

ready to talk!

Your audience will be excited to discuss the issues raised by **HOW TO LET GO OF THE WORLD**. Here are some questions that will get people talking.

1. Which moment from the film resonated with you most?
2. When it comes to climate change, what challenges face your community? How can the values discussed in the film help?
3. When you go back to your family or friends, what important things from the film do you want to share with them?
4. What are you most afraid of when it comes to climate change?
5. How can you stop fossil fuel infrastructure in your community?
6. How do we build stronger communities, strengthen our values and develop renewable energy at the same time?
7. How can you build renewable energy?
8. Are there any important local groups or movements people can participate in?
9. How can our community go 100% renewable? How can our community be more just and loving?
10. Who are the local officials you can contact to make sure your community starts preparing for climate change and transitions to 100% renewable energy?
11. Is there a diverse group of people present? How can we reach out to folks outside of our traditional circles for the next event?
12. When can everyone next meet to continue this conversation and take action?
13. Who's hosting the next screening?

action points

The following are suggestions to spur your moral imagination. Click on any checklist item. Although we must act as communities and as groups, your individual voice and contributions matter so much.



- Participate in the political process
- Attend your local or town board meeting, get climate change and renewable energy on the agenda
- What does democracy mean to you?



- Get to know your neighbors
- Meditate
- Exercise
- Read poetry



- Choose solar and wind
- Actively choose to engage on the climate once a day:
 - breakfree2016.org
 - www.chooseveg.com/environment
 - www.whyeatlessmeat.com



- Join local climate action group
- Participate in organized nonviolent direct action
- Follow @joshfoxfilm on Twitter to learn more about upcoming actions



- Don't forget to dance and sing
- Play music
- Keep a journal of your progress, read the passages you like with friends and loved ones
- Make an awesome protest sign for the next rally
- Create change
- Just create



- Listen to your favorite record and remember how great it is to be alive, share that music with someone you love, then talk to them about climate change!
- Tell everyone that you love them
- Visit nature (without harming it)



- Invent a new type of community gathering and organize it
- Discover something new
- Innovative stories change lives, search for Josh Fox



- Participate in at least one human-rights-related issue
- Study and practice non-violence



- Volunteer at your local community center:
www.interactcenter.com • www.comeoutandplay.org • findyourpark.com/find
www.landfillharmonicmovie.com • communitygarden.org
communitypowernetwork.com/node/5632 • boldnebraska.org/build
- Invite all your neighbors and friends over to dinner



- Read the works of John Muir, Martin Luther King Jr., Malcolm X, Susan B. Anthony, Bill McKibben
- Take the Trash On Your Back 5-Day Challenge
- Do one thing that scares you (nothing physically dangerous)

ready to act!

handout

Action Center — <http://theactioncenter.com/>

The mission of the Action Center is to make a positive impact on the lives and futures of children, youth, family, and the communities wherever Action Center programs are implemented.

350.org — <https://350.org/>

International effort to raise awareness of the need to decrease carbon dioxide concentration in the atmosphere to 350 parts per million.

Amazon Watch — <http://amazonwatch.org/>

Amazon Watch is a nonprofit organization founded in 1996 to protect the rainforest and advance the rights of indigenous peoples in the Amazon Basin. We partner with indigenous and environmental organizations in campaigns for human rights, corporate accountability and the preservation of the Amazon's ecological systems.

The Chaikuni Institute— <http://www.chaikuni.org>

The Chaikuni Institute is a grassroots collective which investigates, promotes and protects equitable, inclusive, interrelated and abundant living systems.

Climate Disobedience Center— <http://www.climatedisobedience.org/>

The Climate Disobedience Center brings together an experienced team to provide logistical, legal and spiritual resources, on the ground assistance, and advice to climate activists engaged in civil disobedience across the country. The Center will deploy those assets to nurture strong, grounded communities of resistance willing to take risks of moral imagination, and is committed to supporting those who hold allegiance to a higher moral law through the legal process and consequences of action.

Empowered By Light — <http://empoweredbylight.org/>

Empowered By Light is working to build multiple demonstration projects around the world, improving the lives and the environment of communities surrounding these projects and further demonstrating the importance, feasibility, and sustainability of electrifying very remote and critical areas around the world with 100 percent clean renewable energy.

Occupy Sandy — <http://occupysandy.net/>

Occupy Sandy is a grassroots disaster relief network that emerged to provide mutual aid to communities affected by Superstorm Sandy, and a project of the Alliance for Global Justice.

Oceana — <http://oceana.org/>

Oceana is an international organization focused solely on oceans, dedicated to achieving measurable change by conducting specific, science-based campaigns with fixed deadlines and articulated goals.

Pacific Climate Warriors — <http://world.350.org/pacificwarriors/>

The people of the Pacific Islands are among the world's most vulnerable to climate change, but 2014 marks the year that we begin to do something about it. It's time for the proud people of the Pacific Islands to join forces with 350 to say "enough is enough."

Realclimate.org — <http://www.realclimate.org>

A commentary site on Climate Science founded by Michael E. Mann.

Get Connected with Your Local Group — <http://www.howtoletgomovie.com/action.html#connect>

Climate activism is a team sport. By working together we can build strong communities that can stop the expansion of fossil fuels and transition to 100% renewable energy. When we work together we can ensure our society is more loving and honorable, while we face the challenging times ahead. Join the folks in your community who are already working to determine climate and energy solutions in your area.