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As a member of 350CT I would like to commend the creation of a council to help CT address the challenge of climate change. This council needs to push forward goals and policies that will transition CT to 100% renewable energy as fast as possible. This transition can be started immediately and be completed much sooner than 2050.

The council must recognize that fracked gas pipelines play no part in a renewable energy future and support for transporting gas through CT will only exacerbate climate change as the methane leaks from these pipelines and at the extraction sites are 20 times worse greenhouse gases than carbon dioxide.

This council should also consider the need for the green jobs of the renewable energy revolution to take care of workers in the fossil fuel industry. Too long have our inner cities and working poor suffered the effects of pollution and climate change. They should be the beneficiary of the clean energy revolution.

Please make this council a representative of the people and recognize the need for bold action now to take use to a future where pollution and climate change are no longer side effects of our society.

I also highly recommend TheSolutionsProject at <u>http://thesolutionsproject.org</u> for additional guidance to accelerated achievement of our common goal.

Thanks Peter Magistri Windsor