

The Climate Change Workshop offers **6 hours of professional development credit**. There are **2 hours of pre-workshop reading** – which is attached here or you can follow links if you prefer. There are **2 hours of lunch and presentations**, and then there is a lesson plan due following the workshop.

There are **four articles below – please read all**. Also, there is a fifth article I have attached for those who are interested in how economists think about climate change – and it is very interesting. It is at the end of the list and optional – but incredibly good.

Within some of the articles on line, are links to supporting information – if you prefer to go to the source of the summaries here.

Please read:

1) David Roberts -

Why climate change doesn't spark moral outrage, and how it could (also attached here as a word document)

<http://grist.org/article/why-climate-change-doesnt-spark-moral-outrage-and-how-it-could/>

2) Bill McKibben - (word document attached and/or link below)

Global Warming's Terrifying New Math (this is 9 pages – however if you want only a summary of this, you can read the two page summary in Orion Magazine. Follow the link for Orion)

Three simple numbers that add up to global catastrophe - and that make clear who the real enemy is

<http://www.rollingstone.com/politics/news/global-warmings-terrifying-new-math-20120719>

OR -

Orion Magazine pdf – on line, 2 page summary <http://www.orionmagazine-digital.com/orionmagazine/20120708?pg=12#pg12>

3) David Orr – (pdf – page 20 of pdf - in the print booklet it is page 36)

Lessons from Charley, Frances, Ivan, Jeanne, Katrina, Rita, and Wilma – Environment, Politics, and Global Destabiliation

Long Tails and Ethics: Thinking about the Unthinkable

http://www.fgcu.edu/CESE/images/This_Sense_of_Awe_and_Wonder_without_Homero_Aridjis.pdf

4) Erik Bojansky -

Lost in a rising sea

(This is a great overview of South Florida and sea level rise – lots of great quotes, and summarizes how the county is responding, thinking)

http://www.biscaynetimes.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=1260:lost-in-a-rising-sea&catid=46:features

David Roberts- (attached as word document) Optional

Discount rates: a boring thing you should know about

<http://grist.org/article/discount-rates-a-boring-thing-you-should-know-about-with-otters/>

Please come prepared to discuss this info –