Dear Kyle Krall,

I am eager to see Delaware adopt the Advanced Clean Cars 2 program as soon as possible! It is essential that we reduce tailpipe pollution in our state, especially in our vulnerable communities.

Air pollution can have a direct impact on lung development and health.

57% of Delawareans live in counties impacted by air pollution.

Children living in low-income urban areas tend to have more asthma cases than others.

The second highest level of pediatric asthma in the country is in Delaware!

The American Lung Association reports that a widespread shift to zero-emission transportation and clean energy would yield major health benefits between 2020 and 2050.

This program can help save lives and vastly improve health in our state.

I would be proud if Delaware signed on to the Advanced Clean Cars 2 program!

DNREC Staff,

I want to urge you to not listen to the opposition groups that are pouring thousands of dollars into Delaware to try and stop your progress on this vital front!

The clean cars program you are working on addresses the climate crisis by reducing greenhouse gas emissions. 70% of transportation greenhouse gas emissions come from passenger cars and trucks.

This shift also addresses the serious health impacts from smog and other tailpipe pollution like asthma, cardiovascular disease, impaired lung development in children, and preterm and low-birthweight infants, for all Delawareans but particularly disadvantaged communities. The ACCII also includes improvements in the air quality standards that protect our health.

Delaware drivers deserve to have access to these clean, money-saving, health protecting vehicles that are almost completely unavailable from Delaware dealers until we join this program.

Don't let the opposition's misrepresentations get in the way of this important opportunity.

The many benefits are compelling and I urge you to stay the course and pass this regulation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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