



**Via Electronic Mail**

July 15, 2022

The Honorable Jeffrey N. Roy  
House Chair, Joint Committee on  
Telecommunications, Utilities, and Energy  
Massachusetts State House, Room 42

The Honorable Michael J. Barrett  
Senate Chair, Joint Committee on  
Telecommunications, Utilities, and Energy  
Massachusetts State House, Room 109D

The Honorable Tackey Chan  
House Chair, Joint Committee on Consumer  
Protection and Professional Licensure  
Massachusetts State House, Room 43

The Honorable Cynthia S. Creem  
Senate Majority Leader  
Massachusetts State House Room, 312A

The Honorable Bradley H. Jones, Jr.  
House Minority Leader  
Massachusetts State House, Room 124

The Honorable Bruce E. Tarr  
Senate Minority Leader  
Massachusetts State House, Room 308

**RE: Please act comprehensively on climate this legislative session**

To the Conference Committee members:

I appreciate the efforts of the conference committee to draft a bill that begins to address the urgent and significant challenge of a just transition to a clean energy economy. However, we are running out of time and I am concerned that we still do not have a climate bill that puts us on track to reduce emissions 50% by 2030 and reach net-zero by 2050.

To reach our climate and public health goals, we must enact equitable policies that decarbonize our grid, phase out the use of gas, and electrify polluting sectors like transportation and buildings. The provisions in the House and Senate versions of the bill put Massachusetts in a good position to start implementing strategies that advance our climate and environmental justice priorities.

I urge you to pass a bold and comprehensive climate bill by July 20 to avoid a veto from the Governor. Climate action is a priority for me and I am counting on you to move our climate policy forward in a meaningful way this session.

Thank you for your consideration,



It is paramount at this time to pass a climate change bill due to the rapidly changing and unpredictability of our climate. It is hard to believe that some of us don't care or understand the urgency. We also need to find better ways to educate the public on this dire matter.

- **Barbara Sommers, Acton**

Please pass strong legislation to combat climate change. Our kids need this.

- **Cheryl Brandwein, Acton**

My oldest grandson is now 13 and I don't want to have to tell him the climate can is being kicked down the road even here in MA!

- **Francis Cummings, Acton**

- **Jane Moosbruker Ph.D., Acton**

Now that the Extreme Court and Sen Joe Manchin, faux democrat and aspiring mass murderer, have together torpedoed federal efforts to combat climate change, action at the state level is ever more urgent.

- **John Grosjean, Acton**

- **Ronit Benshir, Acton**

I'm concerned about the climate crisis and would like Massachusetts to be a leader in climate action ; moving away from fossil fuels and toward green energy. Please help us to do that by voting to support this bill.

- **Wendy Hollis, Agawam**

- **Connor Hannemann, Allston**

Please do the right thing. What we do now matters-while we can. If you don't act now, future leaders wont have the opportunity to make a difference.

- **Rebecca Rottapel, Allston**

Fast, comprehensive action is needed to fight this emergency.

- **Sara Sezun, Allston**

- **Benjamin Thorn, Amesbury**

- **Amy Marashinsky, Amherst**

- **Eliot Moss, Amherst**



Our kids are counting on us! Climate solutions are within reach. We need government to meet this urgent moment.

- **Sara Ross, Amherst**

This climate bill should be done NOW.

- **Alexander Chanler, Andover**

My high school students identify the climate crisis as the number one issue to address. Please act with the boldness required in this moment!!

- **Deb Olander, Andover**

- **Alice Trexler, Arlington**

Please, please finalize this climate bill as outlined below. It is no longer an option, is it? This is the future of our kids and their kids. Stand on what is right, and that is to begin to heal our damaged world and environment.

- **Celia Doremus, Arlington**

- **Downing Cless, Arlington**

Please act for the sake of our children and our grandchildren.

- **Eddie Allen, Arlington**

- **Karen Thomas-Alyea, Arlington**

- **Maryanna Foskett, Arlington**

We have very little time to act on the climate crisis and must do it at the state level given the gridlock in DC. Please put everything you can into the reconciled bill and get it done ASAP. Nature can't wait!

- **Robin Bergman, Arlington**

In Ashland, we have committed to net zero by 2040 and we are working hard at it but we can't do it without your help. Please!

