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House Conservatives to Tour Houston, TX Clean Energy Innovation

Washington, DC – Friday May 20, 2022 – ClearPath is hosting a Congressional delegation in Houston, Texas on May 23-25 on an educational site visit to meet with American clean energy innovators and grid operators who are keeping our grid secure, maintaining American competitiveness with China and Russia, as well as companies and stakeholders who are working to deploy clean energy.

“During this educational site visit, Members will have the opportunity to dive deeper into a few American industries and technologies working to make the global clean energy transition cheaper and faster,” **said Rich Powell, CEO, ClearPath.** “America is blessed with an abundance of natural resources, from fossil fuels to critical rare earth minerals. We can lead on mitigating the global climate challenge while making energy affordable and regaining our place as the global energy leader.”

Some of the educational activities the Members of Congress will participate in include:

- Receiving a presentation on and touring the site of the NET Power carbon capture pilot project, the world’s first large-scale supercritical carbon dioxide power plant.
- Receiving educational briefings on ERCOT, grid security, and Class VI carbon storage well permitting efforts in the state.
- Touring the Houston Ship Channel, the home to dozens of industrial facilities, including power generators, refineries and petrochemical plants. Several companies along the ship channel and in the Houston industrial area are working to advance a carbon capture and storage hub.

Members who will join the tour include :

- Rep. Brian Babin (R-TX)
- Rep. Michael Burgess (R-TX)
- Rep. John Curtis (R-UT)
- Rep. Paul Gosar (R-AZ)
- Rep. Bill Johnson (R-OH)
- Rep. Debbie Lesko (R-AZ)
- Rep. Carol Miller (R-WV)
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- Rep. Greg Pence (R-IN)
- Rep. Randy Weber (R-TX)

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ABOUT CLEARPATH

ClearPath (501(c)(3)) was established by businessman Jay Faison in 2014. ClearPath's mission is to develop and advance policies that accelerate breakthrough innovations that reduce emissions in the energy and industrial sectors. To advance that mission, we develop cutting-edge policy solutions on clean energy and industrial innovation. An entrepreneurial, strategic nonprofit, ClearPath (501(c)(3)) collaborates with public and private sector stakeholders on innovations in nuclear energy, carbon capture, hydropower, natural gas, geothermal, energy storage, and heavy industry to enable private-sector deployment of critical technologies. Learn more at clearpath.org. Follow us on Twitter: @JayFaison1, @powellrich, @ClearPathAction