What should the relationship be between economics and climate change? One answer is carbon pricing, which could involve a revenue-neutral tax shift involving lower taxes on things we like (working, saving, investing) and higher taxes on things we don’t like (e.g., carbon). Would such a tax work in Utah?

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