

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Margaret Matuck [earth.angel96@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:06 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Margaret Matuck  
56 Day Ave  
Westfield, MA 01085-3741

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Michael Pedini [crazywolf1955@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Michael Pedini  
821 S Main St  
Attleboro, MA 02703-6222  
(508) 455-5923

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dave Roitman [droitman1@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:59 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dave Roitman  
575 Bridge Rd Unit 9-2  
Florence, MA 01062-4543  
(413) 582-0404

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Sinead Lowrie [sinrulesok@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:56 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Sinead Lowrie  
30 Border St  
Scituate, MA 02066-1202

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Brian Mcpherson [brianmcpherson02@mac.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:56 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Brian Mcpherson  
23 Oak Knoll Rd  
Natick, MA 01760-1103

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dunja Moeller  
[dunja@workshopsforabetterlife.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:46 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dunja Moeller  
35 Fredrickson Rd  
Billerica, MA 01821-5314  
(978) 439-9956

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Bernard Couming [berniecouming@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:43 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Bernard Couming  
32 Camelot Ct  
Stoughton, MA 02072-6015  
(781) 344-3773

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Susan Hall-Burbine [shbandruth@live.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:42 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Susan Hall-Burbine  
PO Box 1793  
Mattapoisett, MA 02739-0446

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Kira Sullivan-Wiley [kira.s.wiley@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:40 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Kira Sullivan-Wiley  
102 Beacon St Apt 2  
Somerville, MA 02143-4304

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Curtis & Christiane Cutter [curtcutter@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:36 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Curtis & Christiane Cutter  
175 Commonwealth Ave Apt B  
Boston, MA 02116-2215  
(617) 267-5545

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Alicia Murchie [a.murchie@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:36 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Alicia Murchie  
108 Myrtle St  
Boston, MA 02114-4329

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Beth Wyandt [bwyandt@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:13 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Beth Wyandt  
150 Staniford St Apt 525  
Boston, MA 02114-2595  
(617) 670-0771

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ann Cohen [acohen47@charter.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:08 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Ann Cohen  
20 Inwood Rd  
Auburn, MA 01501-1115  
(508) 832-4454

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Diane Clayton [claytondiane2@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 6:00 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Diane Clayton  
160 Water St Apt 205  
Danvers, MA 01923-4100  
(413) 796-7881

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Joel Hurwitz [firingpin\_1@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:57 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Joel Hurwitz  
83 Elm St  
Leominster, MA 01453-3504  
(987) 840-9968

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Sally Dabrowski [sallyadabrowski@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:56 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Sally Dabrowski  
194 Salem St  
Boston, MA 02113-1187

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Beverly Weeks [bweeks@crocker.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:45 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Beverly Weeks  
26 Green Leaves Dr Unit 626  
Amherst, MA 01002-2681  
(413) 253-3049

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Michele Bailey  
[bailey.michele@rocketmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:33 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Michele Bailey  
PO Box 4264  
Fall River, MA 02723-0403

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Jane Winn [jane@thebeatnews.org]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:24 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal to a new conservation and renewable future

Jan 18, 2014

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Sincerely,

Jane Winn  
27 Highland Ave  
Pittsfield, MA 01201-2413  
(413) 230-7321

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Kathleen Mireault [kam8897@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:03 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Kathleen Mireault  
32 Oakview Ter # 2  
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130-4902

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Glenn Dansker [glenn.zen@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:01 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Glenn Dansker  
137 Mount Auburn St  
Cambridge, MA 02138-5725

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Robert Johnston [peridottt@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:36 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Robert Johnston  
268 North Main  
Andover, MA 01810  
(978) 470-1680

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Debbie Koundry [ddonofrio@snet.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:21 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Debbie Koundry  
61 Oakley Ln  
Waltham, MA 02452-5613

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Steven Bandler [sbandler@nltx.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Steven Bandler  
111 Devonshire St Fl 8  
Boston, MA 02109-5415  
(617) 314-2503

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Marguerite Toll [ritarenee@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Marguerite Toll  
2 River Street Pl  
Lynn, MA 01905-2617  
(617) 956-2846

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Michelle Tozer [red3micky@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:59 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Michelle Tozer  
19 Kennedy St  
North Dartmouth, MA 02747-2720

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Andrea Doukas [avdoukas@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:59 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Andrea Doukas  
168 Coolidge St  
Brookline, MA 02446-5859

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Garth Grimmer [grimmer1@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:45 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Garth Grimmer  
47 Goldfinch Dr  
Nantucket, MA 02554-6007  
(508) 228-8028

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dixie Brooke [dcbrooke@roadrunner.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:37 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dixie Brooke  
596 Water St  
Williamstown, MA 01267-2868

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dan Keldsen [dan.keldsen@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:35 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dan Keldsen  
157 Highland Ave  
Quincy, MA 02170-1437

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Edward Ganshirt [edganshirt@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:30 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

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Sincerely,

Edward Ganshirt  
48 Fletcher Ave  
Lexington, MA 02420-3720  
(781) 862-5749

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Gwen Young [cookiecop17@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:20 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Gwen Young  
PO Box 68  
Templeton, MA 01468-0068  
(978) 939-2499

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Anita Murray [anitamurray@me.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:18 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Anita Murray  
172 Forest St  
Saugus, MA 01906-1960  
(781) 640-7253

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Paul Mcgee [taria1@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:14 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Paul Mcgee  
29 Hale Ave  
Winthrop, MA 02152-2530  
(617) 846-0273

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** John Anderson [andersonjc37@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:02 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Cc:** John Anderson  
**Subject:** Support transition from coal to renewable energy

Dear Ms. Farrell,

As a constituent from Arlington, MA, I urge the Commonwealth to continue leading the nation and the world in moving forward in a transition to energy efficiency and clean, renewable energy.

