

END ENVIRONMENTAL RACISM

A CLIMATE EMERGENCY TOWN HALL



Join us for End Environmental Racism: A Climate Emergency Town Hall on Saturday, September 18 from 2 to 4pm at the Performance Pavilion at Bushnell Park in Hartford, for an afternoon of powerful speeches, music, and poetry by those most harmed by state inaction on the climate crisis.

Despite voicing concerns about the climate crisis, the Connecticut government continues to expand the use of fossil fuels. Fossil fuel emissions damage the environment and directly harm Black, Latinx, Indigenous, and low-income folks. In this event, members of those communities will share their experiences and perspectives on the necessary response to climate disruption.

Our compelling speakers and talented artists include: Nekita Waller, State Troubadour; Sharon Lewis, CT Coalition for Environmental Justice; Sara Bronin, Desegregate CT; Leticia Colón de Mejias, Green Eco-Warriors; Mixashawn, Indigenous artist; Alycia Jenkins, spoken word poet, Sierra Club CT; Rhonda Wishart, NAACP Windham/Willimantic; Alex Rodriguez, Save the Sound; Angel Serrano, CCAG; Pedro Espinoza, ULA; Deacon Art Miller, IREJN. *More to be announced soon!*

Organizers: Sierra Club CT, NAACP Windham/Willimantic Branch, Unidad Latina en Acción, Connecticut Climate Crisis Mobilization (C3M), No More Dirty Power in Killingly, Quiet Corner Shouts, and Community Action Works (CAW). Sponsors: Save The Sound, Connecticut Citizen Action Group (CCAG), Collaborative Center for Justice (CCFJ), Interreligious Eco-Justice Network (IREJN), Democratic Socialists of America (DSA) Eco-Socialist Group of CT, Windham Region Interfaith Working Group, Green Party of CT, Greater New Haven NAACP, Desegregate CT, the Social Justice Council of the Unitarian Society of New Haven, and 350 CT.

Please join us in sending a clear message to state leaders: a serious, urgent plan for getting off fossil fuels is long overdue!

Covid-19 safety precautions will be taken throughout. For more information, please check out our [Facebook event](#) or our [website](#).