

Hello, my name is Alice Wagner-Hemstad. I am 16 years old and a junior at Como Park Senior High in St. Paul, MN. I have been a youth member on the City of Saint Paul's Climate Justice Advisory Board for two and a half years. I care about the future of our environment, and as a youth I recognize that my generation will be left with the consequences of our current industrialization practices. It's time to take action in reducing our carbon emissions that are released as a result of energy production.

I support The 100% Clean Energy Bill. The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) has stated that if immediate action is not taken and carbon emissions are not significantly reduced, catastrophic consequences will likely occur on our planet which could affect weather, ecosystems and human populations. In addition, many other states have passed bills similar to this one. This bill has the potential to catch Minnesota up with those states. Minnesota needs to do its part to maintain sustainable ecosystems for future generations.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
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