I urge investments in:

- \* efficient electrical grid systems and "smart grid"
- \* real-time feedback and pricing to allow consumers both information and choice in how much and when they use electricity (i.e. programmable and "smart" thermostats", disclosure of operational costs for homes and buildings, real-time display of regional energy use from ISO New England)
- \* solar pv, solar hot water, geothermal, wind power and small hydro that doesn't block natural river flows

Before investments in fossil energy are authorized, I encourage:

- \* full cost accounting that includes upstream water quality protections and downstream air quality protections
- \* emissions of heat-trapping gases including carbon dioxide and methane

**“Please ensure that retiring coal plants in Massachusetts are redeveloped sustainably, not repowered with fossil fuels like natural gas.”**

**Thank you for your consideration,**

**John Anderson  
Arlington, MA**

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Roxy Gray [roxyjay5@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:55 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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Sincerely,

Roxy Gray  
5 Paddock Cir  
Canton, MA 02021-1750  
(781) 821-1526

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Carl Gershenson [cgershenson@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:42 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Carl Gershenson  
6 Hillside Cir  
Somerville, MA 02143-2326

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Julie Hagen [jkennie@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:28 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Julie Hagen  
10 Wheatfield Ln  
West Dennis, MA 02670-2123  
(508) 394-7394

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of June Chartier [june.chartier@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:01 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

June Chartier  
10 Beach Rose Ln  
Brewster, MA 02631-6208

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ania Grandbois [ania.grandbois@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:00 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Ania Grandbois  
1 King Ave  
Florence, MA 01062-1316

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of John MacDougall  
[john\_macdougall@uml.edu]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:54 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

John MacDougall  
175 Richdale Ave Apt 209  
Cambridge, MA 02140-3354  
(978) 692-3197

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Kathleen Melvin [kmelvink@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:51 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Kathleen Melvin  
154 Clifton St  
Malden, MA 02148-2527

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Bruce Balter [bpbalter@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:50 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Bruce Balter  
PO Box 106  
Oak Bluffs, MA 02557-0106  
(508) 696-7643

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Chris May [chrismay@roadrunner.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:29 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Chris May  
PO Box 1303  
Stockbridge, MA 01262-1303  
(413) 931-7007

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Judy Hobin [heyjud1@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:22 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Judy Hobin  
146 Birch St  
Roslindale, MA 02131-3432  
(617) 323-1605

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Joe Baranello [jmbara18@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:17 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Joe Baranello  
PO Box 87  
Woods Hole, MA 02543-0087

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Andrew Holland [abrianholland@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:16 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Andrew Holland  
401 Edmands Rd  
Framingham, MA 01701-3010  
(508) 877-1205

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Donna Newman [dnewman400@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:14 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Donna Newman  
PO Box 838  
Forestdale, MA 02644-0705  
(774) 994-7174

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Deborah Barolsky [deborahb@jcdsboston.org]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Deborah Barolsky  
159 Scituate St  
Arlington, MA 02476-7727  
(555) 555-5555

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Martin Neilands [martinn@apollo.lv]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 1:03 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Martin Neilands  
Lapotnes 16  
Riga, MA 01004

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Stephen Coleman [smrshare@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:53 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Stephen Coleman  
261 Adams St  
Holliston, MA 01746-1436  
(508) 429-0465

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Arthur and Lois Finstein [finstein@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:50 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Arthur and Lois Finstein  
9 Randy Rd  
Framingham, MA 01701-4529  
(111) 111-1111

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dorothy Carlo [dcarlo01@earthlink.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:50 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dorothy Carlo  
50 Montgomery Ave  
Holyoke, MA 01040-1314  
(413) 534-0728

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Stephen Silva [steve124@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:36 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Stephen Silva  
124 Titicut Rd  
Raynham, MA 02767-1527  
(508) 824-7345

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Nancy-Alyce Abbott [nancyabbott153@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:33 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Nancy-Alyce Abbott  
21 Old Lamberts Cove Rd  
Vineyard Haven, MA 02568-6722  
(508) 693-0383

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Barbara Rose [barbwired00@me.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:18 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal--It is our nation's responsibility

Jan 18, 2014

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Sincerely,

Barbara Rose  
140 Spring St  
Watertown, MA 02472-3405

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Kim Rendigs [rickim2@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:17 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Kim Rendigs  
70 Davis Rd  
Falmouth, MA 02540-2813  
(000) 000-0000

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Patricia Lane [planewrite@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 12:03 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Patricia Lane  
6 Ruthellen Rd  
Framingham, MA 01701-3841  
(508) 877-7498

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Richard Littauer [richard.littauer@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:59 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Richard Littauer  
8 Mill Pond Rd  
Truro, MA 02666  
(347) 784-6660

