

A Bill to Fund Public Transportation to Decrease Carbon Emissions

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** A. The United States shall increase funding to state and local governments to fund
3 public transportation by 2.5 billion dollars every year for 4 years.

4 B. The funding for this legislation shall come from a carbon tax.

5 **SECTION 2.** A. “Public transportation” shall be defined as mass transit systems that provide
6 travel for fees per trip.

7 B. A carbon tax shall be defined as a tax implemented on the burning of fuels that
8 use carbon including, but not limited to, coal, oil, and gas.

9 **SECTION 3.** A. The Department of Transportation shall be in charge of enforcing the funding
10 of public transport.

11 B. The Department of Energy shall be in charge of enforcing a Carbon Tax.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2023.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Pine View School

A Resolution to Increase Funding for Solar Manufacturing

- 1 **WHEREAS,** The United States is currently dependent on nonrenewable energy resources; and
2 **WHEREAS,** Nonrenewable resources accounted for about 79% of total U.S. energy production
3 in 2020; and
4 **WHEREAS,** The use of these resources has tremendous environmental impacts; and
5 **WHEREAS,** Solar power is a renewable energy resource with minimal environmental impacts;
6 now, therefore, be it
7 **RESOLVED,** That the Student Congress here assembled calls for an increase in funding for
8 solar manufacturing.

Respectfully submitted,

Sickles High School