



North Carolina is ready to #RiseTogether in solidarity with our allies in the Gulf! Here in North Carolina we're showing our solidarity to fight the Atlantic Coast and Mountain Valley Pipelines, which threaten dozens of our communities, our clean water, and our climate future. A diverse coalition of activists are organizing two major actions - On [July 30 in Charlotte](#), and [July 31 in Raleigh](#).

Our Demands are:

- **#Divest from fossil fuels** - especially Bank of America and Wells Fargo - who are the two largest investors in these pipelines.
- **No Pipelines** - especially the ACP and MVP, which Governor Roy Cooper has the power stop.
 - [We support the call to suspend construction on the ACP in particular along with allies in the faith and justice communities across North Carolina](#)
 - [And we urge everyone to send comments to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission \(FERC\) opposing the Mountain Valley Pipeline.](#)
- **Clean Energy Now** - we demand 100% renewable energy and a just transition with nobody left behind - local cities, towns and counties can lead the way!

We invite you to learn more, and invite your friends to join us in person.

[Click here to RSVP for the Charlotte action online](#), or [on Facebook](#):

This event will meet at the Bank Of America Headquarters in downtown Charlotte at 9am (opening time for the bank). We'll march a short distance (about 1 mile) down Tryon street to Duke's headquarters, stopping at Wells Fargo and other points of interest on the way. We'll convey our message with speakers from impacted communities, props, art, music and theater. **Join us on Monday morning to show everyone in Charlotte that our health, safety and climate depend on banks, consumers and our elected leaders acting on these three demands.**

[Click here to RSVP for the Raleigh action online](#), or [on Facebook](#):

This event will meet in front of Governor Roy Cooper's office in the administration building at 11:30 am. We'll rally with signs, banners and artwork for about an hour to encourage Gov. Cooper to reverse his previous bad decision and suspend the ACP. Shortly after 1pm we'll march to Wells Fargo at 150 Fayetteville St and demand they stop funding these dangerous pipelines. Finally, we'll march to Duke Energy's offices at 411 Fayetteville St just after 1:30 to deliver our demands there. The total distance between these 3 locations is less than 1 mile. We'll walk back to the administration building at about 2pm and there is ample parking nearby. **Join us on Tuesday morning at 11:30am at the Governor's office!**

There are other rallies planned all over the country, and it's also not too late to host your own action! [Sign up to host or attend a local solidarity action this week or next](#).

There are dozens of events planned – from simple sign holdings at a bank branch to full on protests and rallies. [There are resources available to help you plan, and an event can be as simple as taking a picture at a local bank branch](#). And we've made a packet of materials including a sample call to action, flyers, and other materials just for North Carolina Activists (and their friends). Here are some materials that might help:

- [Click here for a sample press advisory](#) (you can and should customize this with quotes and particulars of your local action)
 - [If you want to submit a quote for the release, sent just after the actions, click here](#)
- [Click here for the Charlotte Flyer](#)
[Click here for the Raleigh Flyer](#)
- [Click here to download sample memes, pictures and other resources](#)
[Stay in touch with NC APPPL and other groups organizing the events through our Facebook page](#)

More info on the weeks of action:

From July 16-31 communities are mobilizing for the #RiseTogether Weeks of Action. The main targets for the Week of Action are a group of banks that are financing Energy Transfer Partners and other major pipeline companies. For more information on the Weeks of Action, please visit: www.NoBayouBridge.global/risetgether