

What your contribution to NEIS will support in 2010...

NEIS -- Illinois' nuclear power watchdog – continues the fight for safe energy and a less-nuclear world! Last year **over 80%** of contributions went **directly** towards supporting our issue programs. Here's what your giving will support in 2010:

- Expanding our important **"Know Nukes!"** educational campaign and cable access TV series on nuclear energy issues produced cooperatively with CAN TV Chicago (reaching up to 1.4 million households). Expand our newly formed Chicago Green-TV production team to produce two new documentaries on nuclear topics in 2010.
- Continuing the **"No More -- No Way!"** Campaign, fighting for a responsible phase out of nuclear plants in Illinois and elsewhere by:
 - ✓ Continuing our **"Defend Illinois!"** campaign, exposing weak security and emergency planning conditions at Illinois' 14 reactors and whistle-blower allegations about safety violations; and confronting authorities on post-9/11 reactor security vulnerabilities.
 - ✓ Launching a reactor-community watchdog program, to monitor health issues and investigate water contamination reports at Illinois reactors.
 - ✓ Opposing Exelon Corp. plans to: relicense old, decrepit nuclear reactors; build a new reactor at downstate Clinton, and elsewhere in the U.S.; and "fast-track" premature decommissioning of the closed Zion reactors on the shores of Lake Michigan.
 - ✓ Supporting the "20-20 Energy Vision"-- "renewable portfolio standards" for energy efficiency and renewable energy use in Illinois to end our nuclear and coal addictions, effectively fight global warming, and end industry plans for a "nuclear renaissance."
 - ✓ Opposing the Global Nuclear Energy partnership (GNEP), which could resurrect dangerous "reprocessing" of irradiated (spent) nuclear fuel here.
 - ✓ Preventing repeal of Illinois' 1987 nuclear construction moratorium law.
- Expanding our successful **"You Can't 'Nuke' Global Warming!"** Campaign - a citizen education and action campaign on non-nuclear ways to fight global warming - through the "Low-Carb(on) Diet" program.
- Promoting the national **Carbon Free-Nuclear Free Campaign: A Roadmap for US Energy Policy** as a way to fight climate change effects while eliminating the use of nuclear and fossil fuels in the U.S. by 2040.
- **"Don't (Rad)Waste America!"** Promote **"hardened-onsite storage" (HOSS)** of irradiated reactor fuel at Illinois reactors. Host a national radioactive waste summit in Chicago, June 2010 to define a citizens' national radioactive waste policy.
- Continue coalition work with **Climate Justice Chicago, Chicago Climate Action Alliance**, and others, to establish local programs to reverse the negative effects of global warming, and re-define the global warming issue in terms of climate justice and the creation of a sustainable economic system.

You want a non-nuclear future? ...then, support one!

❖ *Special events – please attend with guests*

- **NEIS Annual Meeting**, Sunday June 13th, afternoon
- **Annual Fundraising Dinner**, Sept. 26th (tentative date)
- **Know Nukes!** Films, presentations and discussions throughout the year. Check office answering machine and NEIS website for titles and topics.

❖ *Make a difference - become a member!*

Basic membership to NEIS is **\$30** per year – less than the cost of a gourmet coffee per month. Contributions are tax-deductible.

2010 Special: through 2010, **first-time** members joining **online** are **\$12** – a dollar per month! **Online** renewals will be **\$24**. See below for details of joining and donating online.

❖ *New! - Make tax-deductible contributions automatically online!*

Use our new **secure** online contribution system to make **automatic** tax-deductible donations using the credit card of your choice, at the amount you select, as often as you want. No stamps, phone calls, incessant reminders – once you set it up, **it's automatic!** Change or discontinue whenever you want.

Try it today at: www.neis.org . Click the blue Groundspring.org "Donate Now" button in the upper right-hand corner of our homepage screen.



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