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Subject: Gas Tax Increase, please

Dear Commissioners,

It has long been my opinion that gas taxes in the US, and specifically in California, are absurdly low, both from the point of view of tax revenue and moderating consumption of petroleum. I strongly support significant increases in gas taxes by California and endorse the opinions expressed by Joseph Bankman's op-ed piece, "A gas tax makes the most sense for California" in the San Jose Mercury News on 10 August 09,
http://www.mercurynews.com/ci_13034063?nclick_check=1

Thank you for considering this approach to taxation,

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