

Southern California Climate Demonstration!



Building Blocks *Against* **Climate Change!**

Saturday, September 20
1 - 5pm
Wilshire Blvd between
Alvarado and Wilton

As global CO2 levels (driven by fossil fuel use) hit 400 ppm for the first time in millions of years, signs of earth's disrupted biosphere abound, from rising temperatures and extreme weather to resource shortages and massive die-offs. All trajectories point to a dead planet if we do not bring radical change now. On Sept20, Southern California will join tens of thousands demonstrating in New York, when the United Nations meet to discuss the climate crisis. A broad array of organizations, groups, friends, families, coworkers, and communities will meet on Wilshire, between Alvarado and Wilton, in a chain of interlinking "Building Blocks" of protest against climate change. In this new kind of collaborative demonstration, people will gather at a pre-selected corner, intersection, or block, creating their part of a network of protests -- like overlapping neighborhood vigils or sidewalk picket lines -- extending block after adjacent block. Since we need not agree on points of unity, slogans, or speakers, groups will retain their diverse autonomy, deciding where to gather and what to say, bringing their materials, signs, approach. And because -- on sidewalks -- we do not need permits or to divert traffic beyond barricades, protestors and public can interact. In this way, our efforts will create a non-virtual, face-to-face, simultaneous "sidewalk step-out," raising our voices at the same time and place on the same issue. Together, we will demand that world leaders at the UN implement the policies needed to effectively **Stop Climate Change Now!**

☆ **Pick a corner! Pick a block!**
Sign up for your location on Wilshire:
<http://againstclimatechange.org>

- 1. View website map and participant list!**
- 2. Pick your location and fill out the form!**
You also can sign up for the same site as other groups, or create a zone (e.g. an anti-fracking zone) or activity (e.g. bike caravan!)
- 3. Inform your members, make plans and materials, outreach to everyone you know, and meet at your site on Sept20!**

OR, you also can just:

- **Come On Down Sept20** and join!
- **Endorse Us in support!** If you're not sure you can come or can't commit to a time and place, just endorse at the website!
- **Help Spread the Word!** Tell every group and everyone you know to join us!

Sign Up On Our Website Today!