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Participation preference: N/A
Comments in writing: Hello,

Fridays For Future Winnipeg Manitoba is asking you to implement the Community Energy Investment Roadmap (CEIR) as a cornerstone policy of the City of Winnipeg's next budget.

Please see our video to you here:
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Or see the written version below:

Fridays For Future Winnipeg Manitoba is asking you to implement the Community Energy Investment Roadmap (CEIR) as a cornerstone policy of the City of Winnipeg's next budget.

We are very disappointed that CEIR is not part of Winnipeg's Strategic Priorities Action Plan (SPAP) for the city's next budget, and we want this changed.

As you know, we are in a climate emergency. Droughts are increasingly causing crop failures across Manitoba and Canada, threatening Winnipeg's ability to feed itself. Increasingly powerful storms have been causing property damage to Winnipeg. It is imperative that the City of Winnipeg do everything in its power to reach net-zero at or before 2050.

CEIR will create 100 000 person years of employment, will pay for its investment twice over and will save the average household $4 500 per year as of 2050.

CEIR's implementation will reduce energy-poverty and benefit low-income and equity-seeking groups.

CEIR's implementation will reduce breathing issues and improve Winnipeg's mental health.

Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Ottawa, and Vancouver have all committed to similar plans.

Our residents have elected you on the promise that you will do what is best for them. Please live up to this expectation and do the right thing.

Sincerely,

Fridays For Future Winnipeg Manitoba