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Good afternoon,

My name is Sheila Brown. I am an Illinois resident and the climate is an important issue to me. The largest source of polluting emissions in Illinois is the transportation sector. I am writing to urge support for the Advanced Clean Truck Act (ACT) and the Advanced Clean Cars (ACC-II) resolution. These measures would gradually increase the number of zero-emission vehicles sold. ACT would lessen health risks by reducing diesel exhaust. Exposure to diesel exhaust can lead to serious health conditions like asthma and respiratory illnesses and can worsen existing heart and lung disease, especially in children and the elderly. Cook and DuPage counties are in the top 1% of counties for diesel pollution nationwide, and the other collar counties score in the top 5%. ACC-II would reduce greenhouse gases. Both policies would help improve air quality and speed the clean energy economy, with new well-paying jobs and would reduce the cost of vehicle maintenance and fuel for those making the switch.

Best regards,

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