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AIR QUALITY ADVISORY BOARD RECOMMENDATION TO CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Fort Collins Air Quality Advisory Board

DATE: September 22, 2009

SUBJECT: Environmental Health Budget

Dear Mayor and members of City Council:

The Air Quality Advisory Board considered the City Manager's proposed budget at its 21 September meeting. In our review, we were particularly eager to see whether the budget fully implements the Climate Action Plan.

In the Environmental Health budget are three unfunded enhancements of the Climate Wise Program that are all needed to meet City Council's policy goals in the Climate Action Plan. We urge that they be funded. We further urge the Council to consider shifting the necessary funds into the Environmental Health budget in order to meet these important goals.

Please contact me if there is a question about this recommendation from the Air Quality Advisory Board.

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CC: Darin Atteberry, City Manager