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Peter Kahigian [peter\_kahigian@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:47 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Peter Kahigian  
PO Box 6259  
Haverhill, MA 01831-6259

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Steven Robotnick [robot.bass@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 2:48 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Steven Robotnick  
90 Bradford St  
North Andover, MA 01845-1104  
(978) 688-5855

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Jack Paradise [jpar@pitt.edu]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 2:44 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Jack Paradise  
17 Brettwood Rd  
Belmont, MA 02478-2303  
(617) 489-0877

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Emily Lawler [msemily\_88@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 2:26 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

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Sincerely,

Emily Lawler  
16 America St Apt A  
Chicopee, MA 01013-1479

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Lauren Stone [stone\_lauren@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 1:39 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

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Sincerely,

Lauren Stone  
39 Highland Ave Apt 4  
Northfield, MA 01360-1159  
(413) 498-0194

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Eve Marin [evemarin@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 1:02 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Eve Marin  
28 Owl Dr  
Sharon, MA 02067-2945

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Halima Tiffany [4rochester@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:52 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

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Sincerely,

Halima Tiffany  
PO Box 63  
Rochester, MA 02770-0063  
(774) 849-5786

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Richard Warren [richard-warren@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:48 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Richard Warren  
273 River St  
Halifax, MA 02338-1710  
(781) 294-0589

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Andrew Johanson [ledfloyd87@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:44 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Andrew Johanson  
55 Reed St  
Cambridge, MA 02140-2413  
(678) 372-6080

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of L R Carter [squamcarters@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:27 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

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Sincerely,

L R Carter  
840 Cohannet St  
Taunton, MA 02780-4330  
(508) 822-3764

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Linda Howe [lhowe@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:12 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

Dear Farrell,

As the age of coal nears an end in Massachusetts, the communities that hosted and carried the burden for so long must now be given support for revitalization and redevelopment. Their success will depend on receiving appropriate resources to plan for redevelopment.. The state should be a partner in redevelopment and bring forth all available resources. Plant owners must also shoulder their responsibility to offer resources for planning post-retirement and transition.

We urge the Coal Task Force/Decommissioning Subcommittee to require a strong commitment from coal companies to assess and clean up sites and to work with communities to establish a workable transition plan. That collaboration must begin now, not when the plants close. I also support the Community Transitioning fund as found in H2935, which aids both worker and municipal transition.

All Massachusetts communities, and especially those hosting coal plants, desire a healthier economy and a healthier environment. Coal is a major source of climate change, and curbing its use is crucial. The state has cultivated ties to clean technology and innovative businesses--now is the time to use them. We urge you to focus on communities with coal plants for redevelopment so we can chart a new, green energy future for Massachusetts.

Sincerely,

Linda Howe  
66 Selwyn Rd  
Belmont, MA 02478-3556  
(617) 489-4552

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Carol Berkeley [carolberkeley@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:19 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Carol Berkeley  
10 Camelot Dr  
Boxford, MA 01921-1841  
(978) 887-5008

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of David Mickelsen [damickelsen@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:08 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

David Mickelsen  
67 Harland Rd  
Waltham, MA 02453-7642  
(339) 222-0339

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Melissa Fleming [melifleming@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:59 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Melissa Fleming  
46 Chase St  
Danvers, MA 01923-3228  
(978) 762-4699

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Nathaniel Stetson [nathaniel.stetson@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:55 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Nathaniel Stetson  
80 Robbins St  
Waltham, MA 02453-3926

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Karen Kieffer [kiefferkaren@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:26 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Karen Kieffer  
76 Elm St Apt 201  
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130-2942

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Janine Murphy [roguegalaxy@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:03 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Janine Murphy  
PO Box 776  
Easthampton, MA 01027-0776

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Patricia Konkle [kpkonk@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:51 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Patricia Konkle  
75 Page Rd Unit 1  
Bedford, MA 01730-1670

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Deborah Spencer [kodashila1@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:43 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Deborah Spencer  
12 Newport Dr  
Billerica, MA 01821-1401  
none

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Alyssa Love [alyalove@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:41 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Alyssa Love  
124 Black Birch Trl  
Florence, MA 01062-3610

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Heidi Rood [hmrood@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:40 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Heidi Rood  
10 Daniels Rd  
Mendon, MA 01756-1336

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Margaret McGinnis [margaretmcginnis@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:23 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Margaret McGinnis  
7 Rockview Rd  
Hull, MA 02045-3126  
(781) 925-1834

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Marion Thayer [wsthayerarch@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:19 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

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Sincerely,

Marion Thayer  
105 Marshall St  
Duxbury, MA 02332-5100  
(781) 934-2427

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Annie Laurie [callingannie@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:17 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Annie Laurie  
115 Sicard Ave  
Dracut, MA 01826-2568  
(978) 454-1007

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Tanya Merchant [mommy2dkk@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:14 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Tanya Merchant  
49 Lynn St  
Everett, MA 02149-4237

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Sunny Robinson  
[sun.beams@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 9:09 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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We in Massachusetts are blessed with air freshened in the mountains of the western part of our state and the oceans in the eastern; we are also plagued with pollution that blows in from the mid-west. We deserve the cleanest air and the greatest protections we can achieve from pollution. The local use of coal only jeopardizes our air and is no longer an acceptable option given the available alternatives. Communities deserve every possible support in the efforts to transition away from coal.

