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## Congress of the United States House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

January 7, 1974

Mr. Larry G. Tracewell Buckhannon-Upshur High School Buckhannon, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Tracewell:

Thank you very much for your letter of recent date signed also by other members of the faculty of Buckhannon-Upshur High School.

I deeply appreciate hearing from you and note your opposition to any proposals for raising prices of gasoline as a means of conserving our national energy. Needless to say, I agree with you wholeheartedly. In fact, I think this is the wrong way to accomplish anything and especially to bring about a solution to our present crisis.

As you know, of course, the House and Senate did take action on this legislation during the last days of the First Session. In all probability, it will be one of the first items to be considered when the Second Session of the 93rd Congress convenes.

Again, thank you very much for the benefit of your views.

With very best wishes to you and yours, I am

Sincerely yours,

HARLEY O. STACGERS

Buckhannon, WV 26201 December 11, 1973

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Honorable Harley O. Staggers House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Staggers:

The recent fuel crisis has prompted many suggestions for conserving gasoline. Since the working citizen must rely on his automobile for transportation to and from work, we protest the outragous rise in the cost of gasoline and the proposed addition of higher taxes as a means of curtailing gasoline consumption.

We realize that some measures must be taken to conserve fuel, but we feel the most equitable measures would be to ban luxury uses and move toward rationing.

We, the undersigned, are members of the faculty of Buckhannon-Upshur High School, Buckhannon, West Virginia.

Bott. h. H. H. Winte Sincerely yours, Rott. h. H. H. Sincerely yours,