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Thank you for sending this! I was curious about the status of the case. I reviewed some of the decision, briefly. I look forward to reading it!

Thanks again!

Clare

From: Jarryd Page (he/him)
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Subject: Montana Climate Case Update

Hello Judicial Leaders,

I hope you are all doing well. We thought you might be interested in the attached opinion issued yesterday by the Montana Supreme Court. At least those of you in the second cohort will be familiar with this case, [Held v. Montana](#), which is about whether a Montana law that prohibited consideration of climate change in environmental reviews violated the plaintiffs' state right to a "clean and healthful environment" under the Montana Constitution. As we've [detailed](#), in striking down the Montana law, the trial court's decision engaged extensively with climate science, and yesterday, the Montana Supreme Court issued a 6-1 opinion that affirmed the lower court's decision. We hope you have a relaxing holiday and happy new year.

All the best,
The CJP Team