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I understand you are part of those who are doing the budgeting process so I am asking you to please consider placing climate action programs in the budget. I feel the ESSEX plan is our best bet to begin cutting our carbon releases while rewarding folks on their electric bill. It's a simple plan & is easy for folks to understand. We have fallen behind our stated goal so we need to get this going ASAP.

Another item of my concern is the waste of taxpayer's money by paying wall street banks for infrastructure & other bonds.

It is clearly show by those states who are currently either operating a state bank or are seriously considering one that they will benefit greatly by keeping their money in State.

Wouldn't we all feel more secure if our tax money was kept in State & loaned out to Vermonters who would pay interest to their own State.

We must get away from big bank control!

Thanks Don Smith 311 Summer St St Johnsbury, VT 05819