- **Chuck Lidz, Ashland**

Please lead the way in care for our environment

- **Kathy Dowd, Auburn**

- **Michael Stuart, Auburn**

- **Sandra Legasey, Auburn**



- **David Harris, Auburndale**

The Planet needs us and Massachusetts needs to lead climate reform.

- **Christine Goulet, Ayer**

- **Margaret Fisher, Ayer**

- **Patricia Vasseur-Melle, Barre**

- **Al Blake, Becket**

It is essential lawmakers in our state understand the crucial importance of forests in mitigating the effects of carbon. While solar power can be an important method of fighting climate change, it cannot be used in place of our forests. Do NOT allow the cutting of forests to build solar arrays. We need trees to take up carbon, prevent erosion of the soils that harbor carbon, lower the ambient temperature, protect our watershed from erosion, and maintain the environment necessary for our wildlife. So as you are drafting legislation to combat climate change, which is essential for the health of our planet, please remember that solar power is an important part of such a plan but it MUST NOT cause take the place of our forests.

- **Marian MacCurdy, Belchertown**

- **Carla Kirton, Bellingham**

- **Marc Laverdiere, Bellingham**

We very much need to keep momentum in effort to curb climate change. Time is running out as weather changes impact all of us.

- **Celt Grant, Bernardston**

- **Deborah Spencer, Billerica**

We all have to take immediate action on Climate Change for our planet and our coming generations. Personally, I am already taking an active role in developing solar technologies and deploying them. Let us all take active action we know how and make a difference. Thanks,  
Frank

- **Frank Pao, Boston**

NO CLIMATE BILL? NOT AN OPTION! SHORT OF TIME WHY WAS THIS NO DEALT WITH MONTHS AGO? BUSINESS AS USUAL? LETS GET MOVING! THE WOODS ARE BURNING -  
- IT'S TIME TO SPRING TO ACTION.

- **Jack Spence, Boston**



- **Jerome Vigil, Boston**

- **Jesseca Ferguson, Boston**

- **John Quatrale, Boston**

- **Jonathan Cohn, Boston**

Do your job! Many of us believe that climate change is the number one issue facing the world.

- **Margaret Woodruff, Boston**

Acting against the consequences of climate change must be a priority.

- **Marina Sagardya, Boston**

- **Mimi Turchinetz, Boston**

- **Nancy Krieger, Boston**

This is an important issue when we think about the world we are leaving behind for our children.

Please approve this bill NOW!!

- **Sandra Walker, Boston**

We have no time to lose. The planet is continuing to heat up and our hyper partisan Supreme Court has just added another road block to national efforts to combat climate change.

Massachusetts needs to lead the way for states. The world is at stake.

- **Susan Racine, Boston**

- **Timothy Havel, Boston**

Nothing is more vital than our environment please pass the climate bill now

- **Kathy Fox, Bourne**

- **Brian Gingras, Braintree**

- **Spyros Braoudakis, Braintree**

Time, obviously, is running out, both in this legislative session and in protecting our environment.

- **Betsy Smith, Brewster**

- **Martha Person, Brewster**



- **Pong Louie, Brighton**

- **Karin Shaw, Brockton**

- **Kimberly Morse, Brockton**

The window for meaningful action on climate is rapidly closing, and we owe it to our children and their children to act now. It could not be more urgent.

- **Bettina Neufeind, Brookline**

- **Frances Givelber, Brookline**

- **Mary Lou Crimmins, Brookline**

- **Suzette Abbott, Brookline**

We have been concerned about climate change for almost my entire lifetime. We are well beyond putting big business and corporate greed over our health and Mother Earth. Please take action NOW! Sincerely, Susan Barlow

- **Susan Barlow, Buzzards Bay**

- **Amanda Peters, Cambridge**

So not kick this can down the road. We must have strong regulations and move towards renewables now. Please for our children and all children.

- **Amy Oliver, Cambridge**

There is no time to waste. Please act now.

- **Bud Evans, Cambridge**

- **Ellen Levine, Cambridge**

We need a solid climate bill. We have the funds. We have knowledge. We can lead on this. Let's get it done.

- **Frederick Hewett, Cambridge**

- **Helene Bank, Cambridge**

- **Jeffrey Baron, Cambridge**

- **Jennifer Vallone, Cambridge**



- **Jessica Ruprecht, Cambridge**

- **Bro. Jonathan Maury SSJE, Cambridge**

- **Joyce Barringer, Cambridge**

- **Kim Goslant, Cambridge**

Please ratify a strong climate bill asap. Since the federal government doesn't have enough votes to pass climate legislation, I am counting on Massachusetts to take action and be a model for the rest of the US.

