

# **CONGRESS CAN END CLIMATE CHANGE IN TEN YEARS**

## **TEN INTERCONNECTED POINTS AND AN ASK**

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*Reduction of continuing emissions will not solve the existing problem of global warming* caused by a backlog of emissions taking hundreds to thousands of years to process naturally. **Therefore**, the only solution to global warming, at this late date, is to rapidly deploy Direct Air/Atmospheric Carbon Removal (DACR) on a very large scale. DACR is a new, jobs-producing, industry sector *in which atmospheric carbon is removed directly from the air and made into useful products or safely buried. The U.S. has developed the DARC Carbon Negative Shot (CNS) program* under the U.S. Department of Energy providing grants to encourage free-market DACR exploration.

*We just received our “Climate Peal Harbor” wake up call in Maui. Congress must fully-fund Carbon Negative Shot.* Already \$5 trillion dollars have been spent in the chaos of patchwork, climate cleanup efforts - half what is needed to fully fund CNS.

The Carbon Negative Shot as it stands now will fail, but it can succeed if it is immediately re-modeled (perhaps employing mechanisms such as the Defense Production Act) and vigorously funded as a government initiative using the best currently existing technology.

*We can solve Climate Change and draw the country together (like WWII did) reducing the current amalgam of existential fear, authoritarianism, isolation, collective narcissism, and social dominance-seeking.*

- ***THE ASK: On your constituent’s behalf I am pleading with you to use whatever means are at your disposal including creating a Bill to push for the full funding and rapid deployment of the DOEs CARBON NEGATIVE SHOT Direct Air/Atmospheric Carbon Removal program. I would be happy to meet with you or your staff if I can be of any assistance, or to discuss this matter further. Thank you.***