

Take out your calendar and make a big, bright circle around Saturday, November 16th.

Why? Because we need your help. Norfolk and the entire Hampton Roads region is Virginia's ground zero in the climate crisis. Already, residents are seeing water lapping at their front doors or routinely taking different routes to work to avoid flooded roads. We can either stay on the path toward more investments in fossil fuels, destroying our coasts with rising seas and stronger storms. Or we can work together and demand a rapid move toward solutions.



On Saturday, November 16th, hundreds of Virginians -- community activists, experts, and movement

leaders -- will come together in Norfolk to map out concrete ways to protect our coast and our homes.

Register now for "Safe Coast Virginia: A Community ActionConference on Climate Change, Energy and Adaptation." Click here to get started: https://safecoastva-ccan1.eventbrite.com.

This will be a historic day -- a launching point toward the informed, energized and people-powered movement Virginia needs to advance energy and adaptation solutions that match the scale of the climate crisis.

Learn the latest facts. Hear from inspiring community leaders and nationally known speakers, including a rousing video presentation by Bill McKibben of <u>350.org</u>. Rub elbows with the likes of Lois Gibbs, the mom-turned-organizer of Love Canal fame, and Rev. Lennox Yearwood, the dynamic leader of the Hip Hop Caucus. *Get inspired to take action.*

Here are the details:

WHEN: Saturday, November 16, 2013, 9:30am-4:00pm WHERE: Norfolk Botanical Garden, Rose Garden Hall

REGISTRATION: \$20 regular, \$10 student, limited free volunteer spots -- all including lunch and

free parking.

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