

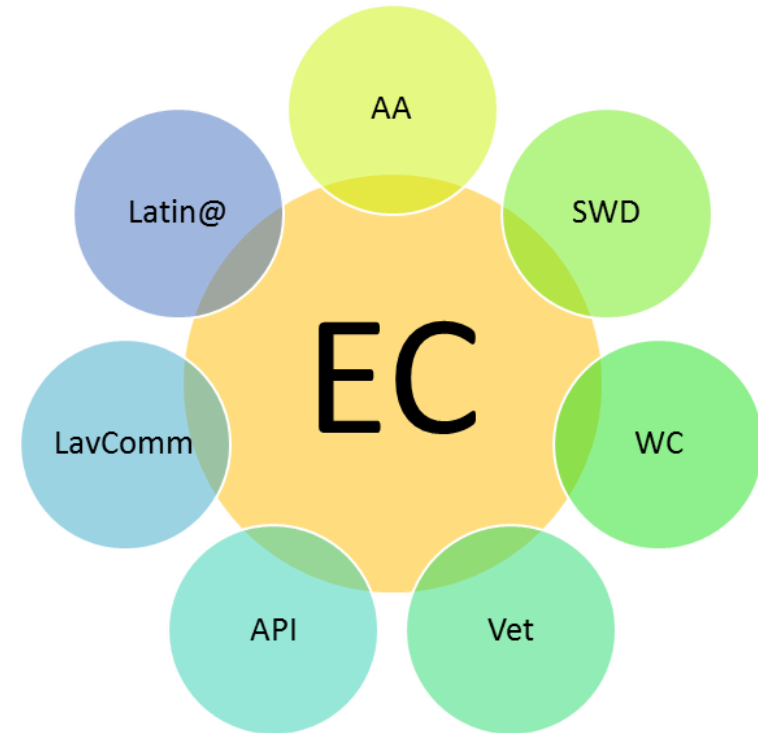
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

BE THE SOLUTION



SEIU Local 1000 Human Rights Committees

- ❖ African-American Committee
- ❖ Asian-Pacific Islander Committee
- ❖ [Environmental Committee](#)
- ❖ Latin@ Committee
- ❖ Lavender (LGBTQI) Committee
- ❖ State Workers with Disabilities Committee
- ❖ Veterans Committee
- ❖ Women's Committee



Per the L1000 Policy File:

The Environmental Committee shall oversee the implementation of a coordinated environmental and environmental justice program consistent with Local 1000 policy and all applicable provisions of contracts in force. The committee shall also make any needed recommendations to the Local 1000 Board of Directors and/or the Local 1000 statewide officers.



Duties and Responsibilities:

- (a) To educate and inform all Local 1000 members about environmental issues affecting our Local's members, society, and the working class in general.
- (b) To identify environmental and environmental justice issues of particular concern and to support Local 1000 and its individual members in taking collective action on these issues through the committee's leadership roles in encouraging more educated, prepared, and environmentally conscious members.

The Current Team

Appointees are the organizing and voting body

Officer approves expenditures and union leave requests, provides oversight

Staff provides union expertise and support

Activists can participate in a multitude of ways, and time commitment is self-determined

Appointees:

Claudia Gambaro, Chair

Stuart Bennett, Member

Eddie Isaacs, Member

Jerome Washington, Member

Officer Assigned:

Margarita Maldonado

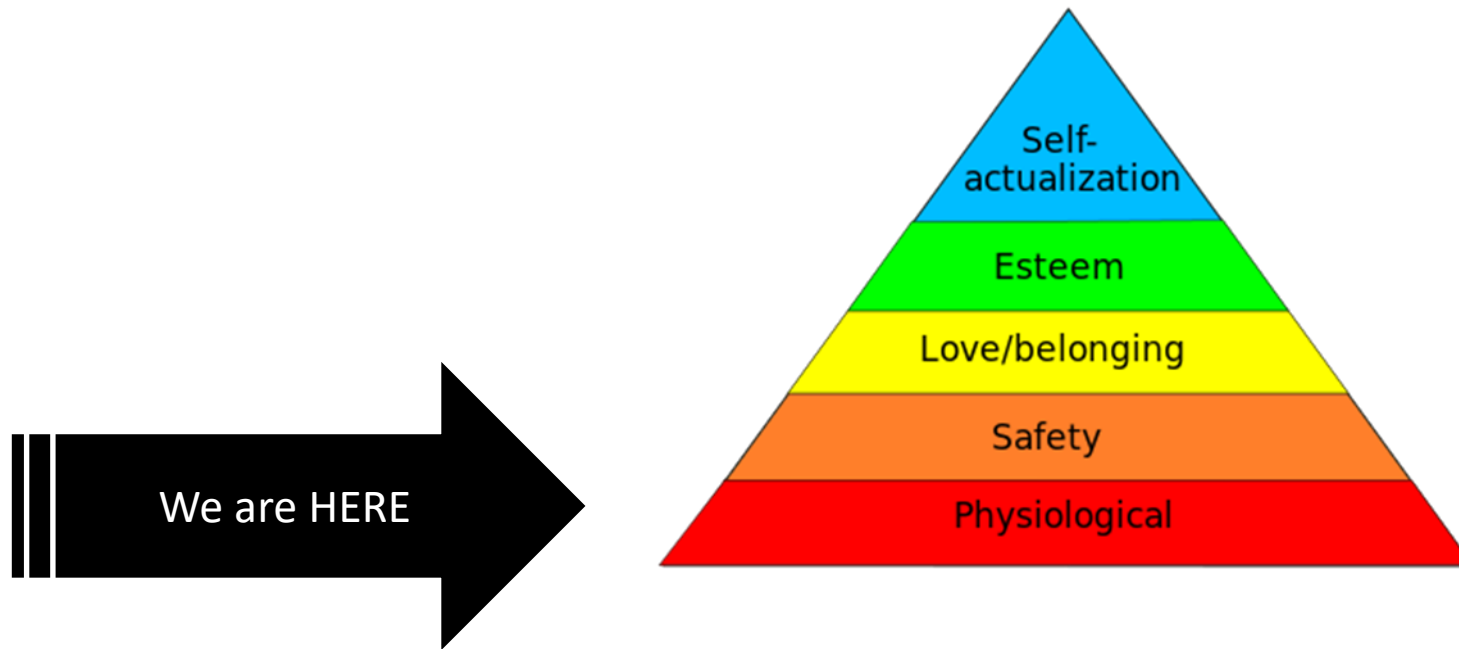
Staff Assigned:

Lezlie Uko

Activists:

YOU!

There Are No Jobs On A Dead Planet



Some Familiar Environmental Laws

State	Federal
California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)	National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)
California Endangered Species Act (CESA)	Endangered Species Act of 1973 (FESA)
California Clean Air Act (CCAA), and California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 (CGWSA)	Clean Air Act (CAA)
Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (PCWCA)	Water Pollution Control Act (aka Clean Water Act) (CWA)
California Safe Drinking Water Act (CSWDA)	Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)

Goals and Objectives



- ❖ Broad community goals- improving air/H2O/soil/food/access/etc... in your area. Enhancing opportunities such as bike lanes/trails (e.g. Shifting Gears Fresno), healthful food trucks for food “deserts”, building bridges in terms of intersectionality
- ❖ Environmental/EJ goals- avoiding and/or minimizing impacts from projects like DAPL, Keystone XL Pipeline, etc....
- ❖ Regulatory Compliance- tracking compliance and calling out infractions, e.g. Aliso Canyon (Porter Ranch), Chromium 6 in water supplies, etc....
- ❖ Legislative- Follow/support applicable Enviro bills/EOs (state and federal), write bills if needed, lobby if needed
- ❖ Interface- active on social media, attending events (e.g. Science Marches, EJ marches,...), coalitions (350, 314, Shifting Gears, ECOS, Sierra Club, etc....)

