

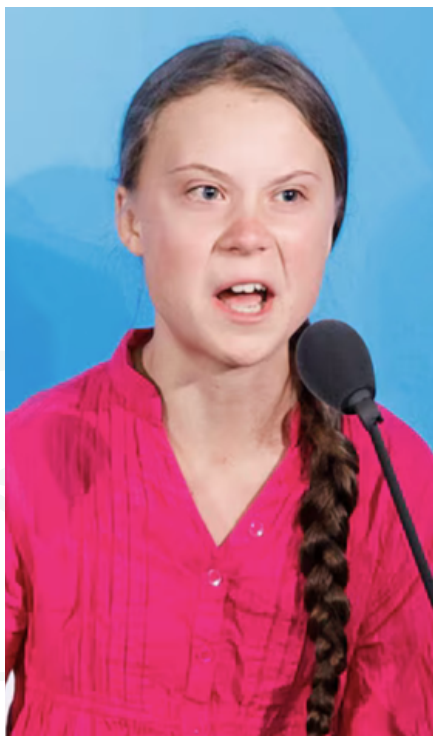
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APRIL SHOWERS BRING.....A GREAT CLIMATE CATASTROPHE??



Climate change alarmist, Greta Thunberg

That's right! You heard it here first.

Environmental scientists and so-called 'climate change experts' are now predicting that the periods of intense rain associated with the arrival of meteorological spring could plunge the entire eastern seaboard of the US into the Atlantic Ocean by the year 2025.

April Fools! Before anyone attempts to phone Greta Thunberg for advice, it's sensational headlines like the one above which not only make for good clickbait, but are contributing in large part to the mass anxiety, confusion and disillusionment of good people all over the planet, particularly the younger generation. In actual fact, these doom-and-gloom forecasts about impending environmental cataclysm have been championed for decades with precious little supporting evidence and little to no demonstrable proof. More on that later.

In this issue, CRE dissects the myth that is climate change, as we explore some of the reasons why this particular agenda is being so forcefully and deliberately employed in the mainstream media and in public schools here in the US and across the globe.

And just like the transgender movement or Social-Emotional Learning, the main target audience for this climate change narrative is--you guessed it--our children.

THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY - DEBUNKED

Ask anyone under the age of 30 about whether or not they think we are headed for some sort of impending climate disaster in the not-too-distant future, and chances are you'll be met with a resounding yes. But why is that? Why are so many young people today convinced that humanity is on the verge of environmental collapse?

As you may have already guessed, it all starts in public school. Children are taught at a very young age that things like global temperature fluctuations or active weather patterns are something to fear. They are taught that it may be the actions they themselves are taking--or not taking--that are contributing directly to the destruction of the planet. They are taught that global warming is an existential crisis that requires a drastic remedy before the end of the decade in order to avoid a complete and irreversible climate calamity.

But the fear porn doesn't stop there. It's become so mind-numbingly easy for any teenager or young adult with a phone and a decent wifi connection to instantly have access to the latest musician, movie actress or social media influencer lecturing their followers about how the world is going to end in a few short years if we don't do something...and do something quick! With teachers, parents and the internet all repeating the same climate emergency message, it's no wonder why young people today are anxious, upset or downright terrified about what's lurking just around the corner for the future of our planet.

Fortunately for humanity, the forecasters who, for the last 75 years, have predicted the coming of a second Ice Age or of a global warming catastrophe that would surely melt all of the ice caps and leave polar bears homeless, have all turned out to be wrong. In fact, if we look back through history, none of the dire outcomes foretold by supposed 'climate experts' have come to pass, and the public at large is beginning to take notice.

In the Epoch Times "Facts Matter" video series, host Roman Balmakov examines dozens of sinister climate projections (some dating back as far as the 1950's) that have failed to unfold as originally predicted. The clip entitled, "Inconvenient Truth: 32 Climate Predictions Proven False," which premiered back in March of 2023, effectively debunks the climate emergency narrative in a matter of minutes, all the while providing links to past articles and publications for verification.

For example, in the year 2000, so-called experts promised the end of snow in England within a few short years, yet the white stuff continues to fall in the UK with stunning regularity. Then in 2001, scientists claimed that the New England maple-sugaring industry would be decimated in twenty years time due to the effects of global warming. Not surprisingly, New England states still produces millions of gallons of maple syrup every year. Finally, a USA Today article published in 2009, citing former Vice President Al Gore, predicted that the Arctic Ocean would be ice-free by 2014. Here we are ten years later, and the Arctic Ocean is still very cold and very frozen.



The Epoch Times host, Roman Balmakov, debunking the climate crisis in his video entitled, "Inconvenient Truth: 32 Climate Predictions Proven False."

