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Democrat climate change plans are unrealistic, inefficient and costly

Washington, D.C. – The Alliance for Market Solutions (AMS) issued the following statement regarding the plans offered by Democrats to address climate change:

“Over the last two nights the Democratic field doubled down on their ideas to address climate change with trillions in federal spending, more regulations, and increased subsidies aimed at coercing trillions more in private sector spending,” said Alex Flint, executive director of AMS. “And most candidates continued to enthusiastically support the Green New Deal—which would cost taxpayers trillions of dollars.”

“These are unrealistic, inefficient and costly plans. Republicans need an effective, market-based alternative, especially with more voters demanding action on climate change,” Flint continued. “A revenue-neutral carbon tax can spur economic growth and transform our energy economy without growing our government. That beats every Democratic idea.”

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Alliance for Market Solutions (AMS) is an organization of conservative leaders with experience in business, government, and the intellectual community who know that markets and economic incentives are the most powerful drivers of change and are more efficient and effective than top-down regulation. We aim to educate conservative policymakers on the benefits of market-oriented solutions to one of America’s most pressing economic challenges: advancing clean energy and reducing carbon pollution.

The carbon tax policy we support is consistent with a pro-growth conservative agenda. It would replace costly regulations and prevent new regulations from burdening families and job creators. And it would eliminate economically harmful taxes on investment and family incomes.

AMS is a 501(c)(3) non-profit educational organization. We don’t engage in electoral politics on behalf of any candidate, campaign or party. We are recruiting allies and developing policy analyses to help conservative policymakers consider a pro-growth, conservative carbon tax policy.