

Alameda Earthpalooza - a season for caring about the earth

May		
<p>Garden Tour: Living Color The California Way May 6 @ 11:00 am - 4:00 pm Alameda Support Foundation Take a tour of 15 local gardens. Proceeds will support local scholarships. asfcharity.org</p>	<p>Be the Change Climate Reality Presentation May 6 @ 1:00 - 4:00 pm Alameda Veterans Hall 2203 Central Avenue Learn the facts about the climate crisis and how to be a part of the solution.</p>	<p>Alameda Backyard Chicken Coop Tour May 7 @ 1:00 - 4:00 pm See how 15 Alameda homes squeeze backyard flocks into small town lots in this free, fun, informal tour. alamedachickens.org</p>
<p>Bike To Work Day May 11 @ 6:00 - 10:00 am Join Bike Walk Alameda for our yearly event celebrating community and our love of biking. bikewalkalameda.org</p>	<p>Family Cycling Workshop May 13 @ 9:30 am - 12:00 pm Edison Elementary School 2700 Buena Vista Avenue Join Bike East Bay's certified instructors for a day of fun and games, drills, and skills building. bikeeastbay.org/FCW</p>	<p>Planting for Success May 13 @ 12:00 - 1:30 pm Ploughshares Nursery 2701 Main Street Learn how to properly plant and care for fruit trees and ornamental plants. ploughsharesnursery.com</p>
<p>Integrated Pest Management for Weeds May 17 @ 7:00 - 8:00 pm Rhythmix Cultural Works 2513 Blanding Avenue Presented by Sherry Dunn, Alameda County Gardener alamedabackyardgrowers.org</p>	<p>Girls Inc. of the Island City Ethical Fashion Show May 20 @ 5:00 - 7:00 pm Elks Lodge 2255 Santa Clara Avenue Learn about controversial issues surrounding the fashion industry, including its impact on the environment. girlsincislandcity.org</p>	<p>#Love Our Green Island Energy and Climate Workshop May 23 @ 6:00 - 8:00 pm Alameda Free Library 1550 Oak Street Celebrating our successes and brainstorming What's Next.</p>

June

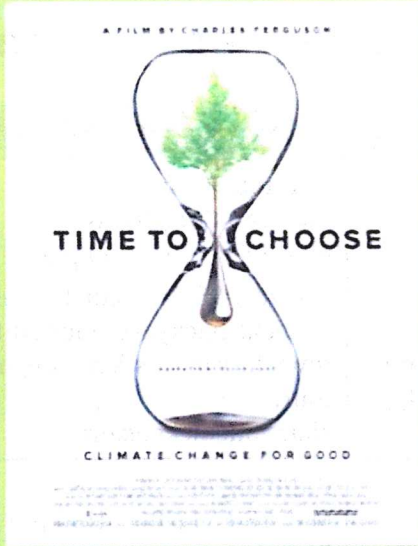
<p>Special Screening of Time to Choose June 7 @ 6:00 - 9:00 pm Michaan's Alameda Point Theater 2700 Saratoga Street Special film showing and panel discussion featuring Tom Dinwoodie, Executive Producer and Michael Brune, Sierra Club Executive Director.</p>



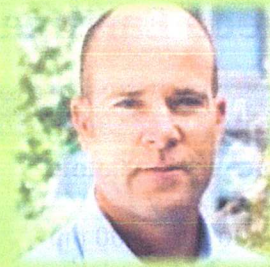
More info. and updates at:
alamedaeearthpalooza.org

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June 7th (6-9pm) -- An evening of Film & Discussion...



Tom Dinwoodie,
Executive Producer,
Time to Choose



Michael Brune
Executive Director
Sierra Club (National),
Local Alameda resident

On June 7th (6-9pm), to culminate [Alameda Earth Palooza](#) events, Michaan's Theater (Alameda Point) will feature "Time to Choose" - A beautiful 2016 documentary (by Charles Ferguson, oscar-winning *Inside Job* filmmaker and Tom Dinwoodie) that outlines today's broad range of global climate challenges and focuses on the race against time to implement existing, clean solutions and technologies available to us now such as wind and solar power vs carbon-generating sources of energy.

