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I submit the following comments and suggested changes to the proposed resolution:

Recital "1" of the proposed resolution should be deleted because it contradicts science. The latest and most reliable research establishes that concentrations of the greenhouse gas carbon dioxide today (400 ppm) are 12 times less than during the Late Ordovician Ice Age 440 million years ago (4400 ppm). [Nasif Nahle, *Geologic Global Climate Changes*, March 14, 2007,

http://www.biocab.org/Climate_Geologic_Timescale.html, accessed February 17, 2017; Monte Hieb, *Climate and the Carboniferous Period*, updated March 21, 2009, http://geocraft.com/WVFossils/Carboniferous_climate.html, accessed February 17, 2017] Thus, science has established that there is no correlation between rising carbon dioxide concentrations and global warming. This renders recital "1" false.

Recital "3" of the proposed resolution should be deleted because the latest and most reliable scientific research establishes that it will be more than 150 years before the global average temperature increases more than 2 degrees Celsius above the average temperature in 1850. [C3 Headlines, *Empirical Evidence: Chart of Global Temperatures & CO2 Growth Since 1850*, February 1, 2015, derived from HadCRUT4 (HC4) global temperature dataset, <u>http://www.c3headlines.com/2015/02/empirical-evidence-chart-of-globaltemperatures-co2-growth-since-1850.html</u>, accessed February 17, 2017] Therefore, the objective of recital "3" is moot.

Thank you for considering my comments.

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