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I am writing to encourage the Vermont House and Senate Appropriations Committees to make strategic investments in heating and transportation - two of Vermont's largest sources of greenhouse gas emissions. Specifically, please fund the following:

1. Weatherization: double the number of houses weatherized each year, with particular emphasis on programs for lower income Vermonters.
2. Transportation: Use the \$4.5 million dollars that came into the state from the Volkswagen (and related) settlement to create a program to help Vermonters - particularly low and moderate income Vermonters - buy electric vehicles or efficient hybrids.

Thank you,

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