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Mr. Speaker,

The Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Environment Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.C.R. 5**, CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING POLICIES THAT REDUCE DAMAGE FROM WILDFIRES, by Representative R. P. Ward, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Line 11:*

11 reduction of excess forest fuel loads {~~and minimize further climate warming~~} .

2. *Page 1, Line 15:*

15 ▶ notes the impact that wildfire has on air quality in Utah; and

3. *Page 1, Lines 17 through 19:*

17 wildfire risk {~~and~~
18 ~~urges the federal government to pursue policies that minimize additional~~
climate
19 ~~change.~~} .

4. *Page 2, Lines 31 through 34:*

31 dollars to fight the fires and increased loss of property and loss of human life; and
32 {~~WHEREAS, human carbon dioxide emissions are leading to increased~~
global
33 ~~temperatures, including warmer and dryer summers in Utah that are a contributing~~
factor to
34 ~~worsening wildfires; and~~}

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5. *Page 2, Lines 42 through 44:*

- 42 { ~~BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature of the state of Utah, the~~
~~Governor~~
43 ~~concurring therein, urges the federal government to minimize additional climate~~
~~change by~~
44 ~~pursuing policies that will lead to a reduction in carbon dioxide emissions.~~ }

Respectfully,

Keven J. Stratton
Chair

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