As Balmakov asserts, these epic climate forecasting fails are just the tip of the iceberg (no pun intended). There are hundreds of other grim environmental predictions that have also never come to fruition, leading us to the realization that there really is no climate emergency after all.

Given their dismal track record, could it be that all of the so-called climate experts are just really bad at their jobs? Or is there something slightly more sinister going on? We maintain that if one chooses to dig deep enough (i.e., follow the money), it becomes apparent that the climate change urgency endorsed by so many is simply a well-coordinated effort by a select few to spread fear and disinformation as a means to control the population. But, that's another story for another article (see page 4).

For anyone who is skeptical about the evidence presented in this article, we invite you to take a look at the video referenced above and decide for yourself.

Videos like this, and many others just like it, can easily be found by doing a search on YouTube. Please don't simply take our word for it, but do your own research and make up your own mind.

CLIMATE: THE MOVIE - THE COLD TRUTH

In our previous article, "The Climate Emergency - Debunked," CRE encouraged readers to follow the money in order to discover the real motives behind the ever-present climate change narrative. To nudge you a little further down the rabbit hole, we highly recommend a viewing of an excellent documentary entitled, "Climate: The Movie - The Cold Truth," written and directed by Martin Durkin.

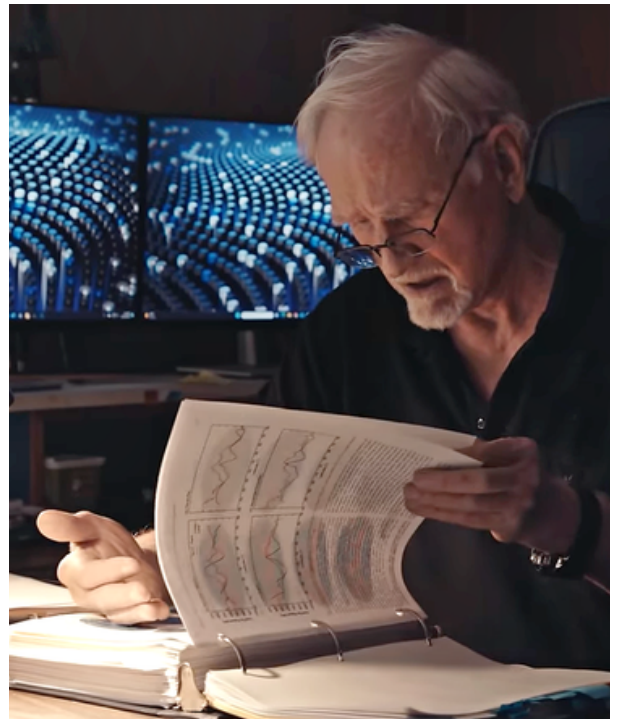
Available for free on YouTube (although we're not sure for how long), this lovely film brings to light many of the unpleasant details about how the powers-that-be ultimately pull the strings when it comes to climate research and funding, and how these government organizations get the final say on how climate messaging is released to the public. As you might imagine, it's not a pretty picture and all is not as it seems.

Throughout the film, respected scientists, climate researchers and prominent professors weigh in on whether or not the public is being told the truth in regards to global warming. The consensus? The research does not support the idea that the earth is warming up, but that the exact opposite is true. Compared to the earth's overall average temperature over the last 500 million years, our planet is actually colder than it has ever been! Surprise, surprise! We are being lied to.

In addition, global carbon dioxide levels over that same period of time have also significantly declined, providing a stark contrast with what everyday people nowadays are being led to believe.

Dr. John Clauser (pictured right), a Nobel Prize winning physicist, does not mince words in the film when he claims that the science being funded to support the climate change narrative is "appallingly bad." Yikes. Dr. Clauser, tell us how you really feel.

So, what's going on? If the research being conducted into climate change is so flawed and inaccurate, then why is the public continually being fed a line that humanity is on the brink of a serious crisis?



Dr. John Clauser, who was awarded the Nobel Prize for Physics in 2022, is a self-proclaimed climate change denier.

Remember how earlier we said to follow the money? There's your answer. Perpetuating a made-up climate change fairy tale or invented global warming story only works because there is money to be made.

According to several of the scientists interviewed, the entire government funding apparatus that allows environmental or climate research to continue is a wholly corrupt enterprise. Imagine you're a climate scientist and the corporation you work for has just been given the green light to study the effects of global warming on the mating habits of, say, the ring-tailed lemur. Now imagine that after years of research and millions of dollars in government funding, your agency finds absolutely no correlation whatsoever between a warmer environment and the life cycle of that particular mammal. If you publish your findings, effectively confirming that global warming poses no threat, your funding disappears and everyone at your firm finds themselves in the unemployment line. Tweak the data or misrepresent your findings slightly to show a lemur population threatened by global warming, and you and your colleagues get to work another day.



