

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I am writing to request that you please help move the energy legislation forward for a vote. The people of Illinois need your leadership to bring this bill to the finish line. Illinois could be the first state to pass comprehensive energy legislation that is truly meaningful to every person in this state. There is so much at stake: our economy, grid stability, protecting the environment, the future of renewable energy, the preservation of Illinois' nuclear fleet, job creation, etc. It is time for the House of Representatives 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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