

Dear William,

As you may recall, we have been invited to work with the national **Green New Deal Network** (**GND Network**), a coalition of national and state groups working to win Green New Deals for our homes, health, schools and more. They've asked us join them to in their campaign to ask that our Senators and Representatives sign on and speak up for these bills. With their resources and advice, we can be more informed, powerful, and effective in taking action.

At our last meeting, **Mercedes Renshaw**, one of the GND Network field organizers spoke with us about their campaign plans and resources. She invited us to check out their website and bills at **Federal Green New Deal Bills**.

The **GND Network's top priority** now is promoting the **American Climate Corps (ACC)**. By putting young people to work tackling the climate crisis at home, the ACC could produce tangible and near-immediate economic and social benefits for young people, our families, and our communities. They urge us to find projects funded in our state and get the word out to young people to apply for these meaningful job opportunities. <u>Learn more about this project here</u>.

Our Next Meeting

<u>Please join us at our next meeting, next Tuesday, May 21st, at noon,</u> to see and hear Mercedes tell us more about the Network and discuss whether to join? After that, we will exchange our group reports of recent and future actions as well as our Coalition outreach and steering team reports.

Please reply with any questions, suggestions to: <u>admin@southseattleclimate.org</u> If you cannot make it, please send us your updates, questions, and your recommendations for action.

About The Coalition

Until then, to find out more about our Coalition's past, plans, and priorities, go to our website. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Beth at admin@southseattleclimate.org.

Thank you for reading, speaking up, and persisting in our movements for a green new deal, climate justice and beyond, please keep it up. Please forward this message to your other groups, family and friends who are looking for ways to learn and act.

In Solidarity,

Beth, Bill, Cortney, Pass the Federal Green New Deal Outreach Team