

With Momentum Building, Historic Climate Change Progress is Possible in 2020

Momentum for potentially historic climate and energy innovation legislation appears to be growing on Capitol Hill, and the Chamber is proud to be part of a diverse coalition working to make it happen.

The Chamber's Senior Vice President of Policy, Marty Durbin explains more in the latest [Above the Fold piece](#).

Why it matters: Earlier this month, the Chamber helped drive consensus among industry stakeholders and environmental groups in support of a [deal to phase out hydrofluorocarbons](#) (HFCs) nationwide over the next 15 years. Simultaneously, the Chamber led a diverse coalition of think tanks, environmental and industry organizations urging Congress to enact bipartisan legislation to [increase federal R&D](#) and facilitate demonstration and commercialization of these critical technologies.

Looking ahead: Before the week's end, the House has the opportunity to pass significant climate and energy innovation legislation. The Senate also has an opportunity to take up its much-anticipated innovation package before the end of year.

Bottom line: Inaction is not an option, and we should move forward with sensible solutions that get results.

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