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To: House Environment and Natural Resources Committee
Subject: Kaylynn Polley support for H5279

Dear Chair and Committee Members,

My name is Kaylynn Polley, I am a constituent of Senator Anderson and Representative Bennett, a member of my Districts Democratic Senate Committee, and a community organizer within the climate movement. I am writing in support of H5279 because I believe every Rhode Islander deserves a livable climate with breathable air and clean water to drink. I want my future children to live in a world where they do not have to worry about companies choosing profits over the environment and their livelihoods.

There is currently no way to know how damaging an energy project may be to our state. This must change so we can make smarter decisions when it comes to energy infrastructure. Bills like this one bring us one step closer to a safer future and is why I support the requirement of carbon-emission-reduction goals to be considered in energy plant siting proceedings.

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