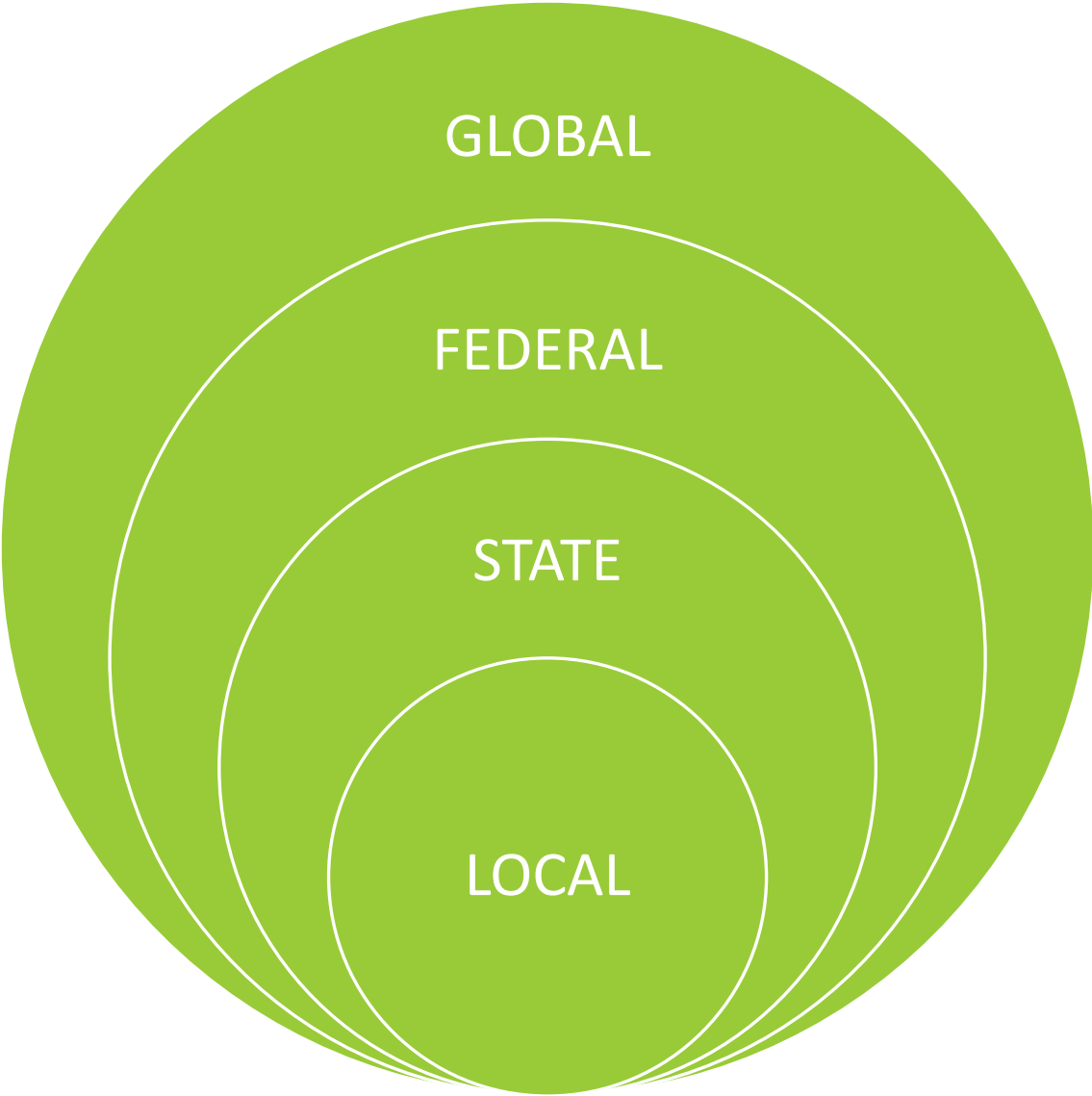
Goals and Objectives

- ❖ Affect positive change in small and large ways, in Departments, communities, cities, State, Federal, Global
- ❖ Own and master climate change and environmental justice issues- develop subject matter experts (SMEs)
- ❖ Align with Local 1000's Purpose Statement
- ❖ Align with SEIU International's Pillars from Detroit 2016:

- Environmental Justice
- Racial Justice
- Immigrant Justice



- Fight for \$15 and a Union
- LGBTIQ Justice
- Women's Equality



GLOBAL

FEDERAL

STATE

LOCAL



UNION

What the EC is doing to change sustainability practices within the union (campus green plan, etc.)

LOCAL

How our member activists can change their worksites by engaging with their departments to create sustainability or green committees and implement best practices

GLOBAL

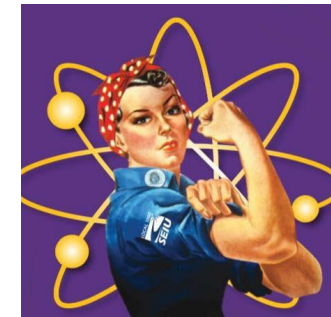
Aligning and interacting with partner organizations and efforts (e.g. Climate Reality Project, ECOS, 350, 314 Los Angeles, etc.)