Princeton physicist, Dr. Will Happer, claims the climate alarm is a scam.

Not very scientific, is it? And yet, that's how the big government machine works, churning out a phony storyline in order to keep the worker bees on the payroll and give the higher-ups a massive return on their investment. Facts be damned!

What really matters to those in charge of the climate message is to give the government even more control over an already anxious and afraid population by dictating how they should live their lives. Buy an electric vehicle and you will save the planet! Stop eating meat and you will cut carbon dioxide emissions! But if you refuse to comply with these absurd regulations? Well, then, you're ridiculed and made to feel guilty for not playing along.

Like it or not, the end game of the climate crisis is population control. That's the bad news, but we won't ruin the entire documentary for you. Watch the film and see for yourself the coordinated deception that's been carried out on humanity for decades.

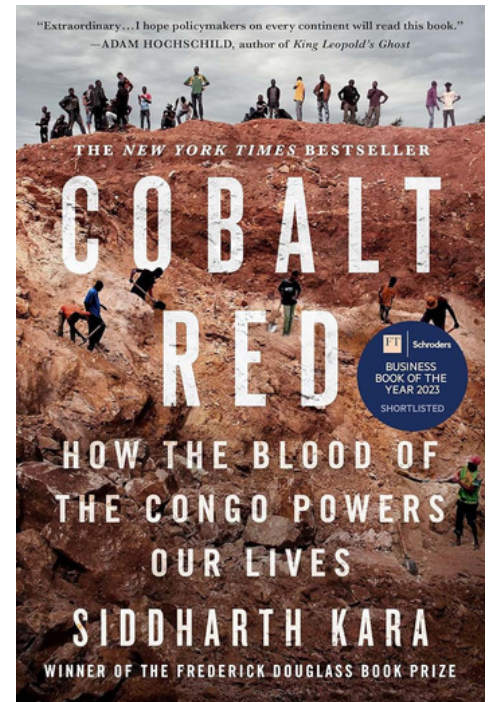
The good news is that, with any luck, it won't be long before the real truth about how we've been hoodwinked is finally disclosed.

THE REAL ENVIRONMENTAL TRAGEDY

On the previous pages, CRE has attempted to highlight a few important examples of how the mainstream portrayal of our supposed climate emergency is not based on much factual data at all. Even still, we're not naive. To suggest that there isn't considerable harm being inflicted on the planet from other sources would be, at the very least, dishonest and irresponsible.

Case in point. In early 2023, a book was published that exposed a natural world crisis to the public that, if left unchecked, threatens to decimate a region of Africa known for its vast cobalt reserves. Some say it's already too late.

In Siddharth Kara's book, Cobalt Red, the picture painted is rather grim. To be clear, the author is not peddling phony global warming statistics or bogus weather predictions as mentioned in earlier sections of this newsletter. Instead, Kara details his own personal experiences of the ongoing and widespread devastation of the African Congo from the effects of cobalt mining practices.



Cobalt Red by Siddharth Kara

Why cobalt mining? As it turns out, the cobalt extracted from the Congo is an essential ingredient for making the lithium batteries which power all of our laptops, tablets, cellphones and electric devices. Any device utilizing rechargeable batteries uses cobalt, and the Congo is the one place on earth that has the most of it. If you're reading this story on a computer or cellphone screen, chances are the raw materials keeping your device up and running were mined from there. And since it's estimated that over 70% of the world's cobalt originates in the Congo, it's not hard to imagine the immeasurable environmental impacts from continuing mining operations in this region.

Unfortunately, the devastation doesn't end there. Kara lays bare the horrific human rights abuses being perpetrated on the native Congolese people, from laborers working long hours in unsanitary and inhumane conditions, to entire peasant families putting their youngest children to work in order to gain what little pay they can to survive. The author's account is a tragedy in every sense of the word, both for the environment and the people and workers living the nightmare on a daily basis.

Cobalt Red is not only a wake-up call for everyone who uses electronic technology in this day and age, but it's an urgent warning to all of us that human trafficking and slavery is still alive and well in the 21st century. Go figure. And while the civilized world continues their ongoing love affair with the newest iPhone or electric car, the situation in the Congo persists.

We suggest that the next time the school teacher frightens your child into thinking a climate crisis is on the horizon or your self-righteous neighbor tries to convince you to trade in your gas-guzzling SUV for a Tesla, you hand them a copy of [Cobalt Red](#). Explain to them that the real environmental calamity has nothing whatsoever to do with global warming or planetary cooling, but everything to do with the pillaging of earth's natural resources to make more fancy devices for them and their families. Describe how the components for the batteries powering their electric car were acquired and how that process most likely caused more harm to the environment than they were probably aware.