- **Lucy Weltner, Cambridge**

- **Margaret Ferguson, Cambridge**

I want Massachusetts to be a strong voice with regard to the climate crisis. It could not be more important.

- **Mary Coelho, Cambridge**

- **Nancy Johnson, Cambridge**

Let's not wait until next session. Let's make networked thermal the new normal now. Let's see what we can do with GSEP. Let's get off-shore wind off to a rip-roaring start. You can do it.

- **Sarah Griffith, Cambridge**

- **Sydney Jenkins, Cambridge**

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For my grandchildren and yours. And because the planet is worth it. Thank you. Ann

- **Ann Rugnetta, Canton**

- **Christine Piekarski, Canton**

- **Grace Diemand, Cataumet**

- **Jeff Reagan, Charlestown**

- **Peter Traub, Cheshire**

- **Edith Cohen, Chestnut Hill**



We are in a climate crisis. It's beyond time to act...we must do everything that we can, as quickly as we can.

- **Martha Cottle, Chilmark**

- **Steven Wenner, Cohasset**

We live on the earth

- **George Gordon, Jr., Concord**

- **J. Paul Minkin, Concord**

- **Karen Kennedy, Concord**

- **Dorothy Blitzer, Dedham**

- **Lanny Kutakoff, Dedham**

- **Murray Staub, Dedham**

- **Benjamin Weiner, Deerfield**

It is imperative that the conference committee release significant legislation -THIS SESSION!  
We can not wait!

- **Betsy Drinan, Dorchester**

- **Claire Balliro, Dorchester**

Listen to the experts! "Nature is what sustains us all. It gives us food, medicine, raw materials, oxygen, climate regulation and so much more. "Nature, in all its diversity, is the greatest asset that humanity could ever ask for. Yet its true value is often left out of decision making." - Inger Andersen, executive director of the UN Environment Programme (UNEP) We are long past the time for the arguments and sticking our heads in the sand.

- **Angela Rose, Douglas**

- **Lisa Cherrier, Douglas**

- **Mark Somol, Dover**

- **Victoria Marcello, Dracut**

- **Ken Canty, Dudley**





- **Ingrid McGinty, Duxbury**

- **Richard Kettyle, Duxbury**

- **Chris Wheeler, E Falmouth**

We need to move into the future now, not later.

- **Petra Reitz, East Bridgewater**

- **Judith Livingstone, East Dennis**

I am a retired marine scientist/grassroots environmental activist living on Cape Cod. Recently I listened to the East Coast Climate Change Scenario Planning Workshop in Arlington, Va. which developed 8 potential stories of consequences between 2022-2042. I am currently Taking the Biodiversity 6 course on: "Systems Thinking and Scenario Analysis" which is considering effects on Cashes Ledge in the Gulf of Maine and inshore aquaculture in Nantucket Sound.

- **David Dow, East Falmouth**

- **Tom Dignes, East Falmouth**

- **Molly Ann, East Sandwich**

- **William Allan, Eastham**

- **Shelly Bradbury, Essex**

- **Robert Muhlhausen, Everett**

- **Barbara Cidade, Fall River**

- **Gloria Saddler, Fall River**

- **Paul Deschenes, Fitchburg**

- **Bob Zimmermann, Florence**

We also need every tree, every forest, so NO cutting of any woods or forests to add solar and NO biomass. It is time to require that ALL rooftops and parking lots cease to trap heat, but capture solar energy and Massachusetts should start with all municipal lots, all malls and large store parking lots, all colleges and universities, any transportation hubs and hospitals cover their lots and their top floor of parking garages with solar, and use as much of this energy to power



electric grids, cars, schools and hospitals. We have little time left to make a real difference, so pass the bill and let's go!

**- Dee Boyle-Clapp, Florence**

It's the Climate Crisis! Just do it!!

**- Don Ogden, Florence**

Keep MA a leader in addressing climate change! Please complete and vote on a comprehensive climate bill this session.

**- Douglas Renick, Florence**

**- Judith Embry, Florida**

**- Cynthia Tracy, Foxboro**

**- Karl Spigulis, Framingham**

I want to know that we are doing all that we can to leave a safe environment for our grandchildren. Please don't wait to act.