EC Events 2017

Yep, that's us! Front line of the March for Science Sacramento, holding both the Science March and the SEIU Local 1000 banners.



March for Science Sacramento



Musicians	March Sponsored by
Chaotic Itilli Performing at Southside Park before the march	NextGen Climate America
Lauren Wakefield Performing at Southside Park and on the Main Stage	Center for Biological Diversity
Emcees	SEIU Local 1000
Ford Lawson Morning, Main Stage	Sacramento Central Labor Council
Rita Mukherjee Hoffstadt Morning, Main Stage	South Bay Scenic
James Nachbaur Afternoon, Main Stage	California Association of Professional Scientists
	Sacramento-Shasta Chapter of The Wildlife Society
	UAW Local 5810
	Sacramento Valley Chapter of the California Native Plant Society
	Stillwater Sciences



Environmental Council of Sacramento



Environmentalist of the Year – Innovation

March for Science Sacramento

Wednesday, November 8th, 2017



ECOS Earth Day



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bookmarks:
2016 &
2017

For more info, visit
www.ecosacramento.net
To contact the City, dial 311



The People's Climate March



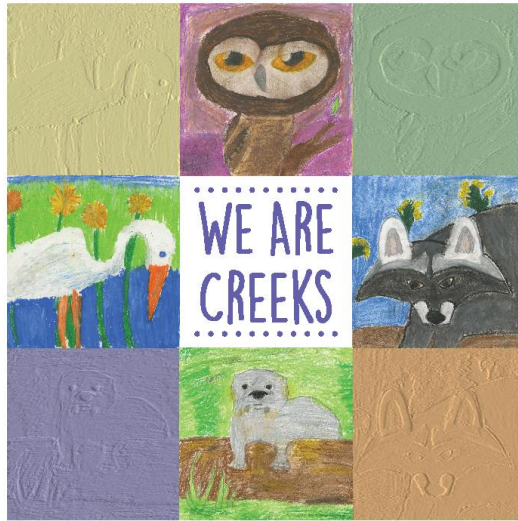
VP for Bargaining, Margarita Maldonado, at the #peoplesclimate march in Sacramento, joining people all over the U.S. to demand bold #cli... [Continue Reading](#)





Creek Week Clean-Up

Creek Week 2017
A Sacramento Area Creeks Council Event • April 21st-27th



Artwork from students at Leggett Elementary School

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- Sacramento Area Sewer District
- Reclamation District 1000
- Colusa/Elle
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- Delta Conservancy
- Aracade Creek Recreation & Park District
- ESA
- American River Flood Control District
- City of Sacramento
- City of Folsom
- City of Rancho Cordova
- City of Citrus Heights
- Water Forum
- Sacramento Regional Conservation Corps
- HDR, Inc.

GOLD

- Carmichael Recreation & Park District
- Mission Oaks Recreation & Park District
- Folsom-El Cerrito Recreation & Park District
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- Granite Construction Company
- California Native Plant Society
- Delta Protection Commission
- Regional Water Authority
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- California Department of Transportation
- The Wildlife Society
- Sacramento-Shasta Chapter
- Sacramento-Sutter Water District

BRONZE

- Three Unlimited, Sac-Sierra Chapter
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- Gill Scouts, Heart of Central California
- San Juan Unified School District
- Mira Loma High School
- Mesa Verde High School

Brochures are available at your local park district, community center, Elbe Year Native Center, Discovery Museum Science & Space Center or at www.creekweek.net

To volunteer for a Creek Clean Up or for more information go to www.creekweek.net or call 454-4544



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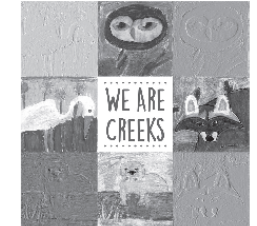
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Tom Steyer: President of NextGen Climate

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Sheraton Grand Sacramento
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Tom Steyer likes SEIU Local 1000 Environmental Committee's link.

