

LETTER

A needed tax

'Judy Weiss, Brookline, Mass.'

For the Monitor

Sunday, July 15, 2012

Re 'Time for U.S. to tax carbon emissions' (Monitor editorial, July 12):

Thank you for your clear, thoughtful and prescient editorial which explained why a carbon tax is necessary, how it will help and that federal legislators must be ready to pass such a tax next year.

Since 75 percent of Americans agree that the federal government should do something about carbon emissions, and 60 percent agree the federal government should institute a tax on carbon, Americans need to vote this year only for candidates who support a revenue-neutral tax on carbon (such as the tax proposed in H.R. 3242).

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