# Ratification of the Kigali Amendment will support the West Virginia Economy

Industries based on fluorocarbons play a large role in the U.S. economy. The technologies used by these industries across the globe are signature American innovations. Fluorocarbon-based manufacturing industries in the U.S. directly employ 589,000 Americans, with an industry-wide payroll of more than \$39 billion per year.

The Kigali Amendment will create 33,000 American jobs in less than 10 years, and will generate \$3.0 billion in additional labor income. These jobs and investment are in jeopardy if the U.S. government fails to act.

We must maintain American leadership in fluorocarbon product manufacturing.

## How ratification of the Kigali Amendment will help West Virginia:



#### American Leadership:

 The amendment enhances America's place as a leading global supplier of HVACR products by providing a flexible and predictable implementation mechanism for recent amendments to the Montreal Protocol, giving U.S. HVACR companies and workers the opportunity to reap the benefits of American technological advances.



### Jobs & Manufacturing:

- Alliance members directly employ 2,350 employees in the state of West Virginia.
- HVACR upstream- downstream employment: 2,350 employees in the state of West Virginia.



#### Alliance Member Companies in West Virginia:

• Emerson, Solvay, Chemours, Honeywell, Lennox, Johnson Controls