Join Executive Producer, **Tom Dinwoodie** (former CTO of SunPower) and **Michael Brune** (Natl Exec Director, Sierra Club - and local Alameda Resident) in a thriving live discussion following the film.

6:00-6:30pm - Wine & Cheese (VIP Reception with Tom, Michael and local Alameda City Officials)

6:30-8:30pm - Feature Film (documentary)

8:30-9:00pm - Speaker Panel & Discussion with Tom and Michael

<http://www.alamedaeearthpalooza.org>

DATE AND TIME

Wed, June 7, 2017
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM PDT

LOCATION

Michaan's Theater
2700 Saratoga Street
Alameda, CA 94501



**COMMUNITY:
CLIMATE CHANGE WORKSHOP**



YOU'RE INVITED TO A CLIMATE CHANGE WORKSHOP

Do you know how green our island is? Hint: Really darn green. Join the city of Alameda and Community Action for a Sustainable Alameda (CASA) for a climate change workshop on May 23.

GET INVOLVED

Learn how city departments have used the Local Action Climate Plan to combat greenhouse-gas emissions since 2008. Plus, get involved in Alameda's plans for a sustainable future.

AT THE MAIN LIBRARY

May 23 - 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Alameda Main Library (Stafford Room)





Be the Change

Global Warming will change our world, unless we choose to change course first.



Jessica Jane Robinson, CEO
Resilience Birthright
Former Miss Alameda

Julian Aldridge
Climate Reality Leader
Author & International Speaker

Check Out the Award-Winning
2017 Chevy BOLT Electric Vehicle
Courtesy of FH Dailey Chevrolet

Come learn the latest facts and solutions about the climate crisis and what you can do right now to take action and be part of the solution. Featuring leading Bay Area speakers answering your questions on sustainable and healthy lifestyles, solar energy for your home and business, and why electric vehicles are better for the planet and your pocketbook.

COME CHECK OUT the brand new 2017 Chevrolet BOLT EV, a new battery electric car with 238 miles of range. Winner of the 2017 North American MotorTrend Car of the Year Award.

Agenda

1:00 **Welcome** Jessica Jane Robinson, CEO & Founder, Resilience Birthright and Former Miss Alameda

1:15 **Keynote** "An Inconvenient Conversation: The Climate Crisis and Bending the Course of History" Julian Aldridge, Climate Reality Leader, Author and International Speaker

2:00 **Networking Break**

2:15 **Panel Discussion: "Be the Change: Sustainable Solutions in your home and business"** There are literally hundreds of actions that Alameda residents can take to be part of the solution to the climate crisis AND which can enhance the quality of their health, save money and improve their lives. Come listen to local experts share their ideas and techniques.

3:00 **Networking Break**

3:15 **Panel Discussion: "Be the Change: Using Renewable Energy and Electric Vehicles"** How to stop using dirty fossil fuels for powering our buildings and vehicles. Come learn the latest insights on going solar and on driving an electric vehicle. You may be surprised how affordable and fun these options now are.

- Dale Miller, President, [Golden Gate Electric Vehicle Association](#), a non-profit that promotes electric vehicles of all types. He drives an electric car and lives in an all-electric house with solar on the roof.
- Kevin Good, CEO, [Sun's Free Solar](#) (Alameda CA)
- Jessica Bradish, Climate Reality Leader and solar energy specialist

3:45 **Closing Remarks: "The future of sustainability and climate solutions in Alameda"** Trish Spencer, Mayor of Alameda

4:00 **Session End**

DATE AND TIME

Sat, May 6, 2017

1:00 PM – 4:00 PM PDT

LOCATION

Veteran's Memorial Building
2203 Central Avenue
Alameda, CA 94501