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Finding us at L1000 website

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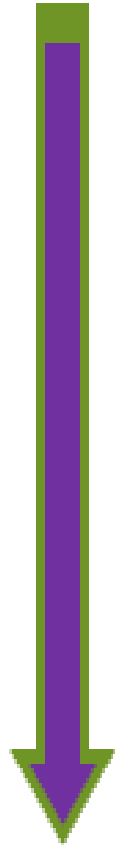
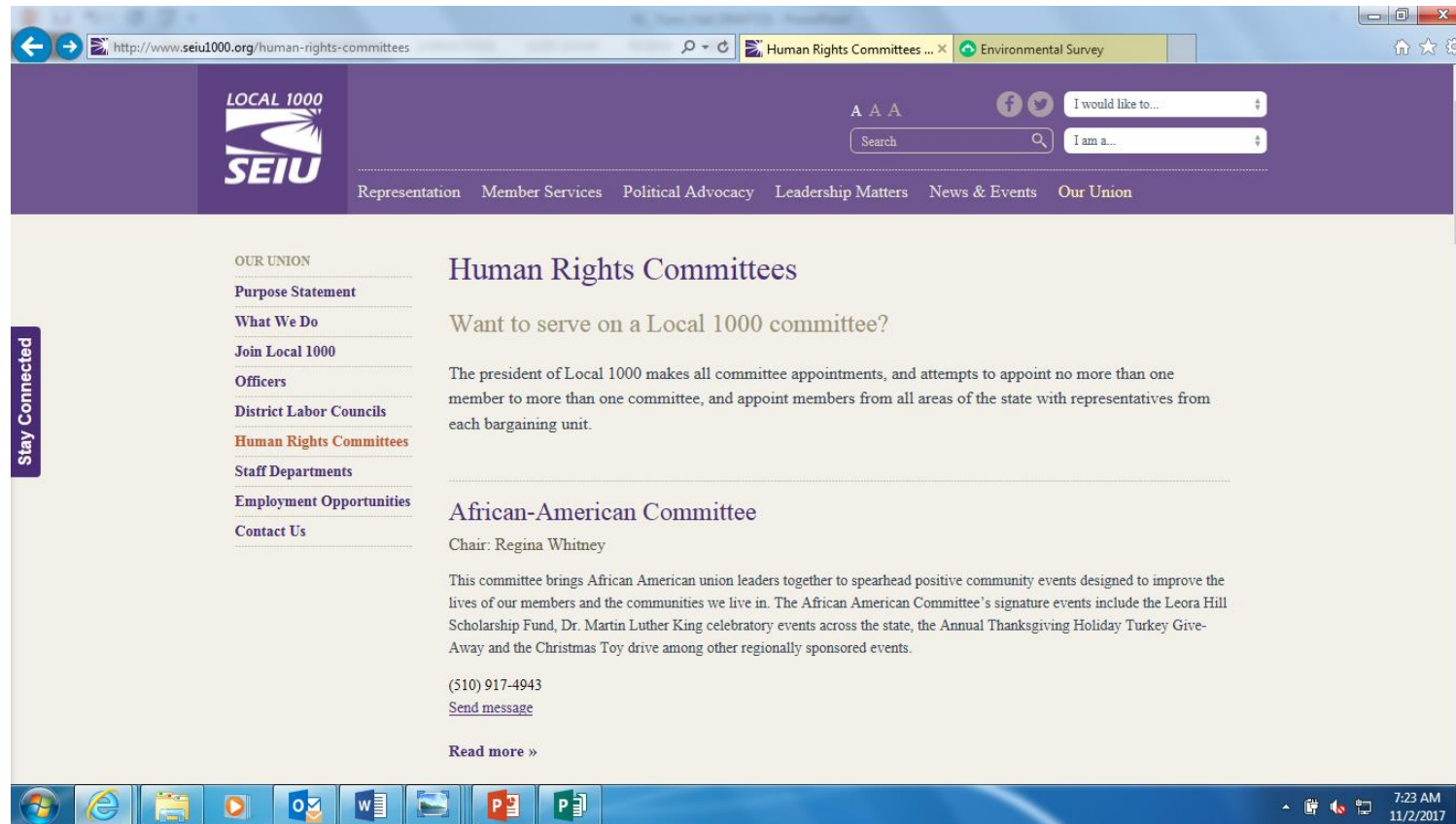
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- Hover over “Our Union”
- Click on “HRCs”



