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Please approve the ACC II rules to ensure that we transition rapidly from fossil fuel powered vehicles to EV's. All of us suffer from climate change and from local pollution from fossil fuels, and these negative impacts are worse for low income people and communities of color who live closer to busy transportation corridors and to extraction and processing locations.

A statewide transition to EV's will save people money directly, and will save on healthcare costs.

Furthermore, we as a state are relatively well off and it is our ethical responsibility to decrease our contribution to the deadly impacts of our fossil fuel use on poor people around the world. We can't know which increment in emissions is the tipping point. Is that trip in one's gas powered vehicle more important than the life of that child swept away in a flood or hurricane?