**- Sheila Wolfsom, Framingham**

We constituents need a really strong climate bill now. The costs of half measures is small but the cost of this weak action will be horrendous in the coming years: homes, infrastructure, pulmonary and cardiac events (adults and children), and much more. Please lead...now!

**- Tim Brainerd, Framingham**

It's getting to be too late!! PLEASE pass the Climate bill by JULY 20, AND ALSO support the MEER Reflection (.com) Framework!!!

**- Cam Wilson, Framingham**

We need both house wind and senate bill. They are not incompatible

**- Larry Stoodt, Framingham,MA**

**- Brian Gagnon, Franklin**

**- Kathleen Trefethen, Franklin**

Addressing climate change and climate Justice on MA will help our economy, protect jobs, and keep our families safe. Inaction will have the opposite effects. MA must be a leader to help other states, the federal level and other countries take the actions required to shift our economy. The time is now!

**- G Dyer, Gloucester**



Massachusetts needs to lead the way on this critically important issue.

**- Lucille LePage, Gloucester**

**- Judy Oates, Great Barrington**

I am proud to say I actually attended the first Earth Day Celebration held over 50 years ago on April 22, 1970, in New York City's Central Park. I have been an avid environmentalist ever since. It is my TOP concern.

**- Mona Young, Great Barrington**

I am particularly concerned that Wood Biomass not get subsidized in this process - it is a step back in our progress.

**- Judy M Brewer, Hampden**

**- Diane LeDuc, Harwich**

**- Jonathan Clapp, Harwich**

Where I live on Cape Cod, the impact of climate change has been palpable for some time now. Since I am a dedicated swimmer in the ponds of Harwich and Brewster, I am especially aware of the Cyanobacteria outbreaks in recent years that put these ponds off limit for swimming but also endanger the waterfowl that I love to observe going about their business. These outbreaks are only one, very visible, effect of global warming. There is no time to lose if we are to have a chance of preventing catastrophic climate changes to the natural environment on the Cape and elsewhere In Massachusetts. Please pass comprehensive climate legislation now in the current legislative session. This cannot wait for the next session. Thank you, Susan Patterson 74 Cottonwood Road Harwich, MA 02645

**- Susan Patterson, Harwich**

**- Michael Petty, Haverhill**

**- Ann Barnett, Hingham**

**- Darrell Henry, Hingham**

**- Mike Wilander, Holden**

Please finalize this legislation ASAP - we can't wait for another legislative session to get this into law!!

**- John Player, Holliston**



It's as simple as putting cart before the horse. Without climate action we cannot effectively protect our environment. Please act NOW!

- **Deb Huston, Holliston**

- **Jane Kohuth, Holliston**

It is time to make climate change a number one priority in this state. We need a plan to care for the land we live on.

- **Laurie Markoff, Holliston**

It will cost more later.

- **Carol Esler, Hopkinton**

- **Dennis Rogers, Hubbardston**

Please Please Take Action

- **Michael Merrill, Hudson**

- **Paul Paquin, Hull**

- **Steven Ramar, Hyannis**

- **Eileen Costello, Jamaica Plain**

The climate won't wait. Please continue your work to advance climate legislation and get it done this session!

- **Robert Cooper, Jamaica Plain**

I am deeply concerned about global warming and want to leave a safer planet for my grandchildren.

- **Christine Erb, Lanesborough**

- **Joanne Larsen, Lee**

- **Megan Reisel, Lee**

While important local initiatives are taking place across the Commonwealth, state action will have a far more profound impact. We're counting on you to do what's needed, NOW!

- **Peter Hofman, Lee**

Climate change is evident in our every day lives. And if there's anything that New England is known for, it's clean, outdoor living. We cannot let more [time, days, months, years] -without



passing meaningful action. Please finalize and pass a bill protecting our climate and clean energy. Massachusetts has led the way on many historical moments of change. Let's do that here, once again.

**- Heather Dunhill, Lenox**

I cannot single-handedly save the world from warming and extinctions from my one little acre. You, however, are placed such that you can make a big difference for our State. Please work to finalize and pass a climate bill for Massachusetts by next week.

**- Mary Phillipotts, Leominster**

**- Alan Strauss, Lexington**

There is only so much an individual can do to help ameliorate climate change. Turning off the lights and taking public transportation will only go so far. It's time for some heroism on the part of the legislature.

