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TOWN OF DANBY - TOMPKINS COUNTY

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Resolution No. 88 of 2015 - In Support of Carbon Fee and Dividend

Whereas, climate disruption due to global warming -- including destabilized weather patterns, extreme weather events, rising sea levels, and other serious impacts -- threatens both the built environment and the ecosystems we depend on to sustain human existence, and

Whereas, global warming is driven by greenhouse gas emissions from fossil fuels and a prompt and major shift away from fossil carbon fuels is a necessary cornerstone to any meaningful response, and

Whereas, a steadily increasing fee or tax on fossil fuels at the point of their entry into the economy (well, mine, or point of importation) would be administratively fairly simple and make effective use of free market mechanisms to promote the transition to greater energy conservation and renewable sources of energy, and

Whereas, a return or rebate of all of the revenue generated by the fee to households would mitigate the impact of rising energy prices for all households and generate many new clean energy jobs, while potentially improving the overall economy;

Therefore now be it

Resolved, that the Town of Danby Town Board endorses carbon fee and dividend and urges our representatives in the United States Congress to enact it into law.

Moved by Brenner, Second by Connors.

A roll call vote on the Resolution resulted as follows:

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| Brenner | Aye |
| Connors | Aye |
| Holahan | Aye |
| Miller | Aye |
| Dietrich | Aye |

Carried Unanimously

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF TOMPKINS) SS:
TOWN OF DANBY)

Pamela Goddard, Town Clerk in the Town of Danby, a Municipal Corporation of the County of Tompkins, State of New York, does hereby certify that the forgoing resolution is a true and exact copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Town Board of said Town of Danby at a Regular meeting held on the 19th day of October of 2015.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of the Town of Danby, this 1st day of June of 2018.


Pamela S Goddard, Town Clerk