



## Could climate denial endanger us?



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1. What are these cartoons saying about President Donald Trump and others calling climate change a hoax and trying to block renewable energy projects and some scientific research?
2. Do you think climate change is real or a hoax? Why?
3. Is it becoming cheaper to produce energy using the sun and wind rather than burning coal, oil and natural gas?
4. How much has the planet warmed since we began burning millions of tons of fossil fuels to power the industrial revolution?
5. Do you fear that a warming climate might threaten your future? Why or why not?

### Between the lines

"It's not just a situation where we're going to let the best technology win. We're going to actively spite green technologies and clean energy because they're clean and because they help climate. That, to me, is messed up."

- Rob Jackson, Stanford University.

<https://www.politico.com/news/2025/02/21/trump-gutted-climate-policy-across-federal-government-00204998>

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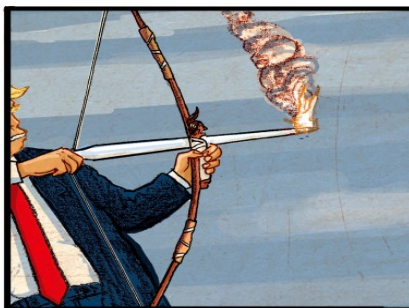
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