**- Anne Engelhart, Lexington**

**- Charles Flammer, Lexington**

I feel both proud and lucky to live in MA because of the strong leadership of our state legislature. It is of the utmost importance that we move forward and pass a comprehensive Climate bill to again lead the way in making positive change to protect the citizens of our state and hopefully inspire similar actions in other states. Clean, renewable energy is the way forward as we are suffering currently from dramatic price increases in fossil fuels. The natural environment and the geopolitical environment would be greatly improved if we committed to the most rapid and just transition away from fossil fuels possible.

**- Christy Hart, Lexington**

All children should grow up in a stable and livable climate.

**- Frances Urban, Lexington**

This bill is 20 years late with date goals that push out addressing the problem decades too far in the future to be effective. The critical nature of climate change was first reported by the UN in the mid-1990s. And here we are, having done nothing, acting like there are decades left to reach meaningful goals. It's a shame, you can do better.

**- Peter Beves, Lunenburg**

**- Robert Dorson, Lynn**

We desperately need a clean planet

**- Karyl Stoia, Lynn**



- **Mimi Locke, Manchester by the Sea**

- **Maureen & Kevin Mccarthy, Marblehead**

This is so important. We can't wait another year! Please act now.

- **Petra Langer, Marblehead**

This is the most important issue of our time.

- **Samuel Bennett, Marblehead**

Don't delay. This is urgent. Think of our futures and those of the next generations in a rapidly heating climate and its many ramifications. Thank you, Diane Hickey Chimowitz

- **Diane Chimowitz, Marion**

- **Ryan Keane, Marlborough**

- **Mark Gosian, Marshfield**

- **Michael Norinsky, Mashpee**

- **Claude Weaver, Mattapan**

- **Corey Little, Mattapan**

- **Helen Lozoraitis, Mattapoisett**

- **Keith Olcott, Maynard**

- **Maggie Day, Maynard**

- **Nicole Day, Maynard**

Legislators: I have been working in the field of energy efficiency and carbon reductions for 44 years. And I work on these issues around the clock to this day. I am proud that Massachusetts has been a leader. But I'm very very concerned at this moment. Please. push. through.

- **Fred and Lucinda Davis, Medfield**

- **Dee Morris, Medford**

- **Judith Genthner, Medford**



Progress on decarbonization and meaningful action on climate is my top issue! As a parent, I deeply believe we need to ensure a livable future for all children in Massachusetts.

- **Michelle Scott, Medford**

- **Olivia Clancy, Medway**

- **Shaun Montana, Medway**

- **Anne Trafton, Melrose**

- **Michael Grinnell, Melrose**

- **Bettie Paradis, Merrimac**

- **David Fowler, Middleboro**

- **Sandra Brangan, Middleboro**

- **Carol Parrish, Mill River**

- **Mike McCool, Millbury**

- **Raymond Morley, Millbury**

We must continue to address this issue with the public which does not have sufficient information about the looming climate catastrophe! Please remember proforestation and how leaving forests intact is the best solution to the problem. We do not need gobs of funding to not do logging. Allowing trees to continue to grow and sequester carbon is easy.

- **Laurel Facey, Millers Falls**

- **William Facey, Millers Falls**

- **Jonathan Kennedy, Montague**

- **Marie Gildehaus, Nantucket**

- **Andrea Masi-Phelps, Natick**

- **Howard Shea, Natick**

- **Janis Luedke, Natick**



**- Emily Hargreaves, Needham**

Please act quickly to reconcile the House's offshore wind bill and the Senate's broader climate and energy bill to make sure the strongest bill possible is passed that helps move Mass. forward in its struggle to address climate chaos. We humans have brought on this crisis; we humans must work to stop our ongoing destruction and accelerate efforts at mitigation.

**- Marty Grundy, Needham**

**- Nicki Hagen, Needham**

**- Patricia Tholl, Needham**

**- Amy Watson, New Bedford**

Act today! The planet needs us!

**- Anita Goulet, Newburyport**

Please consider what is causing negative changes to our climate. Do what is best for our Mother Earth and future generations of all life. If it is in your hands act responsibly and wisely now. Thank you.

**- Nancy Frenette, Newburyport**

Dear House and Senate conference committee, My name is Rowan Mulder. I live in Newburyport, MA and have been volunteering with the Mass Audubon society for several years now. I have seen firsthand the disastrous impacts that the climate crisis and its drivers have on our local and global communities and ecosystems. That is why I am writing to tell you the following.

