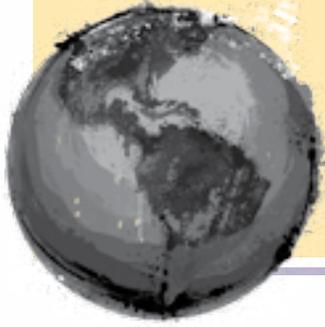


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UNION UPDATE



JOIN THE FIGHT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ON EARTH DAY

We're stepping up the fight for environmental justice in a series of actions centered around Earth Day, working to raise awareness of environmental and climate issues and the unprecedented threats to the health of our planet.

"There are no jobs on a dead planet," said Claudia Gambaro, chairperson of our Environmental Committee. "Dramatic changes are taking place with a new administration in Washington. We stand to lose much of what we gained in the past decades unless we stand up against the loss of federal environmental science and regulation."

Signup today on the Local 1000 Environmental Committee Facebook page or visit www.seiu1000.org/EarthDay.

Take Action!

Saturday, April 22

Join a March for Science near you in solidarity with hundreds of similar marches around the world. We're celebrating a passion for science and supporting and safeguarding our scientific community.

Sunday, April 23

Join our Environmental Committee at Southside Park at the Earth Day celebration of the Environmental Council of Sacramento, supporting regional and community sustainability and a healthy environment for existing and future residents.

Saturday, April 29

Join our Environmental Committee in the Sacramento area's annual Creek Week Cleanup.

Member Profile

CLAUDIA GAMBARO

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVIST AT WORK AND IN OUR COMMUNITY

Claudia Gambaro works every day to create a better California as an Associate Environmental Planner (Natural Sciences) at the state's Military Department.

surveys she performed helped create a wildlife hazard plan that would ensure the safety of the aircrews that fly in and around the base, as well as the safety of the surrounding community.

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-Claudia Gambaro
Chair, Environmental Committee



The primary job of her unit is to avoid, minimize and mitigate the impacts to threatened or endangered wildlife species by California's National Guard training facilities.

As the chairperson of our Environmental Committee, she's working with her fellow members to help community allies with organizing others to take up the cause.

One example of Gambaro's work was to understand the birds and mammals living in and around the Joint Forces Training Base in Los Alamitos. The

"We're sharing what we do best: Teaching others how to have conversations around shared values and inciting them to take action," Gambaro said.



JOIN THE RESISTANCE MOVEMENT

During the Congressional recess, we're demanding that members of Congress stand with our communities, not greedy corporations.

Join the nationwide Resistance Movement along with thousands of other Californians at rallies, town halls and marches during the month of April.

Although we won the recent battle to dismantle the Affordable Care Act, we know that Congress will return from recess and use the budget

process to further their agenda to sabotage healthcare, dismantle Medicaid, shift more resources to the wealthy, attack our environment, continue an anti-immigrant agenda, and make it easier for employers to prey on workers.

It's important that decision-makers hear from you. Make sure your voice is heard.

Take Action!

Sign up to phone bank or walk a district near you.

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