

February 8, 2021

United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Re: Support Michael Regan for EPA Administrator

Dear Senator.

The League of Conservation Voters (LCV) works to turn environmental values into national priorities. Each year, LCV publishes the National Environmental Scorecard, which details the voting records of members of Congress on environmental legislation. The Scorecard is the nationally accepted yardstick used to rate members of Congress on environmental, public health, and energy issues and is distributed to LCV members, concerned voters, and the media.

LCV urges you to support the nomination of Michael Regan to be the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. Regan will rebuild the EPA, restore the central role of science in decision making, and advance protections for our health. During his confirmation hearing, Regan committed to be guided by science and the law in leading the agency's role to address the climate, racial justice, economic and public health crises.

Regan has received bipartisan praise for his record of engaging stakeholders to build consensus and fighting for environmental justice for North Carolina communities exposed to toxic pollution. As the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality Secretary, Regan gained invaluable experience, from confronting pollution from runoff from hog farms and toxic PFAS chemicals in drinking water to negotiating an historic coal ash settlement with Duke Energy.

LCV urges you to support the nomination of Michael Regan to be EPA Administrator. We will strongly consider including votes on this nomination in the 2021 Scorecard. If you need more information, please contact a member of our government relations team.

Sincerely,

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