**- Rowan Mulder, Newburyport**

We are running out of time. Please act. Now!

**- Hannah Banks, Newton**

I'M BURNING FOR AN ANSWER! & WAITING ISN'T IT!!!!!!!!!!!!!! PLEASE ACT NOW! WE HAVE NO OTHER OPTION!!!!!!

**- Helen Taplin, Newton**

**- Karen Eldridge, Newton**

**- Patrick O'Neil, Newton**

**- Sandra Donahue, North Andover**





- **Susan Ferrer, North Andover**

- **Kris Miller, North Billerica**

- **Adam Nunes, North Dartmouth**

- **Jinny Miranda, North Easton**

Action to limit climate change is a priority for my family.

- **Pamela Polloni, North Falmouth**

Passing strong climate policies must be top priority. Nothing else matters as much.

- **Joyce Nemeth, North Truro**

Last year at the Cape, my husband and I took turns watching for sharks while our son swam in the ocean. We had a shark app so we know there were sightings at nearby beaches. We know they are really hunting seals. We know seals are coming closer to shore because they have less to eat. We know we have very little time to work on climate change before irreparable harm is done to our world & our children. Please get that climate bill through.

- **Janet Bowdan, Northampton**

We need this! Please act!

- **Janet Gula, Northampton**

This is a true emergency on the level of war or other disaster. It's time we start acting like our house is on fire!

- **Sam Scoppettone, Northampton**

Climate change is an existential threat to us all. We need bold action to reduce the devastation.

- **T Stephen Jones, Northampton**

Once again, the Massachusetts legislature falls down on the job. Nothing gets done because the members just cannot get their act together. We're tired of all the useless rhetoric from the politicians.

- **James Vander Poel, Northborough**

- **Kelsey Quinlan, Norwood**

Thank you to the work the legislators in my district (Sen. Comerford and Rep. Whipps) are doing on climate issues. However, we need a comprehensive bill to pass by July 20th so that we can move forward in a real way concerning the climate emergency before us now.

- **Pat Larson, Orange**



This work is too important to put aside!

- **Michael Schmidt, Peabody**

- **Robert Gates, Peabody**

- **Brian Findlay, Pepperell**

- **Maria Sacco, Pepperell**

Of all the major challenges we face, none looms larger than climate change. As a mounting pile of peer-reviewed evidence has shown for decades, climate change is a profound existential threat already causing direct harm to millions at significant expense, and the problem grows only worse every day. With the federal government continuing to be stymied on enacting useful legislation to even reduce the worst of what's coming, it's up to us at the state and local level to take every ounce of action we can. We lost our window of time to stall. As an individual, there's very little I can continue to do that adds up to more than a drop in the bucket. Meaningful action can ONLY be taken by you to create a healthier, more sustainable community. Our only remaining alternative is a hotter planet with more catastrophic storms, food shortages, surging fuel prices, higher taxpayer expenses, and even worse health for marginalized community members and children. This is the time for action.

- **Andy Ottoson, Pittsfield**

- **Deborah McCool, Pittsfield**

- **Joan Grossman, Pittsfield**

- **Mark Johnson, Pittsfield**

- **Michele Bauer, Pittsfield**

As one of the most highly educated states in the country, Massachusetts is poised to be a leader in our national push towards a more equitable and climate conscious state. We need to make our buildings for everyone - especially the lower income population - LEEDS certified and green our waste and transit system as much as we can.

- **Vicki & Eugene Zacharewicz, Pittsfield**

State climate action is more important than ever, with the federal reconciliation climate provisions in jeopardy. Please, Massachusetts must act to smooth the transition to new energy sources and help towns make necessary adaptations. I urge you, pass the climate bill now.

- **Linda Lancaster, Plymouth**



- Eugene Brusin, Quincy

- Tamara Ball, Quincy

- Kia Ruscansky, Randolph

- Diane Crimmins, Reading

Nothing is perfect; please aim for something positive to come out of conference committee.  
Something is everything to our tomorrows.

- Lori Renn Parker, Reading

- Mary Parr, Reading

- Rebecca Bailey, Reading

- Gary Thaler, Revere

- David Wise, Rockport

Do not delay.

