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There is more than just the environment at issue here. The dairy cattle live heart-breaking lives in these factory farms. If MN can save beagles from a neighboring state, I think we can try to help the cattle here...along with our environment. We know that weather and ethical issues often cross state lines and impact lives at great distances from our State. Thank you for requesting we pause and give more thought to all of the issues involved. You are correct, our water, climate and communities are counting on us...as well as the animals with whom we share our lives on a daily basis. What world do we want our children inherit from us? What care and concern and compassion are we modeling for them?