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81% of voters say it’s important for the state to reduce climate pollution, and to increase clean public transportation options.

2 out of 3 voters support the Transportation & Climate Initiative.

Motor vehicles are the largest source of GHG emissions in Connecticut (38%) and the region.

Governor’s Council on Climate Change found transportation emissions must be reduced 29% below 2014 levels by 2030 to meet state climate goals.

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Transportation and Climate Initiative Program (TCI-P) is a multistate initiative to cap and reduce carbon emissions from transportation and invest in an equitable, cleaner, and more resilient transportation system. TCI would work by placing a declining “cap” on carbon pollution from gasoline and on-road diesel and require fuel suppliers to purchase “allowances” to cover the carbon content of their fuel. Allowance auctions would generate revenue to reinvest in clean transportation options and infrastructure, with a focus on communities overburdened by air pollution and underserved by the existing transportation system.

Cap and reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and other harmful pollutants from transportation.

Generate revenue to decarbonize and modernize transportation and create new economic opportunity.

Invest in overburdened and underserved communities and create healthier places to live.

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