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Air Quality Public Comment

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Thomas,

I am writing to provide public comment regarding local air quality strategies. I don't have to tell you how concerning our bad air quality is, especially as a parent. As such, one way to reduce carbon emissions, I think, would be more strictly regulating industry and industrial vehicles. Given that tailpipe emissions have such a dramatic effect on the air in our valley this would likely would have a huge positive impact. Holding this group(s) accountable to higher standards is a must.

Concurrently, continuing to incentive electric vehicles, solar panels, wind and other green energy is a must.

Finallly, I don't know if this is in the DAQ purview but I would like to see greater enforcement of idealing cars. Right now it seems that while idealing is technically illegal it isn't often enforced, and when it is there's really is no significant consequence to deter this CO2-belching behavior.

Thanks, Jairan