What threatens the world most?

Talking points
1. What image do cartoonists Bill Day and Nate Beeler both use to comment on the dangers confronting us?
2. What hazards do the cartoons illustrate?
3. Which of these situations are you most worried about? Why?
4. Is it difficult to cope with threats that develop slowly? Are we short-sighted?
5. Does alarmist or frivolous news reporting distract people from confronting more serious issues?

Between the lines
“We are confronting [ISIS], and we are confronting terrorism and we are confronting Ebola . . . the grave threat that climate change poses warrants a prominent position on that list.” - John Kerry


Additional resources
More by Bill Day
http://www.cagle.com/author/bill-day

More by Nate Beeler
http://editorialcartoonists.com/cartoon/browse.cfm/BeelerN

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