

# UCSD REGENTS: DIVEST NOW FROM FOSSIL FUELS!

- **Inspired by UCSD students**, faculty plan to present a resolution to the Representative Assembly in early April, requesting a full Senate vote on a Resolution to the Regents to instruct the Chief Investment Officer to divest our investment portfolio of stocks in companies whose primary business concerns the extraction and sale of fossil fuels.
- **Once the resolution passes**, a Town Hall will take place in late April or early May, followed by an email vote of the entire faculty.



## HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Add your name to show support at [www.fossilfreeucsd.org](http://www.fossilfreeucsd.org).
- Ask your department's representative(s) to the Academic Senate's Rep. Assembly to support the resolution.
- Ask other faculty to support the resolution, add their name to the website, and contact their representative(s).
- Help with planning. Contact [info@fossilfreeucsd.org](mailto:info@fossilfreeucsd.org).
- Provide a photo (headshot) and brief (1-2 sentences) testimonial for use on the website (see website for samples). Send to [info@fossilfreeucsd.org](mailto:info@fossilfreeucsd.org).

## WHY SHOULD WE DO THIS?

- **Solve the Climate Crisis!**  
UCSD researchers are at the forefront of the science of climate change. We're also national leaders in sustainability, including our commitment to become a carbon-neutral by 2025.
- **Secure our Retirement and Endowment!**  
Coal, oil and gas stocks have probably already cost our investments hundreds of millions of dollars. They will fall even more when the market realizes that most of their carbon reserves can never be burnt.
- **Support our Students!**  
UCSD students understand climate change is a major threat to their future. They've asked our support to transition to renewable energy. We agree.



**It's time to put our dollars where they'll support climate solutions - not carbon pollution & climate impacts!**