

# Misinformation about climate change

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I felt great sadness reading Mr. Jones' letter running on with all manner of incoherent climate change misinformation ("Climate change and socialism," April 13). Despite Mr. Jones' fears of socialism, climate change is real, it's happening now, humans are the main cause of the current warming, and we must stabilize it. Although Mr. Jones is confused by a supposed pause in warming, there's been no actual pause. A supposed pause has been invented by people who want to delay political action to cut emissions because they don't like any of the possible policies available to the government. Avoiding a problem because you don't like the solutions is sad.

A fine book, "Climatology Versus Pseudoscience," was just published to explain to non-scientists the story behind the false pause. The book will make you sad because you'll realize that you've been confused about climate change and avoiding it for a long time, and now you can no longer justify ignoring it.

Yet there's hope. Engineers say we have the technology to provide all our energy needs without emissions, we just need the political will to transition.

Rejoice because our system of government gives you the power to help fix a global problem that threatens our children's future. Please contact Citizens' Climate Lobby for more information about how citizens can create the political will to stabilize our climate.

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