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EPA Air Quality Regulations

WHEREAS: The Environmental Protection Agency has proposed new regulations which would drastically alter the nature of clean air rules throughout the country, and

WHEREAS: The regulation of particulate pollution would change from a PM-10 standard to a PM-2.5 standard, and

WHEREAS: There is no strong scientific evidence of any health benefit from such a change; nor has there been any economic cost-benefit analysis; nor has there been any analysis of the effect on federal land management policies, including the proper use of fire and the maintenance of roadways,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that CLUB 20 strongly opposes the EPA’s new proposed clean air regulations, or any plan to change clean air requirements before there has been a thorough analysis of the costs and benefits, the health risks and benefits, the impact on federal land management policies, and the effects on the economy of Western Colorado.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that CLUB 20 requests Congressional field hearings in the West on the effect of these proposed regulations on the economy, and that this resolution should be sent to the Colorado congressional delegation as soon as possible.

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