Sincerely,

Sunny Robinson  
20 Harvard St  
Gloucester, MA 01930-2509  
(978) 283-6049

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ardis Johnston [ajohnstonizmcz@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:58 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Ardis Johnston  
994 West St  
Stoughton, MA 02072-3838  
(781) 344-2276

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Seth Wilpan [sethwilpan@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:56 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Seth Wilpan  
200 Market St  
Lowell, MA 01852-1800  
(781) 791-3229

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ken Reeves [ken\_reeves@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:55 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Ken Reeves  
69 Border Rd  
Concord, MA 01742-4601  
(978) 369-0262

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Valerie Clark [vclark1947@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:42 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Valerie Clark  
18 Damon Rd  
Needham, MA 02494-1002

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Christina Kowalewski [cakowalewski@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:38 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Christina Kowalewski  
22 Kensington Park  
Lynn, MA 01902-3304  
(781) 581-6061

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Karen Tamulen [ktamulen@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:33 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Karen Tamulen  
PO Box 597  
East Templeton, MA 01438-0597  
(978) 413-6575

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of William And Donna Austin [billaus376@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:30 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

William And Donna Austin  
12 Queen Anne Ln  
Hingham, MA 02043-3904  
(781) 749-8778

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Charles Grant Walker [walker5757@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:25 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Charles Grant Walker  
71 Philadelphia St  
Teaticket, MA 02536-6748

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Alan Ticotsky [ticotsky@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:14 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Thanks for your service to our Commonwealth and nation.

Sincerely,

Alan Ticotsky  
11 Mason St  
Lexington, MA 02421-6327

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of R. Guidi [rguidi@berkshire.rr.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:11 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

R. Guidi  
curtis ave.  
Dalton, MA 01226

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Robert Console  
[bob\_console@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:09 PM  
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**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Robert Console  
27 Adams Dr  
Stow, MA 01775-1088

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Karen Sankey [ksankey@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Karen Sankey  
12 Jamies Path  
Plymouth, MA 02360-4980  
(508) 746-8482

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Frank Lord [fjlord@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 8:02 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Frank Lord  
1 Sandview Ter  
Mashpee, MA 02649-2871  
(508) 539-3378

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of James Keats [harpo52@netzero.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:59 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

James Keats  
27 Jeffrey Rd  
Springfield, MA 01119-2735  
(413) 783-7721

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Maggie Shields [magshields@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:52 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Maggie Shields  
380 Coburn Ave Apt 2  
Worcester, MA 01604-1205  
(508) 344-6285

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Elizabeth G. Burkhart [zabutoo@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:39 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Elizabeth G. Burkhart  
54 Montgomery Ave  
Holyoke, MA 01040-1314  
(413) 536-3263

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Rita Brody [rickybrody@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:31 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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MA

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Sincerely,

Rita Brody  
11 Wanamaker Dr  
East Falmouth, MA 02536-5184  
I am on the donotcall list.STOP

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Frederick Mahar [frdmhr@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:22 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
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Sincerely,

Frederick Mahar  
109 River St Apt 1  
West Springfield, MA 01089-3641  
(413) 303-0667

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Alexander Warren [zwarren@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:15 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 18, 2014

Lauren Farrell  
MA

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Sincerely,

Alexander Warren  
575 Osgood St Apt 3303  
North Andover, MA 01845-1978  
(978) 655-3665

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Joan And Dana Black [joan.c.black@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 7:08 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Joan And Dana Black  
46 Bartlett Ave  
Arlington, MA 02476-6418  
(781) 648-3361

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of James Martin [india100@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:46 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

James Martin  
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Bellingham, MA 02019-1705  
(508) 966-1194

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Pat Achorn [plachorn@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:40 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Pat Achorn  
385 N Main St  
Sharon, MA 02067-1132  
(781) 784-8983

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Wendi Quest [wenquest@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:40 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Wendi Quest  
234 Main St  
Medford, MA 02155-4538  
(781) 396-0811

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Anne Wangh [awangh@lasell.edu]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:40 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Anne Wangh  
80 Seminary Ave  
Auburndale, MA 02466-2649  
(617) 244-2909

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Robert Jones [bob@rideocelot.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:38 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Robert Jones  
23 Samuels Path  
Harwich, MA 02645-2500  
(774) 353-7218

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Myrna Johnston [mjaudio@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:33 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Myrna Johnston  
8 Spring Park Ave  
Boston, MA 02130-2132

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Dorothy Anderson  
[gramdot@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:31 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Dorothy Anderson  
125 River St  
North Weymouth, MA 02191-2233  
(781) 335-1051

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Louise Smith [louise.smith@umb.edu]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:27 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Louise Smith  
185 North St  
Hingham, MA 02043-1871

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Hannah Banks  
[hbankstoo@earthlink.net]  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 18, 2014 11:18 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Hannah Banks  
107 Garland Rd  
Newton, MA 02459-1741  
(617) 236-1876

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Eugene Brusin [gene4deb@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 10:36 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Eugene Brusin  
73 Edison St  
Quincy, MA 02169-5638  
(617) 479-4552

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Margaret Bullitt-Jonas [margaretbj@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 10:31 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** no natural gas for coal-fired plants

I urge you to make sure that retired coal plants in Massachusetts are re-developed for clean, safe, renewable energy, not for more fossil fuels, such as natural gas. We need to move swiftly to an economy that is based on sustainable sources of energy, not on fossil fuels. Once considered a "bridge" fuel to cleaner energy, natural gas in fact releases methane -- a potent greenhouse gas -- in the course of its development. And fracking can contaminate ground water and produce other dire environmental side-effects.

