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May 31, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W.
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Administrator Pruitt,

I am writing to follow-up on my earlier requests for a public debate and discussion in my congressional district on the science of climate change and merits of action to address it. Such a debate is of even greater significance in light of reports of President Trump's decision to withdraw from the historic Paris Agreement.

As I have stated in previous invitations, in your time as Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and as Attorney General of Oklahoma, you have made statements denying the science of man-made climate change and have downplayed the need for urgent and decisive action to address causes of climate change and the impacts which are already inevitable.

Most Americans not only disagree with your position and support federal climate action, but they have enthusiastically supported the United States' participation in the Paris Agreement, which you and the President have worked relentlessly to undermine.

The details for this debate are as follows:

Date: June 5, 2017
Time: 6:30 – 7:30 pm CST
Location: Stage 773, 1225 West Belmont, Chicago, 60657

If you'd like to join me for this discussion, please reach out to my office via phone at (202) 225-4061.

Sincerely,

Mike Quigley