



PEOPLE'S PLATFORM

It is not the poor people who are to blame for climate change, but it is poor people who are suffering first and most from it. Therefore, we the people must come together to take action to defend each other:

DISRUPT THE STATUS QUO

- Uplift youth leadership and the leadership of frontline communities.
- Work with First Nations to protect their treaty rights and food sovereignty.
- Blockade all fossil fuel extraction, infrastructure, shipping and export.
- Reduce meat, fish, and dairy consumption that comes from industrial agriculture.
- Expose any elected official who does not take the fossil fuel integrity pledge.
- Divest yourself, and your church/university/town/city/state/banks from fossil fuel money.

FOOD, WATER & HOUSING FOR ALL

- Reduce dependence on industrial agriculture by growing food in every neighborhood.
- Catch and treat rainwater for household use.
- Take direct action to protect all water bodies from pollution and clean them.
- Work together in communities to affordably build and retrofit housing to follow the six principles of radically sustainable housing.

REDUCE ENERGY CONSUMPTION

- Work together in communities to create [solar](#) and [wind](#) powered grids.
- [Urge local elected officials](#) to create [affordable](#) mass transit systems and [bike lanes](#) in small towns as well as large cities.
- Reduce dependency on extractive corporations by only [buying what you need](#).
- Share [tools](#), [clothes](#), appliances, housing and [cars](#) to help each other.
- Create collectives within your community to teach [skills](#) such as [building](#), [permaculture](#), [plant-based cooking](#), etc.

RESTORATIVE WORK

- Restore the land with indigenous [trees, plants, animal species, and medicines](#).
- Be in solidarity with the First Nations and learn from them how to [manage ecosystems](#).
- Support the transition of [fossil fuel workers](#) to clean healthy living wage jobs based in local sustainable economy and community.
- Urge elected officials to [legalize hemp](#) for food, building materials, medicine.
- Learn and implement the [local](#) restorative [solutions from Global South communities](#) who are doing so much for climate justice.

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