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Proposed Hydrogen Fuels Plant Will Create Good-Paying Union Jobs, Cut Down on Emissions

United Association of Union Plumbers and Pipefitters (UA) General President Mark McManus praised the proposal this week by CNX Resources to construct a hydrogen fuels plant at the Pittsburgh airport as a critical step to meeting our climate goals while still delivering the essential energy that powers our nation:

“At the United Association, our members are the best trained and most highly skilled craftspeople in the world – and we play an essential role in delivering the energy that is essential to keeping our nation running while still meeting our shared climate goals. This proposed facility will not only put our members to work, but it will unlock the tremendous potential hydrogen plays in powering our essential infrastructure and airline travel. The entire United Association urges the Biden Administration to include coal methane in the 45V hydrogen production tax credit so that we can remove this harmful greenhouse gas from our atmosphere and power the next generation of air travel.”

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