

Resolution to join the Nevada Environmental Justice Coalition

Whereas the Green New Deal and environmental justice are central principles of our organization, and our mission to create a better, fairer world where every person has their material needs met and can thrive.

Whereas we must organize to achieve these ends, and build a movement of people who demand immediate action to tackle the climate crisis, an end to environmental racism, water justice, and an environmental future that benefits working people, not just the wealthy few.

Whereas Las Vegas is the fastest warming city in the U.S., and at the frontlines of the climate crisis. Rising temperatures will severely affect the living conditions of the most vulnerable in our city - particularly the unhoused.

Whereas we seek to organize with other organizations in the state to present a unified front to power and demand action.

Let it be resolved that Las Vegas DSA shall become a partner in the Nevada Environmental Justice Coalition, joining PLAN, Moms Clean Air Force, Mi Familia Vota, Sierra Club, Make the Road Nevada, Center for Biological Diversity, Make it Work Nevada, Eco Madres, Indivisible Northern Nevada, Great Basin Resource Watch, and Sunrise Las Vegas.

Let it be further resolved that the co-chairs of the Ecosocialism committee will represent LVDSA at NEJC meetings, though all are welcome to attend, and provide updates on coalition work and calls to action.

Let it be further resolved that LVDSA will organize in coalition with aligned partners to further environmental justice at the local, state, and federal levels.