

Compilation of reports from n30 day of climate justice action!

by Mobilization for Climate Justice
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Today, on November 30, one week before the UN climate negotiations in Copenhagen open, and on the 10th anniversary of the World Trade Organization (WTO) protest in Seattle in 1999, major demonstrations, teach-ins and civil disobedience are taking actions place in cities around the U.S

Reports are now starting to come in from:

- Chicago, Illinois: Activists target Carbon Trading @ Chicago Climate Exchange - 12 arrested
- Denver, Colorado: Citizens "Die-in" at Department of Public Health and Environment in Coal Protest
- Greenville, SC: Blockade of shipment of generator to Cliffside Coal Plant, 4 arrested
- New York City, NY: Occupation of the Natural Resource Defense Council Office with James Hansen exposing their ties to industry
- San Francisco, CA: San Francisco Climate Justice Action at Bank of America; 200 Rally with at least 23 Arrested
- Whitby, Ontario: Sit-in for Climate Justice at Finance Minister's Office
- Washington, DC: Downtown march targets major polluters and lobbyists

Many more updates are coming in from Boston, Palm Beach, Bangor, Burlington, Seattle and other locales - you can read all the details at the Mobilization for Climate Justice (MCJ) website - www.actforclimatejustice.org.

Donations are needed for arrestees! Your support is needed:

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Donation Amount

five \$5.00

ten \$10.00

fifteen \$15.00

twenty \$20.00

twenty-five \$25.00

thirty \$30.00

fifty \$50.00

one hundred \$100.00

two hundred fifty \$250.00

five hundred! \$500.00

Donate to which action group?

Chicago

Boston

New York

Maine

Ontario

San Francisco

Denver

Anything you'd like to say?

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Also, check out an interview interview with MCJâ€™s Ananda Tan and David Solnit on todayâ€™s broadcast on Democracy Now!

With the corporate media unlikely to give major coverage to such actions, we need you to spread the word! You can see the combined and growing photo gallery here and follow updates on facebook or twitter.

The Mobilization for Climate Justice is a broad and diverse coalition of organizations working for social, environmental, economic and racial justice is calling for urgent action on the global climate crisis, based on equitable, democratic and science-based solutions.

As world leaders gather in Copenhagen, the people hit hardest by this crisis and the least responsible for its causeâ€”working class, Indigenous and people of color communities around the worldâ€”have been systematically excluded and are demanding a voice at the table.

Meanwhile, the worldâ€™s major corporations have been dominating international and domestic climate policy â€” as they did in the international trade policy arena. Carbon-trading and carbon offset projects have already allowed these polluters to avoid cutting emissions and expand their markets into poor countries, accelerating corporate take-over of the worldâ€™s resources at the expense of local and Indigenous communities.

â€œWe cannot allow the worldâ€™s largest corporate polluters to continue robbing our childrenâ€™s future,â€” stated Carla Soto of the Movement Generation Justice and Ecology Project, who will be marching with her daughter in a parade of children and the Raging Grannies. â€œUS corporations have been holding real climate solutions hostage, while burdening our communities with ongoing attacks on our health and livelihoods.â€•

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