

# Federal Coal Program Programmatic EIS

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Comments (use back if needed):

I AM PLACED IN CLASSROOMS FILLED WITH  
KINDERGARTENERS, 1ST GRADE, 2ND, 3RD,  
4TH, AND 5TH GRADE STUDENTS, AGES 5-10,  
WHEN I STARE OUT TO THEIR GLEAMING  
EYES AND BEGIN TO TALK WITH THEM,  
KNOWING WELL AWARE THAT WHAT I SHARE  
WITH THEM <sup>WILL BE</sup> SEEDS TO THEIR FUTURE.

I AM ALSO A FARMER, AND I SHARE WITH  
THE STUDENTS THE WONDERS OF OUR  
WORLD AND WHAT LIES YONDER—NOW AND  
THEIR COMING LIVES.

ALREADY IT IS GRIM, AND TO THINK THESE  
CHILDREN BEGIN THEIR LIVES WITH ASTHMA,  
OR WILL LIVE THEIR LIFE WITHOUT STARS, AND  
THAT THE ONLY WAY AROUND IS IN

THEIR PARENTS CARS.

extraction, production, exportation  
COAL MAKES THE WORLD HARDER FOR THE FUTURE.  
WE ARE INVESTING IN A HARDER FUTURE.  
AND THE PUBLIC LANDS THAT EXPLOITED  
FOR EXTRACTION? I WOULD FIND IT HARD TO  
BELIEVE THAT PEOPLE TRULY KNEW THE EXTENT  
TO THEIR DREAMS.

Public lands are the necessary carbon sinks  
to reduce the symptoms of climate change.  
If we can't have trees in our wilderness  
where can we?

And we talk of college and jobs for our children,  
why not introduce greener jobs that will  
last and technologies that brighten our  
future?

for our children,  
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