

Environmental Justice Concerns: Places, People, Benefits

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Environmental Justice, Energy Justice, and Climate Justice

- ▶ **Environmental Justice** is the social movement whereby peoples of all origins, incomes, and classes receive fair treatment and opportunity to meaningfully engage in decisions related to environmental policies that impact their living conditions and lives.
- ▶ **Energy Justice** is an emerging field and movement that applies an environmental justice framework to issues related to energy, including but not limited to how people, particularly marginalized communities, are impacted by energy development, infrastructure, and initiatives.
- ▶ **Climate Justice** is the growing global social movement that frames issues related to global warming and climate change within a justice framework, demanding consideration for how grassroots and marginalized communities are impacted by climate issues, including climate change solutions.

From Environmental Justice to Climate Justice



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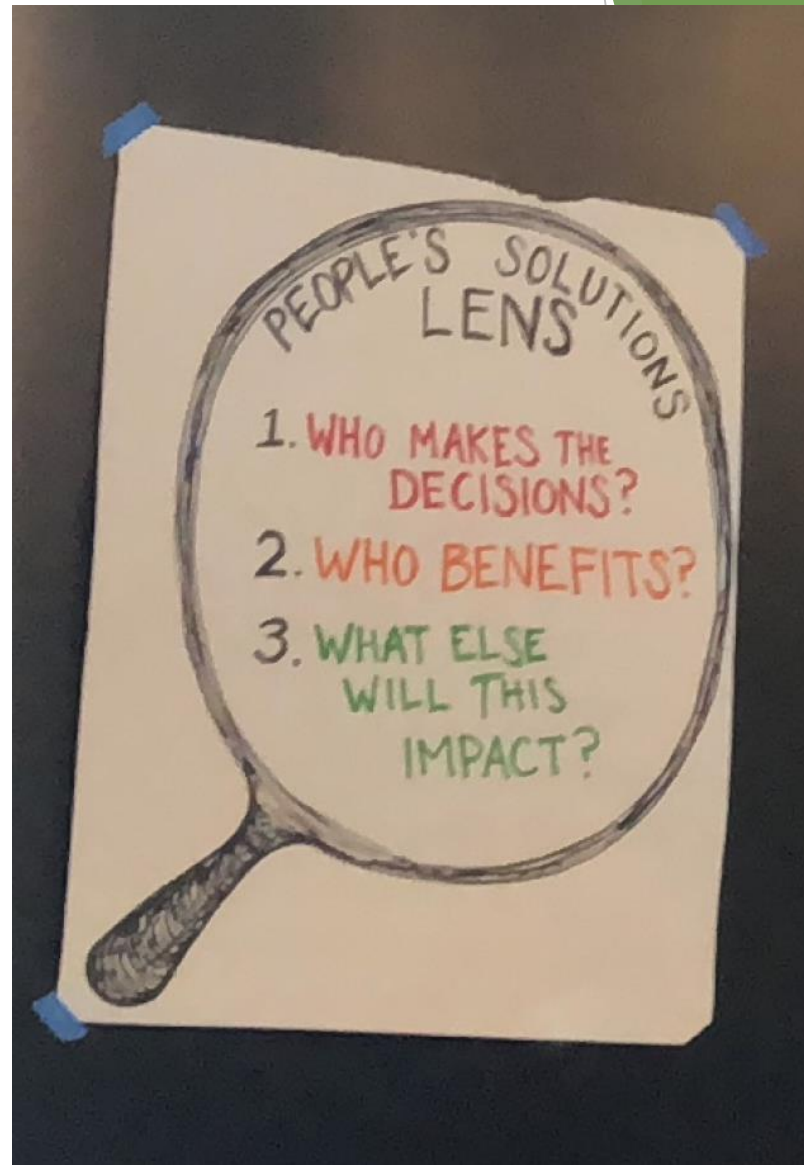
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The illustration depicts a group of diverse individuals: a man in a Native American headdress holding a paddle, a woman with a baby on her back holding a sunflower, a woman holding a cornucopia, and a woman in a yellow raincoat. They are all holding a red banner with the slogan 'IT TAKES ROOTS TO CULTIVATE SOLUTIONS'. The background is a bright yellow sunburst.



People's Solutions LENS

1. Who makes the decisions?
2. Who benefits?
3. What else will this impact?



Questions to Ask Prior to Offset Development

- ▶ Has climate change been considered as a global issue where the solutions require an interconnected approach between global communities?
- ▶ Will the GHG reduction project adversely affect indigenous peoples or local communities it is developed in?
- ▶ Will the GHG reduction project adversely affect developing communities or indigenous peoples around the world through shifts in supply and demand or resources?