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To: Brown, Don

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Dear Clerk of the Board Don Brown,

Everyone who lives in Illinois deserves clean air. But since 2019, transportation has been the dirtiest sector in the state, even surpassing coal as the biggest polluter.

Everyone who lives in Illinois deserves a stable climate, too. But to achieve Illinois' ambitious goals of reducing health- and climate-harming emissions, we will have to enact effective regulations. The Advanced Clean Cars II (ACCII) program can do exactly that by putting us on a path toward 100% new electric vehicle sales by 2035.

Illinois must also adopt the Advanced Clean Trucks (ACT) and Heavy-Duty Low-NOx Omnibus (HDO) rules, so more of the trucks on our roads will be clean ones.

We must also establish strong yet feasible emission standards for new fossil fuel trucks being sold and increasing sales targets for new electric trucks.

By adopting the clean vehicles standards, we'll make the most of federal investments by creating tens of thousands of new well-paying jobs, avoiding hundreds of thousands of pollution-related illnesses, and gaining billions of dollars in economic benefits.

I urge, in the strongest possible terms, the Illinois Pollution Control Board to adopt ACCII, ACT, and HDO.

Sincerely, Rachel Fredericks Chicago, IL 60626-4166