

CTA Name: People vs. Fossil Fuels

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Related Legislation:

Description of the issue: To immediately make progress on climate action, President Joe Biden had pledged to ban new oil and gas leasing on America's federal public lands and waters. Unfortunately, President Biden has broken that promise.

Nearly a quarter of the country's total greenhouse gas emissions come from public lands due to coal mining and oil and gas drilling. We can't keep leasing public lands to the fossil fuel industry and have any chance of reducing emissions or seriously confronting the climate crisis.

Let's urge President Biden to keep his promise to keep dirty fossil fuels in the ground and Build Back Fossil Free.

Call to Action:

1. Complete this letter to President Biden:
<https://secure.wildearthguardians.org/site/Advocacy?cmd=display&page=UserAction&id=1178>
2. Contact President Biden - 202-456-1111 or
<https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact/>

Sample Script:

My name is XXX and I'm calling from XXX. I'm calling President Biden to urge him to end the fossil fuel era. He must stop approving fossil fuel projects and declare a climate emergency right now, ahead of the United Nations climate summit in November.

Being from Minnesota, I am on the front lines of this fight as we are now faced with dirty tar sands oil being pumped through the recently completed Line 3. Why has President Biden stayed silent while Indigenous treaties have been ignored, wild rice is being threatened and Enbridge has been able to push this project through without the proper environmental studies?

You are supposed to be the "Climate" President. Prove it. Now. Build Back Fossil Free.

