



CT Climate Crisis Mobilization **A Call to Climate Action, September 20-27**

Dear Friends and Allies,

The climate crisis has already begun to wreak havoc:

- Increasing temperatures, melting ice caps, and rising seas
- Stronger, more destructive storms
- Increasing flooding, drought, famine, and disease
- Damage to infrastructure, farmland, and crops
- Displacement of millions of people
- Rapid changes that may threaten human civilization on Earth

Youth activist Greta Thunberg has called the world to action, with a mass mobilization of youth demanding governments act now. Connecticut youth leaders are responding. This coming September, another global week of action is planned, with events worldwide — and across Connecticut — September 20-27.

Connecticut students are asking adults to join with them for a Climate Action on Friday, September 20 (time TBA) at our State Capitol in Hartford to kick-off a week of local events.

The CT Climate Crisis Mobilization (C3M) is bringing together a diverse coalition of individuals and groups to plan actions that call attention to the climate crisis, including a call for environmental justice, social and racial justice, economic and immigration justice, as these are all connected with our fight to maintain a livable Earth. The CT Climate Strike on September 20 begins a week of action in every city and town, every school, every workplace, every house of worship.

Will you be part of the Connecticut Climate Crisis Mobilization?

We need big societal change, not business as usual. We need changes to individual patterns of behavior and entrenched policies. To change everything, we need everyone, not only environmental activists. If you and your organization or business can participate on Friday, September 20 and/or can plan a local action, please reply to C3Mobilization@gmail.com. We will add your name to the participant list and follow up with planning information. We look forward to adding your event to the statewide list and/or look to see your members on the State Capitol steps, overlooking Bushnell Park, at 12 p.m. on Friday, September 20.

In Solidarity, CT Climate Crisis Mobilization (C3M)



Representatives of numerous CT organizations have been involved in initial organizing meetings that led to this call to action

CT Climate Strike
Sunrise CT

Beyond Extreme Energy
Central CT Democratic Socialists of America
Clean Water Action/Fund
CT Citizens Action Group
CT Energy Network
CT Fund for Environment/Save the Sound
CT Green Bank
CT Resource Conservation & Development
CT Roundtable on Climate and Jobs
Elm City Cycling
FCC Simsbury, Environmental Ministry Team
Food & Water Watch
Global Warming Blog

Interreligious Eco-Justice Network
Labor Network for Sustainability
New Haven Climate Movement
New Haven Friends Meeting
Norwalk Go Green
People's Action for Clean Energy
Promoting Enduring Peace
Sierra Club CT
350 CT
Transport Hartford Academy
Unitarian Society of Hartford, Green Sanctuary
Unitarian Society of New Haven
Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Danbury
Unitarian Universalist Society: East
Western CT State University
Windsor Climate Action

Few of these organizations have had an opportunity to formally endorse this call to action or specific actions Sept. 20-27. No endorsement is implied.

Organizations are invited to formally endorse this call to action. Please send endorsements to C3Mobilization@gmail.com