and 17.

If my name is familiar, you may know my science books for young readers (http://www.fredbortz.com/booksby.htm) or my frequent letters to the editor in the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, most of which deal with the issue of reducing greenhouse gases.

No attachments were included as part of this comment.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

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