

Gov. Baker needs to take stand on carbon pricing

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Thank you for publishing the oped article by Tim Brennan and Marc Breslow which reviewed [carbon pricing proposals for Massachusetts](#).

However, their article doesn't mention the one thing I would like to know: does Governor Baker support state level carbon pricing and would he sign this type of legislation? If so, why hasn't the Governor proposed his own version of state carbon pricing legislation instead of the energy bill he just proposed which looks to buy hydro power from Canada?

It seems to me that his bill is another example of government choosing a "winner" (foreign hydro electricity) instead of government letting the free market decide the winning option (which is what carbon pricing attempts to do).

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