

If your country has upcoming elections, research a few candidates' stances on energy. Pick two candidates whose energy platforms stand out to you. Tell us about their platforms and if it will impact the way you vote.

Julián Castro



Bernie Sanders



Castro's "People and Planet First" Plan

- "This crisis is the greatest existential threat to our future, but we have the power to mobilize the greatness of America."
- He will direct 10 trillion dollars in federal, state, local, and private investments over the next decade to create 10 million jobs with living wages
- Goal is to transition away from fossil fuels to build a 100% clean-energy economy
- Believes that climate crisis affects everyone, but disproportionately affects communities of color and low-income Americans
- First executive action will be rejoining the Paris Climate Accords

Sanders and The Green New Deal

- "The climate crisis is not only the single greatest challenge facing our country; it is also our single greatest opportunity to build a more just and equitable future, but we must act immediately."
- Believes in creating 20 million jobs in order to solve the climate crisis
- Wants to save American families money by weatherizing homes and building affordable, high-quality public transportation
- \$40 Billion Climate Justice Resiliency Fund for under-resourced groups
- Goal to achieve 100% renewable energy and provide inexpensive electricity to all Americans

My Vote

I really appreciate Castro's emphasis on the

My Vote

Bernie Sanders' campaign is very much

ways in which climate change has proven to harm communities of POC and his plans to dismantle environmental racism. Although Castro's past actions have revealed that climate change is not one of his signature issues, his current plans towards building a clean energy economy look promising. After reading Castro's climate and energy platform, I will definitely consider him when elections come around in 2020.

centered around the passing of the Green New Deal, which will allow Sanders to use climate action as a catalyst for economic and social justice aims. I find Sanders mobilization towards cleaner energy to be quite positive and motivating, as he supports nationwide bans on fracking and on fossil fuel leases on public lands. I believe that Bernie Sanders' ideas concerning clean energy and our climate crisis will definitely influence the 2020 campaign.

My Energy Platform:

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@TurningGreenOrg #PGC2019 It's time to start shifting away from fossil fuels and start looking towards a bright future of clean energy!

**Leave carbonization in the dust...
Renewable energy is part of a brighter future!**

Let's work towards:

- Creating more jobs in clean energy and energy efficient technology
- Shifting our economy away from fossil fuels
- Transforming our agriculture to be more sustainable and less harmful on the planet

HAVE A SUNNY DAY!