As a person of faith, I believe we can do better. Let's turn away from fossil fuels and create a better future for Massachusetts.

Peace,

Margaret

The Rev. Margaret Bullitt-Jonas  
Missioner for Creation Care  
Episcopal Diocese of Western Massachusetts  
[margaretbj@aol.com](mailto:margaretbj@aol.com)  
[www.holyhunger.org](http://www.holyhunger.org)

*"Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit."*

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Meredith Cody [merrycody@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 10:26 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Meredith Cody  
23 Florence St  
Andover, MA 01810-3610  
(978) 475-6505

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Kurtis Beauchamp  
[kurtisdavid@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 9:39 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Kurtis Beauchamp  
573 State Rd  
North Adams, MA 01247-3044  
(413) 664-4131

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Jan Krause Greene [jan.krause@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 9:16 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** repowering coal plants

Dear Laurel,

Please pass this message on to the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs:

As coal plants in Massachusetts are retired, please redevelop them sustainably without the use of fossil fuels such as natural gas. It is crucial that we find solutions to our energy needs that come from renewable sources. We can not rely on natural gas for a variety of reasons.

First of all, we don't really know how long before we run out of U.S. sources of natural gas. <http://www.forbes.com/sites/peterdetwiler/2012/12/17/just-how-long-will-us-gas-supplies-last/>

Secondly, natural gas supplies are currently not abundant enough to meet the current energy needs. <http://www.businessinsider.com/dont-count-on-natural-gas-to-solve-us-energy-problems-2011-2#>

Thirdly, the projected increases in the amount of natural gas reflect shale gas and shale gas production uses fracking which has been demonstrated to be very harmful to the environment.

Instead of moving to another non-renewable, environment-harming source of energy, please let Massachusetts be a state that leads the way in developing and using renewable sources. Sun, wind, plant-based renewable energy are all being developed. If the brain power in this state and the money you must spend anyway are put towards the creation of long-term viable renewable energy, Massachusetts will have served its people well and will have helped the rest of the country do the same.

Please don't take the "easy way out" by re-developing coal plants with gas or oil. We owe it to ourselves, our children and future generations to make the shift from coal the right way. We really have no choice if we care at all about those who will live with our decisions.

Sincerely,

Jan Krause Greene, 304 Robert Road, Marlborough, MA 01752

Jan Krause Greene

author of

*I Call Myself Earth Girl*

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## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Mary Lambert  
[lamberttrebmal@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 7:10 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Mary Lambert  
402 Pleasant St  
Marlborough, MA 01752-7223

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Patricia Rosenthal [johnpatr@sbcglobal.net]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 5:47 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Patricia Rosenthal  
100 Newbury Ct Apt 511  
Concord, MA 01742-4158  
(978) 341-8249

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Liz Olson [nekoni\_6@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 4:23 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Liz Olson  
7 Tremlett Rd  
Billerica, MA 01821-5649  
(978) 987-7344

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Paula Posnick [paula@fprhome.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 4:00 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Paula Posnick  
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## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Webmail ejohns [ejohns@ecoisp.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 20, 2014 12:45 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** written testimony re Brayton Point, in Somerset, MA

Dear Secretary Sullivan and Salem Harbor Revitalization Task force members,

As a member of the Somerset/SouthCoast/Massachusetts Coalition for Clean Air I thank you for holding a public meeting of the Salem Harbor Revitalization Task Force (SHRTF) meeting in Somerset, MA on Monday, 1/6/14 from 6 - 8 PM, airing concerns of local citizens about the closing of the two coals plants located in Somerset, the affects the closings will have on the town, and the need to plan for a 'Just Transition', including efforts to help the coal plant workers retrain and find new jobs.

I also thank you for allowing time for interested parties to send in their ideas in writing.

I'm hoping to view the meeting again on Cable TV. I learned a great deal listening to those who spoke.

I was and am pleased that the on-going clean-up and ownership problems of Montaup/Somerset Station (coal plant closed since 2010), were brought up. The current stalled revitalization of this small plant due to market forces which aren't working to the benefit of Somerset, highlights the need for the SHRTF's mission.

Brayton Point's transition / revitalization is off to a better start given the collaborative results already achieved (e.g., Representative Haddad's monetary effort, and our own citizen's group effort to begin visioning and planning).

Therefore, during the visioning and planning processes for Brayton Point and Montaup/Somerset Station, I urge the SHRTF to 1) continue periodic updates to the public (and SouthCoast legislators) about the SHRTF's progress, through the variety of media available, as well as public hearings. 2) Encourage/require the Town of Somerset to engage the public in a robust visioning and planning process by appointing a committee of concerned citizens to study the local longterm and short-term economic, environmental, and social issues involved, and any others that emerge through the process. In turn, the Town's Revitalization Committee must engage the community so that as many good ideas as possible can be heard, evaluated, and when appropriate, acted upon.

