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Request for proposals: The conservative case for carbon taxation versus regulation

Washington, D.C. — The Alliance for Market Solutions (AMS) today announced the release of a new request for proposals (RFP) for policy analyses of a revenue-neutral carbon tax as a way to address carbon pollution.

The fourth RFP AMS has issued since its inception in 2017, the organization seeks to sponsor research studies suited for a public policy audience. Proposals should include analysis of a revenue-neutral carbon tax as it:

1. Compares to other policy responses to climate change (e.g., regulations and subsidies);  
2. Relates to topics in the ongoing national debate about various policy responses to climate change; or  
3. Relates to other matters in the field of economics, public policy, or political economy.

AMS intends to distribute multiple individual research awards in the range of $10,000 to $35,000 based on a proposal’s scope and, if relevant, the adequacy of support (i.e., resources) from the applicant’s institution.

Proposals are due July 1, 2020, but early submissions are encouraged. Awards are anticipated to be announced by July 31, 2020.

For more details, including evaluation criteria and submission requirements, download the full RFP here.

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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.