Finding us at L1000 website

STEP 2

- Scroll down to EC
- Click on EC

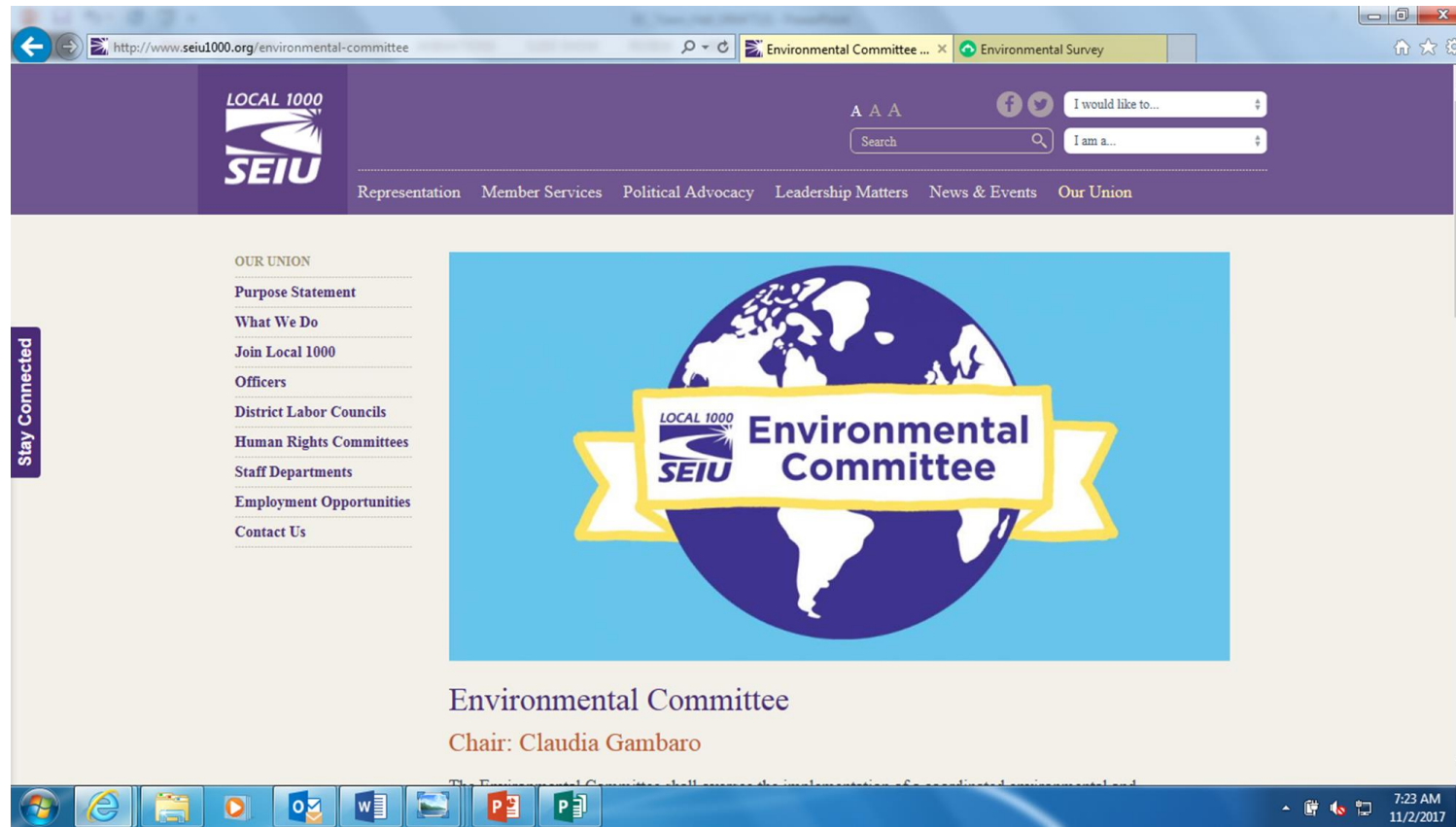


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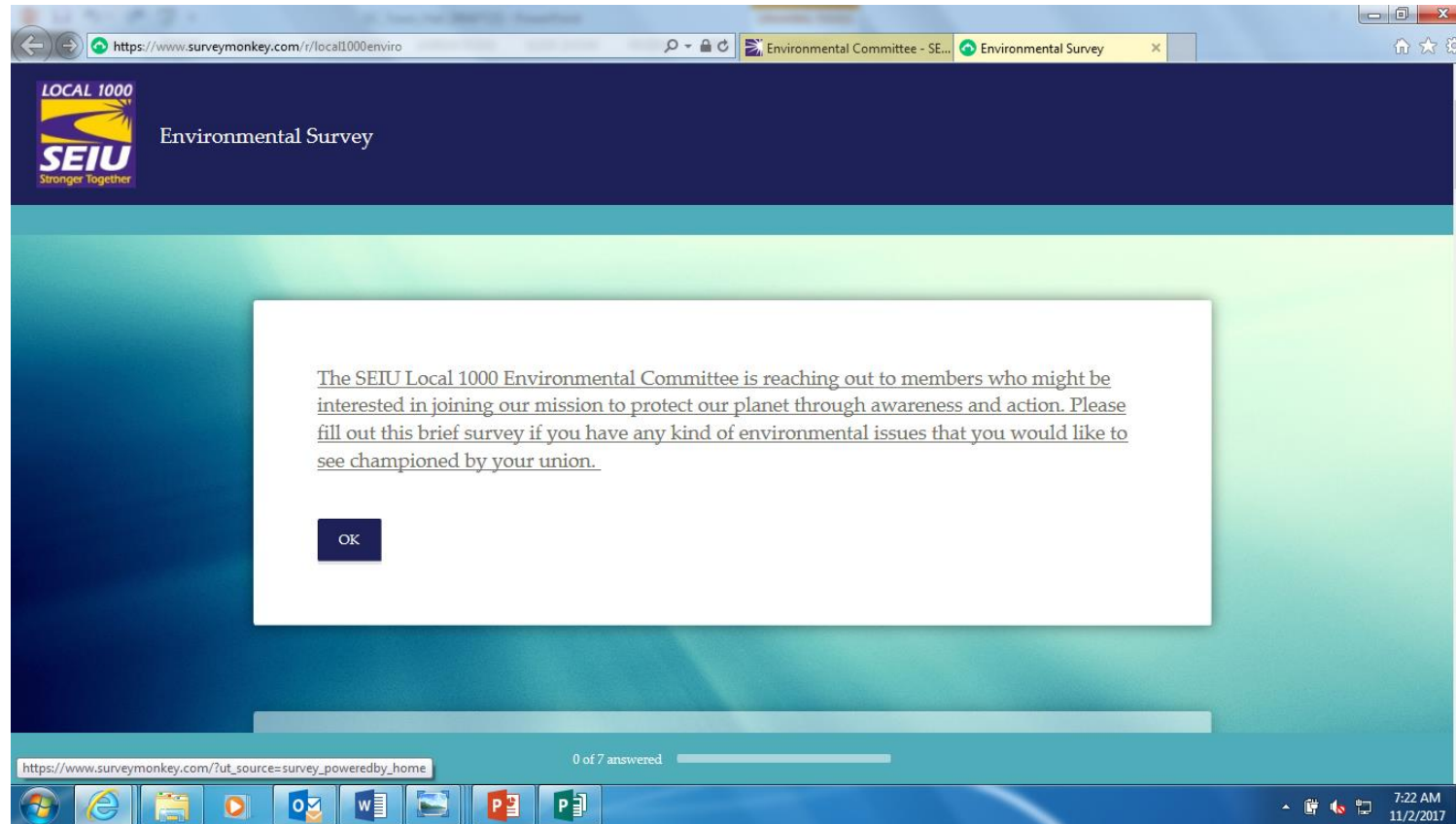
Our page

STEP 3

- You are HERE!
- Click any underlined links
- Click any “Read More” links



The Survey



EC movie event invites on Facebook

8 August
2017
Sacramento
Cinema
event-
tickets
purchased in
block seating

an inconvenient sequel
TRUTH TO POWER

AUG 8 An Inconvenient Sequel: Movie outing with the L1000 Enviro-Comm.
Hosted by SEIU Local 1000 Environmental Committee · Public

