

# WATER

The amount of water does not change.  
Clean water is our most precious resource.  
Contamination of water is a serious offense.

The Great Lakes contain 1/5 of the fresh water on earth.

## LAKE ERIE

From animal agriculture and poor cropland management,  
sewage and Ag chemicals enter the lake.

## ALGAE BLOOM.

During peak pollution events swimmers have body rashes.

Ingesting the water causes vomit and liver damage.

Water treatment facilities are unable to provide  
safe drinking water for the city of Toledo.

Elsewhere, there are similar water supply problems,  
Polluters pay a fine and go back to business as usual.

## OUR RIVERS

The Columbia, the Colorado, the Suwannee, the Hudson

Our rivers are drainpipes for free direct toxic discharge.

Environmental law is weak. Jail for offenders.

## GREEN NEW DEAL

As a matter of public health and basic decency  
our life-sustaining waters should be cared for.

Polluters must immediately adopt preventive methods,  
reimburse public expenses  
and conduct business under strong green regulation.

