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Follow me for a moment. The US and China put out roughly 17,519 million tons of CO2 combined per year. Vermont puts out roughly 5 million tons of CO2 per year. That's .0285% of just two countries (granted, two of the largest).

Our legislators spend millions of taxpayer's dollars trying to reduce Vermont's CO2 output. Our legislators propose in essence a carbon tax on Vermonters with the Clean Heat Standard. That's on top of skyrocketing property taxes, new payroll taxes and increased fees for everything under the sun, making it very difficult for ordinary folks to afford to live here.

Why don't we take all those resources trying to save the world and put them into a program to solve the homeless crisis in Vermont. (Vermont has the 2nd highest homeless population per capita in the US behind only NY, number one). We could provide housing and shelter needs as well as support programs and education to bring folks out of their homeless situation.

Tell the legislators to repeal the Clean Heat Standard, repeal Act 18 and to make the Global Warming Solutions Act realistic and achievable! We're going broke out hear! Is anyone listening?

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