The recent water pollution problems in West Virginia and the fact that **mercury** is still part of the emissions from coal plants (even though the emissions may have been reduced by current law and technological advances) say to me that elimination of the use of this fossil fuel must happen. The scientists tell us that 1/70 of a teaspoon of mercury is enough to poison all the fish in a 25 acre lake. And this is only one of thousands of chemicals polluting our air, water, and soil, without which all breathing life on Earth will die. The good news is, that once we stop polluting, these precious commodities are able to rejuvenate relatively quickly. I know that changing over from fossil fuel use is a complicated issue, but the bottom line is that we are poisoning ourselves.

Therefore, I'm in favor of dismantling and cleaning up both coal plant sites, and reusing them in ways that support longterm as well as short-term benefits for Somerset, The SouthCoast, Massachusetts, and the planet. Revitalizing can happen: 1) Non-polluting industries, 2) marine science /industry, and/or 3) recreational uses, and/or 4) residential developments on both sites will be very positive additions to the town of Somerset and the area, especially if 5) public access to the Harbor and Narragansett Bay are part of the plans.

Furthermore a feasibility study of re-powering Brayton Point as a Renewable Energy Electricity Generating Plant, using solar, wind, and other available renewable energy sources needs to happen.

I wish for you ever expanding courage and compassion as you consider these challenges, along with increasing creativity, intelligence, and patience (!) so that the most effective and life-enhancing "Just Transition" for us all may occur.

Sincerely,  
Emily Johns  
1580 Purchase Street  
New Bedford, MA 02740  
[508-994-2164](tel:508-994-2164)

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Bobby Wengronowitz [bobbywego@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:50 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Retire murderous coal plants

To: Lauren Farrell  
From: Robert Wengronowitz and Rebecca Romatoski  
410 Memorial Dr. #542  
Cambridge, MA 02139  
Re: Mass energy future

What a great piece of legislation we in the Commonwealth have with the 2008 Global Warming Solutions Act. However, emissions reductions of 80% by 2050 is a nearly meaningless statement if we continue to release greenhouse gasses at anything close to the current rate. Cumulative emissions is all that matters, and the faster we can decrease emissions, the better our chances for slowing climate instability. The prudent path would be to retire all fossil fuel plants as they near the end of their life. We must not build ANY new fossil fuel power plants. The energy needs of the Commonwealth can be met through improved efficiency and conservation as well as by renewables. The Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative has shown us that efficiency upgrades are a win for the economy, consumers and ultimately the future residents of the Commonwealth. While Mass has done modestly well with renewables in the form of solar, we are yet to utilize the abundant wind that roars along our coast. All the energy we need is right there (see ISO's own Northeast Coordinated System Plan). And workers need a just transition as we move away from fossil fuels, their previous employer. Good thing though, building the renewable energy production and necessary infrastructure requires their labor and many more.

Please, let our Commonwealth be a leader in fighting for climate stability--a climate recognizable to my partner and I, and the children we'd like to have.

Sincerely,

Robert Wengronowitz  
Rebecca Romatoski

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Dana Demetrio [dana1187@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:49 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Comment for the Executive Office on Energy and Environmental Affairs

Dear Ms. Farrell,

Coal power plants in Massachusetts should be redeveloped sustainably. Please do not allow these sites to be re-powered with natural gas or other fossil fuels.

Redeveloping former coal plants with natural gas is not a good solution, and would only continue to cause problems for our state by emitting greenhouse gases that contribute to climate change, as well as air pollution that makes people sick. Our state's priority should be to significantly reduce our use of fossil fuels. We should replace coal plants with renewable energy, and the old coal plant sites should be used in ways that truly benefit the health of our local communities.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Dana Demetrio

15 Foch St. Apt 1

Cambridge, MA 02140

[Dana1187@yahoo.com](mailto:Dana1187@yahoo.com)

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of David Kelley [shadowrunner2525@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:30 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

David Kelley  
181 BPRE  
Marlborough, MA 01752-3523  
(999) 999-9999

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of David Kelley [shadowrunner2525@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:23 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Jean Foster [jean@jeanfoster.org]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:18 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Thoughts about decommissioning of power plants

Dear Ms. Farrell,

I'm a resident of Cambridge and I am writing because I am concerned about climate change and what Massachusetts is doing to address this critical problem.

Regarding the decommissioning and repurposing of coal plants in Massachusetts, I believe we need to move away from all fossil fuels including gas. Gas is still carbon producing and we must stop building plants that add to climate change by putting more carbon into the atmosphere. It's time to support green energy initiatives such as wind and solar.

Regards,  
Jean Foster

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Jonathan Kava [jonathan.kava@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:58 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Decommissioning of Power Plants in MA

**Dear Lauren Farrell,**

**Please ensure that retiring coal plants in Massachusetts are redeveloped sustainably, not repowered with fossil fuels like natural gas.**

**This would be a major step backward, providing more motivation for environmentally harmful activities like fracking.**

**It would also squander an opportunity to seek sustainable solutions to our global carbon pollution problems.**

**Thank You,  
Jonathan Kava**

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Carolyn Barthel [carolynbarthel@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:45 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Do not repower coal plant sites with natural gas

Dear Ms. Farrell,

As the coal plants at Salem and Brayton Point are scheduled to shut down in the near future, there may be a temptation to repower them with natural gas. However, natural gas as a fossil fuel will directly contribute to the carbon emissions of the state.