Then, before they walk away muttering something under their breath about how you're a pesky conspiracy theorist, hand them a copy of this Citizens For Responsible Education newsletter so they can get properly caught up on what's really going on.

MAYOR OF NEWBURYPORT IS AT IT AGAIN!

The City of Newburyport is seeking to hire **Community Activists** as part of their grant project called "Climate Resilient Newburyport: Community Action Project". These Community Activists will play a crucial role in engaging community members and educating them about climate change in Newburyport. Here are the details of the position:

- **Position:** Community Action Project - Community Activist
- **Number of Openings:** 5
- **Timeframe:** October 2023 - June 2025 (21 months)
- **Hours of Work:**
 - October 2023 - June 2024: 1-4 hours per week; maximum of 50 hours total during this period.
 - July 2024 - June 2025: 1-4 hours per week; maximum of 30 hours total during this period.
 - Additionally, there will be a couple of hours for reflection at the end of the project.
- **Compensation:** \$30/hour

Responsibilities:

1. **Recruitment and Engagement:** Community Activists will serve as coordinators to recruit and engage residents who fall into the following categories:
 - Those living in public and senior housing.
 - Youth and elderly residents.
 - Individuals residing in locations within the city that are prone to flooding or danger due to major weather and climate issues (such as hurricanes, floods, rainstorms, wind, and other extreme weather events).
2. **Community Action Forums:** Activists will help organize community meetings on climate change, including the project's Community Action Forums. These forums provide an opportunity for community residents to learn more about climate change in Newburyport.
3. **Collaboration and Solutions:** Community Activists will work with a team of residents from Newburyport's Climate Resiliency Committee. They will participate in Leadership Dialogues focused on identifying solutions to prevent catastrophic climate events in the community.
4. **Encouraging Diversity:** Community members with strong ties to Newburyport's youth, elderly, low-income, and immigrant communities (including Portuguese and Afghan residents) are strongly encouraged to apply.

The goal of the Community Action Project is to involve individuals, community-based groups, and local government in learning about climate problems and finding solutions for Newburyport residents. If you're passionate about climate resilience and community engagement, this role offers a meaningful opportunity to make a difference! More information about the grant activities can be found [here](#).

The city of Newburyport's job posting for community climate activists

At the beginning of 2024, members of CRE noticed a job posting on the city of Newburyport's website looking to recruit community activists for a special grant project entitled, "Climate Resilient Newburyport" (ad pictured left). Two things jumped out at us right away.

First, given the arguments presented in this newsletter calling into question the validity of the prevailing climate change narrative, we would make the case that there is no actual need for these particular community positions in the first place. And at \$30/hour, we can think of a handful of other more important projects that Newburyport taxpayers would like to see funded.

Mayor, how about fixing up those treacherous city roads instead?

Wasteful spending aside, we also couldn't help but notice the job description for the Climate Activist position (we've highlighted a few sections above). As you can plainly see, the right person for the job is responsible for engaging with "those living in public and senior housing," as well as with "youth and elderly residents." A few paragraphs later, prospects with "...strong ties to Newburyport's youth, elderly, low-income and immigrant communities" are strongly encouraged to apply.

Surely, this is no big deal and must be part of the mayor's all-inclusive, progressive plan for the city of Newburyport, right? We disagree. CRE contends that those particular age groups and specific demographics are being singled out for special attention because they are the most vulnerable and easily manipulated populations among us. Those are the target audiences because that is where the Climate Resilient Newburyport committee can garner the most support, gain the most traction and get the most bang for their buck.

If you don't agree with our assessment, ask yourself this: If the climate change message being promoted by the city is genuine, then wouldn't the job description simply emphasize that community engagement be delivered to EVERYONE, regardless of AGE, COLOR, SOCIAL CLASS or BACKGROUND? Better yet, just leave that part out of the job description altogether.

But, no. It's obvious that this targeting of specific groups in the community was done intentionally. Just like the transgender movement or critical race theory being pushed on children in schools, Newburyport is operating with an agenda to indoctrinate as many as they can into their little climate change club...and by any means necessary.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Jordan Peterson Podcast - Climate "Science" w/Dr. Richard Lindzen - EP 320 (YouTube video)
- The Great Global Warming Swindle - 2007 Documentary (YouTube video)
- Unsettled - book by Steven E. Koonin
- "Climate change is an obvious myth – how much more evidence do you need?" - The Guardian

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