

CLIMATE CHANGE RESOURCES AND A COUPLE ON WORKFORCE

Rural Policy Research Institute, Climate Change and Rural Communities in the U.S. , draft briefing paper.

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Conclusion: Rural communities can and must participate in the current climate change debate in the US. Rural landscapes and economies will inevitably be impacted by climate change effects and the mitigation policies chosen by our states, nation, and global institutions. Without a voice in the debate, rural interests and contributions will not be heard, and climate change legislation may have seriously negative repercussions for rural prosperity. Instead, rural advocates have the potential to make important economic and conservation contributions to climate change mitigation and adaptation efforts in the US.

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Environmental Protection Agency, climate Impacts on Human Health: <http://www.epa.gov/climatechange/impacts-adaptation/health.html>

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[http://www.acponline.org/advocacy/where we stand/assets/ii4-national-health-care-workforce.pdf](http://www.acponline.org/advocacy/where_we_stand/assets/ii4-national-health-care-workforce.pdf)

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