

Dear Senate President Harmon,

Throughout your career, you have been an advocate for the environment, and I thank you for that. I don't think Illinois has ever been closer to making such significant change regarding energy, the environment, and employment opportunities for the people of Illinois than it has been right now. We are on the precipice of doing something great. It is time for the Senate to reconvene and pass this energy legislation!

Illinois needs your leadership now more than ever. You have the unique opportunity to help garner a bipartisan and bicameral "win" for the people of Illinois! I understand that negotiations regarding the decarbonization schedule has come to a stand still. Now, it is time for legislators to come together and solve this problem.

It is ironic that while special interest groups barter about what to do with natural gas and coal fired plants 10 to 20 years from now, the carbon-free electricity generated from Illinois' nuclear plants is scheduled to stop in few short weeks and solar companies that depend on the credits from FEJA have run out and now are at risk of closing. If Illinois legislators are truly concerned with preserving jobs, creating jobs, growing our economy, and advocating for clean energy, then this energy bill needs to be passed NOW.

So many people are hurting from the upheaval rendered from the pandemic, please do not add to our hardships. Government is supposed to protect and provide opportunities for its citizens. The longer the legislature waits to pass this bill, the more harm will be done to the people of Illinois.

Respectfully,

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