- Lee Koehler, Rockport

- Robert Cannon, Rockport

- Sandra Lee, Rockport

- John Hess, Roslindale

- Lorraine Gray, Roslindale

- Megan Wilson, Roslindale

- Muriel Roberts, Roslindale

- John Kyper, Roxbury

- Peg Hewitt, Roxbury Crossing

- Jane Kuby, Salem



- **Joanna Nadeau, Salem**

All of the great work by the state legislature needs to be completed during this session! Please don't let this opportunity go to waste! Prof. John Hayes

- **John Hayes, Salem**

- **Anina Carr, Sandisfield**

- **Joyce Rodenhiser, Saugus**

- **Franco Corabi, Scituate**

All people, animals, and the environment over profits for the few!

- **Joshua McKain, Scituate**

- **Scott Greenbaum, Scituate**

- **Elana Katz, Sharon**

- **Micah Simmons, Sharon**

Climate change is like a runaway train bearing down on us at 90 miles an hour something must be done to slow down or halt the train. Otherwise we are all going to cook.

- **Patrick Leehey, Sharon**

- **Amy McCoy, Shelburne Falls**

- **Jayne Rouisse, Shirley**

- **Susan Martin, Somerset**

- **Christopher Martin, Somerset**

Please hurry up, act urgently on climate legislation this season! Climate is my number one voting issue and it's obviously a desperate need to act on climate immediately.

- **Elizabeth Merrick, Somerville**

- **Katie Lane, Somerville**

- **M. Sawicki, Somerville**

Massachusetts and the planet cannot wait another year for this bill!



- **Mark Duffy, Somerville**

- **Nora Arkin, Somerville**

- **Phillip Kopita, Somerville**

The Earth Charter demands that choose a future for our Earth 🌍. Will it be one of peril or promise? Please choose an impactful climate plan for Massachusetts despite the Supreme Court's recent reckless decision ... We can lead the way in putting our Mother Earth first. I am praying that the Spirit guide you in coming up with a clear and strong plan --- a choice for a future of promise....

- **Sister Linda Bessom, Somerville**

- **Laurie Gates, South Chatham**

- **Janice Rogers, South Dartmouth**

- **Marianne Wolslegel, South Deerfield**

Thank you so much for all you do to preserve the environment and address the climate crisis! We're at the 11th hour for passing a comprehensive bills before you. Please get this over the line & into law.

- **Barbara Lambdin, South Dennis**

- **Treyce Wheeler, South Easton**

- **Nancy Swartwout, South Hadley**

- **Mary Beth Gangloff, South Hamilton**

- **Sally Mavroides, South Yarmouth**

This is vital to our survival as a species!

- **Deborah Herath, Southwick**

There is no more important issue than protecting the earth for all life. Get it done!

- **Susan Morris, Stockbridge**

- **Tithi Dutta Roy, Stoneham**

- **Devin Oleary, Sudbury**



- **Jay Stearns, Sudbury**

As a former park ranger and archeologist, I am very aware of human-environment interactions through millennia. What we are experiencing now with climate weirdness is unprecedented. For the sake of our children and all that live in our air, sea, and lands worldwide we need to take action now to reduce methane and CO2 buildup in the atmosphere.

- **Sarah Hubbell, Sudbury**

- **Teresia LaFleur-Campbell, Sudbury**

- **Carol Makris, Swampscott**

- **Caterina Nelson, Swampscott**

- **Brianne Young, Taunton**

- **Jesse Ollove, Tewksbury**

- **Aaron Corn, Townsend**

- **Karen Lennon, Unknown**

- **Alan Gordon, Waban**

- **Linda Crowe, Waban**

- **Charles Spurr, Wakefield**

- **Ailsa Hermann-Wu, Waltham**

- **Brian Leacu, Waltham**

Action now is imperative. There is no Planet B. Pass bold climate legislation this legislative cycle!

- **Cornelia Kammerer, Waltham**

I will have a new granddaughter in about 2 weeks and I'm very worried about the world she'll be growing up in if climate change is not addressed immediately. Please pass legislation that will address this dire situation now.

- **Susan James, Waltham**

- **Veena Dharmaraj, Waltham**



PLEASE do everything you can to pass the climate legislation that will reduce emissions and reach net-zero by 2050. We cannot afford to wait further and we need to avoid a veto by the governor. Thank you!

- **Jeanne and James Abels, Warwick**

- **Anthony Rosner, Watertown**

- **Elaine Bazarian, Watertown**

- **Hannah Gibson, Watertown**

PLEASE get the MA power grid completely off the carbon-based fuel generation for electricity. Have natural gas as the backup energy source when the power grid is overtaxed, which it invariably is and well be, is not "green."

