Good Morning, E&T Committee,

Please continue to support and expand investments in renewable energy. Specifically, energy storage, residential solar energy, net-metering, and related tax incentives.

While you are at it, you should be seriously considering a carbon tax, and how that can be used to turbocharge the changes that we need to make. Likewise, you should be looking into scalable nuclear energy options, as we will never be able to turn the corner on CO2 emissions with renewables alone.

And please, do not continue with the natural gas argument as a better fuel than coal. It's just a cleaner death for the planet.

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