

Ask Your Representative to Cosponsor the Women and Climate Change Act (LCWR)

Climate change affects everybody and indications are that it impacts women disproportionately. In the wake of climate disasters, it is most often women and girls who take responsibility for growing the family's food and collecting water, fuel, and other resources. Climate displacement also exposes women and girls to violence and threats including risk of rape, sexual exploitation, abuse, and human trafficking.

The Women and Climate Change Act, introduced by Representative Barbara Lee, promotes approaches to climate change mitigation that uplift, include, and empower women. The bill currently has [53 cosponsors](#). Representative Lee is looking for additional co-sponsors. If your representative is already a co-sponsor, thank her or him. If not, invite him or her to become a co-sponsor of [H.R. 4932, Women and Climate Change Act of 2018](#).

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