



October 6, 2020

Attorney General Josh Stein
PO Box 1326
Raleigh, NC 27602

Dear Attorney General Stein:

The Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (SACE) Action Fund is proud to endorse your candidacy for Attorney General of North Carolina.

This endorsement is based in part on your track record and leadership in addressing climate change specifically through your work with 17 other attorneys general around the country who petitioned the Environmental Protection Agency in an effort to protect the Clean Power Plan. While the plan was ultimately repealed, we applaud and appreciate your efforts to preserve it.

Your statement that "Climate change is happening and it will affect us all. We simply must reduce greenhouse gas emissions to ensure that our planet does not overheat and bring devastating consequences to our children and grandchildren," demonstrates your commitment to addressing the climate crisis in your capacity as North Carolina's Attorney General.

These and other actions specifically focused on promoting clean energy have exceeded the following Southern Alliance for Clean Energy Action Fund endorsement criteria:

- Does the candidate have a track record supporting clean energy and climate policies?
- Has the candidate utilized social media or been quoted by the media expressing support for clean energy and climate change policies?
- Does the candidate's website provide a statement in support of clean energy or climate change or list clean energy or climate action policies as a priority?

We wish you well in your campaign and thank you for consistent leadership on behalf of the citizens of North Carolina.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Smith, Executive Director
SACE Action Fund