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**To:** [Brown, Don](#)  
**Subject:** [External] Please adopt the Clean Vehicle Standards R24-17 for clean air  
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Dear Board Clerk Don Brown,

As an Illinois resident, I am asking that you support the adoption of the Clean Vehicle Standards for clean air: the Advanced Clean Trucks, Advanced Clean Cars, and Heavy-Duty Omnibus rules.

Transportation is the largest source of climate warming emissions in Illinois, and hundreds of lives are lost every year to health impacts from diesel pollution. The science shows that these state standards would save lives and benefit our state, putting our state on track to meeting our climate goals and taking an important step towards making sure that all Illinois communities have clean air to breathe.

There are many benefits to adopting the Clean Vehicle Standards, but in particular this is important to quality of life (and likely survival) of our younger generations. This is also important to bring down air pollution and asthma. In fact, Illinois was ranked fifth in the country with the highest number of deaths from particular matter pollution per capita in 2023. As someone who suffers from allergies, this matter is urgent to me.

Please vote in favor of Illinois adoption of the Clean Vehicle Standards. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
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