<u>Humanity has less than a five-year window</u> to take decisive action on climate change...<u>We must realign our political will, economic priorities and societal</u> <u>values</u>...We are a part of the natural world and depend on it...we are facing a selfinflicted set of global challenges, <u>the need for such a cultural transformation will</u> <u>drive action. This process must begin now."</u>

- Sir David King, Former UK Chief Scientist, Advisor to Prime Ministers Blair and Brown



"On average over the last 3 years, the planet has been heating by just over 1 million Hiroshimas per day. <u>(11 Hiroshimas per second</u>)"

- Steve Turton, Central Queensland University Australia, Environmental Geography, Adjunct Professor

"The temperature rise we found is much larger than the <u>2.3 to 4.5°C</u> that the UN IPCC, has been estimating...A doubling of the amount of CO2 in the atmosphere could cause an increase in the average temperature... from <u>7°C</u> to even a <u>maximum of 14°C degrees."</u>

 <u>Royal Netherlands Institute for Sea Research (Dutch Government Research</u> <u>Institute with over 200 Scientists and Researchers) Nature</u> <u>Communications Magazine, June 2024</u>

"This will be greater than anything we have ever seen in the past [10,000 years of human civilization]... <u>Every living thing will be affected</u>...<u>we will not have</u> <u>anything left that we value</u>, if we do not address the climate crisis." - Katherine Hayhoe, Nature Conservancy, Chief Scientist

*"2/3 of the world's population is under an effective death sentence due to climate change"* 

- <u>Dr. Deborah Brosnan, Virginia Tech University, Adjunct Professor</u> of Biology