If Massachusetts is going to achieve the goals set in the forward-thinking Global Warming Solutions Act of 2008 of 80% reduction of carbon emissions at 1990 levels by 2050, we must decommission all fossil fuel plants and replace the energy infrastructure with sustainable solutions, such as renewables, energy efficiency and conservation.

The urgency of the climate crisis demands we take bold and unprecedented action; we cannot operate any longer on a "business as usual" basis. To do so would be at minimum, irresponsible, and at most, immoral.

Sincerely,  
Carolyn Barthel  
50 Asylum Street  
Mendon, MA 01756

Life is a daring adventure or nothing.  
~Helen Keller

I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something, and because I cannot do everything, I will not refuse to do something that I can do.  
~Edward Everett Hale

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Rand Barthel [randkbarthel@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:24 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Citizen comment on the decommissioning of coal-fired power plants

Dear Ms. Farrell:

I am writing to you as a citizen deeply concerned about climate change and determined to see Massachusetts play a leading role in responding to the defining crisis of this century. I understand that your office, the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, held a public hearing recently about the decommissioning of the Brayton Point coal-fired power plant in Somerset. I heard that your office is still collecting public comments about the issue of decommissioning, redeveloping, or re-powering of old fossil fuel power plants that have reached the end of their lives.

My concern here is that if we allow major coal-fired power plants to be re-commissioned and re-powered by natural gas, it will cause Massachusetts to fail to meet its 2050 targets for greenhouse gas reductions under the Global Warming Solutions Act. Natural gas produces less carbon dioxide than coal per unit of energy produced, but it is still a fossil fuel. It is vitally important that we as a state be part of the solution, not part of the problem. That means making a firm commitment that from now on, when we replace obsolete fossil-fuel infrastructure, we will replace it with something sustainable.

Sincerely,

Rand Barthel  
50 Asylum Street  
Mendon MA 01756

Sincerely yours,

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Laurie Brandt [lauriebrandt@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:17 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Don't replace coal with natural gas

I oppose replacing coal power with natural gas power at Brayton Point and Salem. Natural gas is a threat to our environment. Please replace coal with ecologically sound energy such as solar.

Sincerely,  
Laurie Brandt  
79 Dover St.  
Somerville MA 02144  
617-666-4269

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Wes Nickerson [helperwes@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:06 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Just say no to fossil fuels

Please make sure that retiring coal plants in Massachusetts are redeveloped with sustainable energy sources like solar or wind energy, not dead-end fossil fuels like natural gas that contribute to the climate change crisis. The future is in our hands.

Thank you,

Wes Nickerson  
15 Murray Hill Rd.  
Cambridge, MA 02140

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Christine Hoguet [tinib85@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 6:55 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

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Sincerely,

Christine Hoguet  
235 Rawson Rd Apt 3  
Brookline, MA 02445-4425  
(617) 858-9903

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Brian Gagnon [brianggn76@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 4:06 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Brian Gagnon  
6 Warwick Rd  
Franklin, MA 02038-3308

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Lori Visioli [loriag215@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

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Sincerely,

Lori Visioli  
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Tewksbury, MA 01876-1869  
(718) 813-2979

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Bill Holland [wm.holland@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 1:04 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Power plant conversion

I am pleased to see that Massachusetts policy is leading to the de-commissioning of coal-fired power plants. However, it is very unfortunate that planners are looking to gas-fired plants as replacements. It is most inappropriate to be building future power infrastructure with fossil fuel powered generation facilities. Right now gas is deceptively cheap and the harm from fracking and from greenhouse gas emissions is overlooked and underplayed. Gas is definitely a cleaner fuel than coal, but the difference is insufficient to address climate change concerns. Massachusetts needs to be doing more. Let's put our resources toward building a sustainable future rather than wasting money to "buy time" for a couple more years.

William Holland  
223 Webster Street  
West Newton, MA  
617-905-8614

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ben Pelto [bpelto@cns.umass.edu]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:42 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Ben Pelto  
253 Shutesbury Rd  
Leverett, MA 01054-9714  
(774) 261-0832

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Gail Weston-Roberts [weston-roberts@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:07 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Gail Weston-Roberts  
26 Western Ave  
Natick, MA 01760-4847  
(508) 655-9026

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Geoff Martin [geoffrey.martin1211@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 12:00 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Geoff Martin  
179c Lakeshore Rd  
Boxford, MA 01921-1005  
(978) 828-2147

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Eric Chetkauskas [zughiaq@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:57 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Eric Chetkauskas  
9 Pleasant Hill Ave  
Boston, MA 02126-2813

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Carol Gignoux [carol@liveadhdfree.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:51 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Carol Gignoux  
8 Furnival Rd  
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130-2437  
(617) 983-5007

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Annette Cleary [acleary100@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:42 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Annette Cleary  
30 Berkeley Dr  
Chelmsford, MA 01824-1102  
(978) 244-0229

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ann Woll [twoll@mit.edu]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:34 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Ann Woll  
79 Dana St  
Cambridge, MA 02138-4310

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Virginia Jastromb [vjastromb@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:27 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