- **Paul Brewer, Watertown**

- **Sarah Stewart, Watertown**

Please do everything you can to ensure something meaningful passes!!

- **Stephane Acel-Green, Watertown**

- **Bonnie Pomfret, Wayland**

- **Kaloyan Draganov, Wellesley**

- **Judy Taylor, Wellfleet**

- **Michele Yeeles, Wellfleet**

- **Ingrid And Wayne Sanborn, West Newbury**

We are all individually responsible yet limited in our impact however as a whole in an entire state/states/country passing legislation that mandates significant environmental laws is extremely important!! We need this now, not next year or the year after, let's stop with the mentality of "kick the can down the road". It is now we need this! Do something ya'll have the power!

- **Lee Reinhold, West Newbury**

Let's get a hydro deal done and expedite the offshore wind!!

- **John Dundon, West Newton**



The federal government has stalled on climate legislation. We cannot afford to do the same. It's now or never to stop the planet from heating beyond the point of no return! I urge you do your job for the sake of our kids and their kids!

**- Carey Toran, West Roxbury**

I believe climate change is the defining issue of our time. Without a livable climate for ourselves and the generations to come, our future is bleak. Worry about our overheating planet keeps me up at night.

**- Gretchen Dietz, West Roxbury**

**- Jane Moloney, West Roxbury**

Doing our part to act as an example to the country about what states can do to switch to clean energy is incredibly important.

**- Andrew Koenigsberg, Westborough**

No more delay.... do everything possible. Everyone there with kids should be in a panic!

**- Bill Glatfelter, Westborough**

**- Deborah Pasternak, Westborough**

**- Gail Herath-Veiby, Westborough**

**- Susan Foley, Westfield**

**- Diane Santos, Westford**

The words below express my sentiments about the climate and the need to act quickly. Massachusetts has always been a leader, let's keep it that way.

**- Gerald DiBello, Westford**

Let's show the country by example How to het this right. We all need some positive forward thinking action in these times for our children's future.

**- Elizabeth Wax, Westport**

**- Fanny Whitman, Westport**

**- Nikolaos Milonas, Westwood**

**- Leah Cameron, Whitinsville**

**- Jeff Higgs, Wilmington**





**- Elizabeth Gorman, Winchester**

There is nothing more important than the climate change crisis. Please help make the earth a livable place for my kids and future grandkids! Thank you!

**- Kathy Ochandarena, Winchester**

It is important to me that our future is secured by implementing good climate change policies. I am very concerned that we have not been good stewards of our environment and our children and grandchildren are inheriting a mess that is unsustainable to live in.

**- Marilyn MacLeod, Winchester**

**- Mike McKenna, Winchester**

**- Carina Campobasso, Winthrop**

I want my grandchildren to have a safe, livable future. We are in a climate emergency and this is absolutely essential to do now!!

**- Carol Walker, Winthrop**

**- Leeallen Meyer, Winthrop**

I have great respect for the work that has been done in the Senate and House climate bills. While more is needed, everything that is there is terrific. Thank you. It remains only for you to pass the boldest climate bill you can, so urgently needed.

**- Gail Page, Woburn**

**- Gayle Sweeney, Woburn**

**- Cheryl Alison, Worcester**

We all require clean air and clean water, food that has been grown and raised without poisons that last, such as the "forever" chemicals that we largely don't test for. At least require all state vehicles to have electric power, discourage use of gas in homes, retrofit public buildings and housing with electric heat pumps, etc.

**- Grace Blydenburgh, Worcester**

My five-year-old granddaughter reminds me every time I see her of the many different ways that we can care for the environment and use less. Please think of her and the next generation and act on strong climate legislation. Thank you, Jeanne Blum Kissane Worcester

**- Jeanne Kissane, Worcester**



- **Louise Burrell, Worcester**

- **Peter Haroutian, Worcester**

- **Valerie Mount, Worcester**

- **Yesenia Baez, Worcester**

This legislation should have been the first order of business in this session, not one of the last. With the abdication of the Supreme Court, we need action at the state level now. The rapid acceleration of climate change demands it. You will not be judged kindly if you fail to get meaningful climate legislation over the finish line now.

- **Sheila Place, Yarmouth Port**

- **Anne Emerson**

- **Ray Hammond**