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September 26th **An Update on Actions to Stop the Dakota Access Pipeline DAPL**

**(powerpoint presentation)**

Meeting # 3,583 - environmental activist Richard Stuckey, who says:

There has been a lot going on in the Bakken in the last few months. In addition to our fight in the ICC to prevent the doubling of the pipeline, the corona virus and the war for market share between Saudi Arabia and Russia has pushed oil prices throughout the US, Canada and most of the non-middle east, to way below breakeven production costs.

Those in the know project that over 500 US exploration and production and oilfield service companies will go bankrupt this year. Some of the biggest like Chesapeake and Whiting have already gone.

The major oil companies have started to put out highly misleading statements about how they intend to diversify into renewables, and be net zero carbon by 2050. But reading the fine print shows their commitments are hollow and virtually meaningless. They haven’t got the message yet.

October 3rd **Extinction Rebellion / America**

Meetings #3,584 - ​Jamie McDaniel and Molly Wilmes

OUR DEMANDS

1. TELL THE TRUTH

Government must tell the truth by declaring a climate and ecological emergency, working with other institutions to communicate the urgency for change.

2. ACT NOW

Government must act now to halt biodiversity loss and reduce greenhouse gas emissions to net zero by 2025.

3. BEYOND POLITICS

Government must create and be led by the decisions of a Citizens’ Assembly on climate and ecological justice.

4. ONE PEOPLE, ONE PLANET, ONE FUTURE

Government to work for global net zero and planetary repair by 2030 on the basis of equity and mutual survival interest for all communities, countries and generations.\*

October 10th **Presidential Debate:**

** Speakers for Either Biden or Trump**

Meetings #3,585 - Michael Brennan will argue for Biden, and

David Ramsay Steele will speak for Trump

Format:

2 rounds, 10-20 minutes each, questions, rebuttals or remarks

by anyone attending

October 17th **Open**

Meetings #3,586 - contact the Program Coordinator Charles Paidock if you would like to speak at (312) 842-5036, (312) 714-7790 cell, or by email to cpaidock@hotmail.com

October 24th **Why Abolishing the Electoral College Would Not Help the Democrats**

Meetings #3,587 - author David Ramsay Steele returns with another political essay / analysis

October 31st **Sugar: Good for What?**

Meetings #3,588 - ​college regular Dan Weinberg returns with another well-researched presentation

Speaker states that: ​​All these questions and more I will try to answer in my talk...

Will Trump or Biden do anything about sugar?

Do fruits and vegetables cure diabetes?

Why do 26.8% of people aged 65+ in the USA have diabetes?

Why does Dr. Robert Lustig call sugar a "toxic substance"?

Does sugar do the same thing to the brain that

heroin and alcohol do?

November 7, 14, 21 **Open**

 Meeting # 3,589+ contact the Program Coordinator Charles Paidock if you would like to speak at (312) 842-5036, (312) 714-7790 cell, or by email to cpaidock@hotmail.com

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