

We exist to create the political will for climate solutions by enabling individual breakthroughs in the exercise of personal and political power.

Core Values: Focus, Optimism, Relationships, Integrity, Personal Power, Being Non-Partisan

#### Latest Commentary and LTE's:

11/14: [Climate: Leaving the Paris Accord is National Shame](#) by Chuck Jensen in the TNT.

#### CCL News and Events

- HR 763: [Energy Innovation and Carbon Dividend Act \(EICDA\)](#) now has **73** cosponsors, up 6, including Reps. Denny Heck and Derek Kilmer. Still need it to show up in the senate.
- 11/11-12 was CCL's November Lobby Day. 800 members went, highest ever. At least 480 meetings with congressional offices. See our [Facebook page](#) for a Rep Kilmer picture with members who went.

#### Local Events

11/20 [24 Hours of Reality: Truth in Action](#) at Jason Lee MS 6:30, by Climate Reality, see next column. Come table with us.

11/25 [Puget Sound Clean Air Agency's Regional Clean Fuel Standard](#) event at UPS, 6:30. Speaker will be able to answer your questions, comment writing, and getting the word out. With this link: [Please send in comments!](#) Hearing is on 12/19 more info [here](#).

11/26 [Environmental Literacy – Raising the bar for environmental education](#), 5-6:30pm, Tacoma Nature Center, 1919 S. Tyler St. Put on by [Environmental Education Community of Interest](#).

12/05 [Coffee with the Mayor](#), 5-6pm, Antique Sandwich Shop, 5102 N. Pearl. Start a climate conversation.

12/06 [Tacoma Youth Climate Strike](#). Youth are getting louder with more joining in at these strikes. To help plan it on 11/17 attend the [climate strike meeting](#) or Volunteer the day of the strike, contact [Grace Hope](#) of 350 Tacoma.



12/8 Save the date: Tacoma CCL will have a "brainstorming/visioning/planning" event on December 8 as we set our Chapter direction for 2020. Time: 10:30AM - 4PM but come when you can. Place: U. of Puget Sound, Wyatt Hall 101 (our summer location). All Tacoma CCL members are welcome. Stay tuned for more details. Contact person John Doherty 253 229 6327 [johnwdoherty@gmail.com](mailto:johnwdoherty@gmail.com).



12/12 [KBTC Insight Speaker Series: Orca Recovery](#), Can we save them? 6 – 8pm, KBTC, 2320 S. 19<sup>th</sup>.

NOVEMBER 11/20 meeting is CANCELED in favor of:

- Climate Reality program: [24 Hours of Reality: Truth in Action](#) at Jason Lee Middle School, 6:30. Community leader speakers and 4 possible workshops: Youth, Local Impacts, Climate Change and Health Care, Climate Change and Transportation. Snacks!

- The Dems Presidential Debates.

Next meeting: Wed. January 22, 6:30 – 8:30, Rm 301 in Collins Memorial Library at UPS.

#### Member Activities Recent and Upcoming Tabling:

11/20 at [24 Hours of Reality at Jason Lee MS](#), 12/11-12 at [Puyallup Watershed and Salmon Symposium](#). Connect with [Linda Cohan](#), and table with us!

Media: [KTAH 101.9 Climate Talk](#) hosted by [John Doherty](#), click on listen live. Runs for 15 minutes every day at 5:30AM and 5:30PM. POC [John Doherty](#).

Lobbying: Nothing on the calendar yet.

Presentations: 10/31 [Elly Claus-McGahan](#) presented to the Environmental Justice class at SAMI high school, supporting the work of student climate activists.

Liaison Group: 11/21 Second meeting for the new coalition of Pierce County climate action groups. POC [Elly Claus-McGahan](#)

Membership: 521, growing steadily.

Presentation and Tabling Group: Meets monthly to plan, share, and motivate; next meeting of the group is November 17, potluck, 6:30, at Nancy Atwood's home. Contact [Nancy Atwood](#) to get involved and have fun.

Letters to the Editor: [CCL tutorial](#), or POC [Chuck Jensen](#).

CCL Tacoma [Facebook page](#): Stay informed and up to date on a variety of events and topics. Like and Love to help spread the word! POC [Ginny Lohr](#).

#### Cool Reads and Resources

- [The Climate change health risks facing a child born today](#), from Inside Climate News based on a report in the medical journal *Lancet*
- Check out Dr. Katharin Hayhoe's [Global Weirding episodes](#) on You Tube, short episodes and answering so many questions. She spoke at CCL's June Lobby days.
- [Unfamiliar ground, bracing for climate impacts in the Midwest](#), from Inside Climate News.
- Audubon's [Survival by Degrees: 389 Bird Species on the brink](#). Play with it, find local info and more.