A Pledge for the Climate

....Want to do something about Climate Change, but don't know how?...

Here are some things you can do!



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Personally,

- 1. I'll be mindful of my use of precious water resources, food, and other resources in my daily life. I reject the "throw away" mentality that's been promoted by our "consumer economy."
- 2. I will continue to recycle glass, paper, plastics and other materials.
- 3. I'll reduce my consumption of meat, particularly beef because cattle production uses an enormous amount of water resources, and releases tons of hazardous CO2 into the air.
- 4. **I'll use green energy whenever and wherever possible**, and I'll support the broader use of solar, wind, and water power.
- 5. **I will commit to drive less,** and will carpool, use public transportation, or a bike whenever possible.



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When I'm With Family and Friends,

1. **I'll talk** about climate change with neighbors, co-workers and loved ones. I'll educate myself about what is disrupting our climate and how to fight it. I will share that information with my community.

2. **I will help to educate others**, not only by talking and information-sharing, but also by personal

example.

3. **I'll engage in joint projects** and activities, and will contribute, in practical ways, toward the world-wide effort to control global warming and climate change.

4. I will use social media to spread the word about

how to resist climate change.



Things I Can Do With my Friends and my Relatives

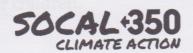
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In My Neighborhood,

- 1. I'll commit to bring the issue of climate change to any organization or faith community I belong to, and I'll find ways to discuss climate concerns in a way that is respectful of its mission and goals.
- 2. I will assist my organization or congregation in forming its own climate committees, and help to reach out to other organizations, so we can join together to control climate disruption.
- 3. **If I am not already a member,** I will to seriously consider joining an organization that is working to protect the climate.
- 4. **I will join with others to** demand an expansion of the range of recycling products.



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At the Political Level

I will speak and write to elected officials to ask 1. them to take immediate, effective action to reverse global warming and climate change!

I pledge to support legislation, ballot initiatives and 2. community campaigns to reverse climate change, the destruction of our natural resources, and the damage being done to plant and animal life of our

planet.

- I will fight for environmental, social, and racial 3. justice for people living near train tracks, oil drilling sites, processing plants, and hazardous storage plants. They are the most vulnerable to explosions and toxic air, and face the greatest risks to their health.
- I'll work in concert with the global movement 4. to reverse climate change - and demand that the United States and other governments agree on emergency action. Whether they act or not, I will continue to work to protect the climate and the future of our children.



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If you do any of these things, you will have joined the movement to protect the future

It is the 21st Century, and we can get power from the wind and the sun and the water, But...

- The fossil fuel industry makes billions of dollars from oil, gas, and coal.
- They don't want to stop making that money.
- They want to keep drilling and mining.
- They are trashing the planet, poisoning the earth, and disrupting the climate.
- We don't have to let them.



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