

13:14:05 From Dave Dougherty To Everyone:

Supervolcanoes.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NcreTTI9Rew>

[This relates to the geologic origin of the lithium deposit at Thacker Pass. Ed.]

13:27:58 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: For later viewing--Club of Rome (Europe)—a 15-minute summary of history of Club of Rome a 50th Anniversary of the book: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3KJoaeRNJ2g>

13:38:48 From Anitra Thorhaug To Everyone:

C: This is not the Club of Rome (Europe). That is the Association seated in Brussels. The above YouTube is from the International Club of Rome. That is very different from the various Associations in important nations which generally Aurelio Peccei and Alexander King and original group set up. Some, such as the Lavian club, the Slovenian club, the Bulgarian club, are more recent, as well as those in Indonesia, etc.

13:39:44 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "This is not the Club..." with 👍

13:48:36 From Samrat Bharadwaj To Everyone:

C: Hi Anitra. Here in the EU, in Spain, we know, or see this as the Club of Rome. It is very visible. Yet thank you for clarifying. Please send a link to the organization you spoke of. Thanks.

13:53:18 From William Rees To Everyone:

C: Gee, the mine doesn't run on renewable electricity?

13:53:33 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "Gee, the mine doesn't..." with 😊

13:55:03 From Samrat Bharadwaj To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "Gee, the mine doesn't..." with 🙌

14:01:32 From William Rees To Everyone:

Q: Humans have a natural propensity to use up all available resources and "available" is constantly being redefined by technology. As long as market dynamics, i.e., \$ value, is used to measure of "is it worth it" then the unpriced ecological values you describe are doomed. Humans will continue to follow their predisposition to 'use it all up' (reinforced by expansionist neo-liberal economics) until we have used it all up or at least until the weakened system implodes upon us. We don't have adequate contrary signals--mere knowledge doesn't cut it. Any thoughts on where to go from here?

14:05:03 From William Rees To Everyone:

C: You are really pointing out that OVERSHOOT (too many people consuming and polluting too much) is the real problem, regardless of the particular technologies in play. How do we get people to understand this simple fact (and would it matter)?

14:10:43 From Samrat Bharadwaj To Everyone:

Q: Sorry to hear of the defeat at Thacker Pass, but will you go on? Will you create new resistance against extraction and mining projects?

14:12:30 From Sucha Mann To Everyone:

C: The root cause of all our problem is population, but developers, consumer goods, producers of cars, aircraft, oil & gas miners, and our Canadian government wants higher population. Rational thinking analysis is needed.

14:13:40 From William Rees To Everyone:

Q: If the world abandoned fossil fuels today, or even over the next decade, the global economy would collapse, there would be massive unemployment, mass migrations, food shortages, geopolitical unrest and a major population correction. How can we avoid some variation on this scenario? (We know what we should do; we don't know how to get society--people--to do it.) Thoughts?

[What many don't understand is that, if we stay on fossil fuels, the global ecosystem will collapse and the global economy will go with it, bringing all of those consequences. Ed.]

14:15:16 From Ted Manning To Everyone:

Q: Is this a Luddite solution? Without one mine where else is stressed. If no tech solutions, how many people can survive? Is consumption malleable? Wellbeing for whom?

14:26:19 From Anitra Thorhaug To Everyone:

Q: How many would you need to change into anti-lithium to turn the politicians and government regulators to change this pattern so industry would not move forward? Would they just go elsewhere?

14:26:32 From Jean Dougherty To Everyone:

Q: Do you think the way the world responded to the pandemic a model for how things may turn out in the future?

14:27:30 From Peter Bulkowski To Everyone:

Q: We now have 8 billion people on the planet. What do you see as the means to provide for those 8 billion, or how do you expect to change the number of people in the short term (e.g., the 2030 end)?

14:28:46 From Art Hunter CACOR To Everyone:

Q: Most people are overwhelmed by the Problematique and don't know what to do. I tell them to stop being silent on the matter and speak up at every opportunity.

14:29:10 From John Hollins To Everyone:

Q: You paint an impossible picture. How do you and your colleagues maintain your drive and determination to carry on, and can envisage winning?

14:35:50 From William Rees To Everyone:

C: Our education system produces the society that supports it. We cannot effectively create educational programs that are the antithesis to mainstream ideology. When forest/human ecology was introduced to the public school system in BC, it was shut down apparently because there was fear that youngsters would go home and ask their logger daddies why they were involved in the industry. Industry itself, of course, is freely able to provide teaching module to the schools on how "green" their operations are.

14:50:29 From William Rees To Everyone:

C: 'Population correction' please see: <https://www.mdpi.com/2673-4060/4/3/32>

[This paper was posted to the Breaking News section of the CACOR website. Ed.]

14:51:20 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "Re: 'Population corr...'" with ❤️

14:52:25 From Samrat Bharadwaj To Everyone:

C: Hi. Will. I republished this a few weeks ago. Giving the same link you sent. Thanks ❤️

14:53:03 From William Rees To Everyone:

C: Max, great presentation, much resonance at this end. Gotta go. Keep in touch.

14:53:39 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "Max, great presenta..." with ❤️

15:01:50 From Dave Dougherty To Everyone:

C: Something to keep in mind: before this all started getting momentum, everyone was destined to die, so that has not changed.

15:04:51 From Samrat Bharadwaj To Everyone:

C: Powerful presentation Max. Power to you and DGR. Kudos CACOR ❤️ for making it happen!

15:05:01 From Max Wilbert To Everyone:



15:05:05 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

Reacted to "👔" with 👍


15:05:05 From Max Wilbert To Everyone:

Thank you

15:15:20 From Dave Dougherty To Everyone:

C: I posted Bill Rees' paper on Oversight under Breaking News on our website.

15:16:03 From Claude Buettner To Everyone:

C: Reacted to "I posted Bill Rees'..." with 

15:17:03 From Dave Dougherty To Everyone:

C: Book just mentioned. <https://www.penguinrandomhouse.com/books/301070/a-paradise-built-in-hell-by-rebecca-solnit/>

15:18:54 From Jon Legg To Everyone:

C: Keep up the good work. This movement is growing, it seems to me.