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To: DEEP ClimateChange
Subject: Please Help Protect Our Planet

To Whom It May Concern on the Governor's Council on Climate Change,

I am a resident of Hamden, Connecticut and I feel strongly that this council must do all that it can in order to help fight against climate change. Connecticut must transition away from fossil fuels to renewable sources of energy like solar. It is essential for the state to authorize shared solar as soon as possible. Shared solar allows residents to access solar power, even if they rent or have shady roofs. Connecticut must modernize the electric grid and invest in clean, distributed energy resources. Connecticut must electrify the transportation system, which accounts for about 40% of the state's emissions. Zero-emission vehicles, mass transit, and transit-oriented development should be included as key components of the state's comprehensive transportation plan.

Thank you for your consideration!

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