Check In

Edit Invite More

Tuesday, August 8 at 7 PM
about 2 months ago

Century Arden 14 and XD
1590 Ethan Way, Sacramento, California 95825

ABOUT DISCUSSION

7 October
2017
Board of
Director's
Meeting
San Jose
Viewed in
meeting
room

REFUGEES

"This film is an agent for social change."
Robert Redford, *NY Times*

"A resounding wake-up call for every human being. A must-see film that puts the human soul in the science of climate change."
Sherri Quim, *NPR*

"The most important film made in the last 50 years. An obvious Oscar contender."
Rich Schiff, *Editor Greenwich Village Gazette*

-MOVIE NIGHT-

OCT 7 Movie Night with L1000 Environmental Committee: Climate Refugees
Hosted by SEIU Local 1000 Environmental Committee · Public

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Saturday, October 7 at 4 PM - 6 PM
2 days ago

San Jose Marriott
301 S Market St, San Jose, California 95113

ABOUT DISCUSSION

10 March
2018
Board of
Director's
Meeting
Manhattan
Beach
Marriott
Room TBA

AWAKE
A DREAM FROM STANDING ROCK

A NEW FILM FROM DIRECTORS JOSH FOX, JAMES SPIONE AND MYRON DEWEY
STREAM ONLINE ON EARTH DAY, APRIL 22ND
AWAKETHEFILM.ORG

MAR 10 EC Movie Night: "Awake, a Dream from Standing Rock"
SEIU Local 1000 Environmental Committee · Public

Promote Edit Share More

Saturday, March 10 at 4:30 PM - 6 PM

Manhattan Beach Marriott
1400 Parkview Avenue, Manhattan Beach, California 90266

ABOUT DISCUSSION

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Our lapel pin, Earth Day & CRP logos



EC Events 2018

“Come join us – entrepreneurs, singers, musicians, mathematicians, professors, students – we need people that represent the whole world because this is about the whole world and the people who live here ... It’s time to act, it’s time to join together, and that’s why at this Climate Action Summit, we’re going to get it done.”

–Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.,
Message to the Global Citizen Festival in
Hamburg, Germany, July 2017

We are signed up as
sponsor/volunteer/and attendee. We
also are looking to have a seat at the
table in the organizing and building of
this historic event.

<https://globalclimateactionsummit.org/>



EC Events/Tasks 2018

What we can do and where is very dependent upon how many EC activists we have and where they are located.

- ❖ Women's March, Sacramento, Jan 20
- ❖ Board of Director's meetings (BOD):
 - Manhattan Beach Marriott, March 10 – 11
- ❖ March for Science L.A., April 14
- ❖ Creek Week Clean Up, Sacramento, April 14
- ❖ ECOS Earth Day, Sacramento, April 22
- ❖ BOD Sacramento Holiday Inn Capitol Plaza, June 30 - July 1
- ❖ Global Climate Action Summit, San Francisco, September 12-14
- ❖ BOD Oakland Marriott City Center, Oct 6 – 7
- ❖ Monthly phone meetings, 11:30-1300:
 - ❖ 12 Jan, 9 Feb, 13 Apr, 11 May, 8 Jun, 30 Jun, 13 Jul, 10 Aug, 7 Sep, 9 Nov, 14 Dec
- ❖ People's Climate March 2018?
- ❖ How to Start a State Career workshop(s)?
- ❖ Tasks: Create/Update lists: green/clean products/companies; ABs/SBs/EOs/Props; native plant alternatives; product/company boycotts, environmentally-friendly vendors/caterers; Sustainability Program for L1000.

How to get involved with the EC

- ❖ “Like: the EC public Facebook Page, read it, engage in dialogues on posts, add your own posts
- ❖ Search for and ask to “join” the EC Activist Forum: this is where you will interact directly with the EC Team and activists. The majority of all written EC communications take place in this format, in this forum. Essentially, if you want to be involved you need to have a Facebook account. It’s free, and we will help you learn how to use it, if you need.
- ❖ Become a subject matter expert (SME) for particular issues/subjects of your preference and then become the point of contact (POC) on said issues/subjects for the EC (e.g. one of the EC activists is a SME and POC for fracking in Monterey County and Measure Z).
- ❖ Take on a task and be its caretaker (e.g. one person is maintaining the Legislative bills list we created).
- ❖ Get involved in local events on behalf of the EC (e.g. the 2018 March for Science L.A., coastal/river clean-ups, etc.....)

Are you ready to be part of the solution?

