



Who we are

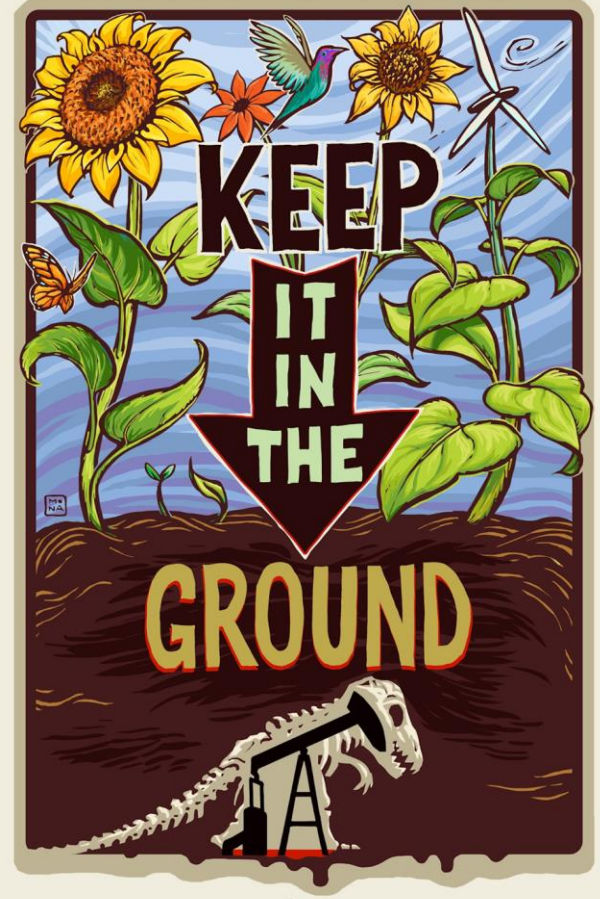
- The Climate Justice Alliance was founded in 2013 as a new center of gravity in the climate movement by uniting communities on the frontline of environmental injustice.
- Currently made up of 89 organizations in the US and territories.
- Member organizations are made up of community based organizations, their networks and alliances. They work on environmental justice and their work is linked to broader struggles for positive social change and transformation.



Just Transition Framework

Developed by Movement Generation along with the Our Power Campaign

- A Just Transition is a unifying vision and shared strategy on **how to move from an extractive economy to a regenerative economy.**
- It is a step towards a complete re-imagination of our world, grounded in practice and solutions offered up by communities that have been the most exploited and neglected by capitalism.
- A process and an end point



The Just Transition Framework identifies the core problem of the climate crisis being a crisis of the economy. We currently live in an economy that extracts resources, labor and wealth from our communities for profit. In order to solve the climate crisis, we need to be organizing for a transition to local, living economies that regenerate our communities, our environments and ourselves.

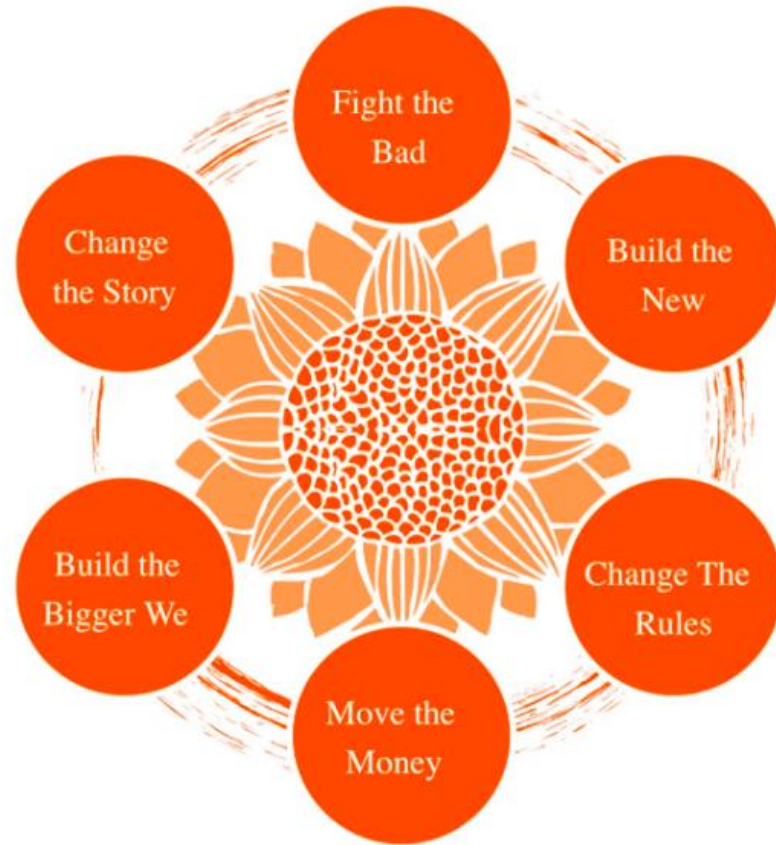


The Extractive Economy

- Resources: Extraction. We dig up resources, burn them, and then dump the waste.
- Work: Exploitation of labor.
- Purpose: The accumulation, concentration and enclosure of wealth and power.
- Worldview/Culture: Is based on consumerism and requires endless new frontiers. Infinite growth.
- Governance: Short-term profits > than human/ecological well-being. Requires imperialism (control of land, labor, and story).



**How do we
move from an
extractive
economy to a
regenerative
economy?**



Reinvest in Our Power

- Working to move resources and power into community control.
- The Our Power Loan Fund is a revolving loan fund for CJA members that are building worker-owned cooperatives.
- Provides trainings and support to members building worker-owned cooperatives.



UPPROSE

- Brooklyn's oldest Latino community-based organization
- Intergenerational
- Multiracial
- Women of Color-Led
- Internationally recognized