Jan 19, 2014

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MA

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Sincerely,

Virginia Jastromb  
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Northampton, MA 01060-1709  
(413) 727-3328

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** joedimauro13@gmail.com on behalf of Joe Di Mauro [JDiMauro@coalitionforsocialjustice.org]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:26 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Comments to Statewide Coal Task Force

My name is Joe Di Mauro and I'm representing the hundreds of volunteers and staff members from the Coalition for Social Justice. In late 2013 the Global Carbon Budget was released and also bluntly suggested that if we do not globally shrink our carbon omission of fossil fuels- we will start seeing negative effects in just 22 years. In 22 years, I will be 41 years old. Please take a moment to ask yourself, where will you be in 22 years- and if it's still young enough to regret not making a change when it landed in front of our faces. We as a community have to be on the front lines of this fight and work to remove essentially the "tumor" of this environment and replace it with a cleaner form of energy. One that will benefit the people of Somerset, the surrounding communities, transitioning/retraining workers and the generations after us. Speaking on behalf of the Coalition for Social Justice, we ask that the people of Somerset are given the opportunity to work in making decisions during this redevelopment process; Thank you.

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### **Joe Di Mauro**

#### **Grassroots Coordinator**

Coalition for Social Justice

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Fall River, MA 02720

Office: (508)678-5497

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**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Shoshana Blank [shoshanablank@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 11:17 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Don't switch from coal to natural gas

Dear Ms. Farrell,

I live in Davis Square, Somerville (02144) and I am a concerned citizen when it comes to many environmental issues.

It's great news that we are retiring many coal plants in Massachusetts. Climate change is an emergency for all of us, and getting rid of the dirtiest form of energy is a giant step in the right direction.

But why would we decide to replace coal plants with another type of fossil fuel, when climate change is here now and we have to act? Natural gas, in the very best case scenario reduces emissions from coal by half, but the likelihood of this is very slim. As you know, the jury is out on the amount of emissions in the lifecycle of natural gas sequestration, and many studies say that the entire process may in fact be worse for the climate than coal extraction. This is due to the abundant methane emissions leaking out of the fracking process, which are 20 times stronger than carbon emissions in the greenhouse gas effect.

Natural gas will not help our state reduce emissions levels significantly. Renewables, such as wind and solar, will reduce emissions by 100%. Shouldn't we shift our infrastructure over to the future form of energy, creating jobs while we do it?

Thanks,  
Shoshana Blank

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Brad Arrigo [bradarrigo@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:42 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Brad Arrigo

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## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Margaret Maxwell [hsidneymaxwell@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:30 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Margaret Maxwell  
50 Prospect St  
Franklin, MA 02038-3402  
(508) 528-6763

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Karen Khan [karenlee135@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:11 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Karen Khan  
1990 East St  
Pittsfield, MA 01201-3816  
(413) 442-1002

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Margaret Chisholm [mhchisholm@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:03 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Margaret Chisholm  
78 Shephard Rd  
Medford, MA 02155-2167

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Monica Raymond [femmevox@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 9:42 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Monica Raymond  
57 Brookline St  
Cambridge, MA 02139-4141  
(617) 945-1496

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Marjorie Crockett [yogawithmarjorie@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 9:38 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Marjorie Crockett  
65 Palmer St  
Arlington, MA 02474-5229  
(617) 625-9631

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Robert Childs [rchilds618@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:56 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Robert Childs  
120 Garden St  
Cambridge, MA 02138-6723  
(617) 354-1614

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Jeanne Tweedy [jeannetbt@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:54 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Jeanne Tweedy  
10 Adams St  
Taunton, MA 02780-2504  
(508) 822-4820

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Cris Van Dyke [cris\_vandyke@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:47 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Cris Van Dyke  
344 Barretts Mill Rd  
Concord, MA 01742-1532  
(978) 621-7822

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of J Boucher [jae1of4@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:43 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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J Boucher  
S. County rd  
Florida, MA 01247

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Linda Leonard [georgesk2420@netscape.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:30 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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Sincerely,

Linda Leonard  
17 Franklin St  
Danvers, MA 01923-2909  
(978) 774-8920

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Nancy Matesanz [nmatesanz@verizon.net]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:29 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Sincerely,

Nancy Matesanz  
32 Crane Ave  
Maynard, MA 01754-1451  
(978) 897-3125

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Ann Searing [annsearing@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 8:25 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Ann Searing  
483 Canton Ave  
Milton, MA 02186-3217  
(617) 696-1994

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Douglas Mason [doug02120@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 7:45 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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Douglas Mason  
1575 Tremont St  
Roxbury Crossing, MA 02120-7000

## Farrell, Lauren (EEA)

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of John Gurvitch [drjawn@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 7:21 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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John Gurvitch  
PO Box 4455  
Springfield, MA 01101-4455

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of David Hopkins  
[eandd.maplewood@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 7:13 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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David Hopkins  
7 Ridgewood Ln  
Bedford, MA 01730-1230  
(617) 275-6115

**Farrell, Lauren (EEA)**

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**From:** Sierra Club [information@sierraclub.org] on behalf of Jillian Forschner [jillian234@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 19, 2014 6:15 AM  
**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
**Subject:** Support communities transitioning beyond coal

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**To:** Farrell, Lauren (EEA)  
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