



Support SB 1628 and HB 1217: Prohibit Net-Zero Policies in Florida

Senate Bill No. 1628 ([SB 1628](#)), introduced by Florida state Senator Bryan Avila (R-Hialeah Gardens), and House Bill No. 1217 ([HB 1217](#)), introduced by Florida state Representative John Snyder (R-Palm City), would protect against climate-change mandates in Florida, by prohibiting state and local governmental entities from adopting or requiring “net-zero” policies.

This legislation would define “net-zero policy” as any requirement or goal to achieve net-zero greenhouse-gas emissions, including the Paris Agreement and related initiatives such as from the World Bank or World Economic Forum. Key prohibitions include:

“prohibiting governmental entities from adopting or requiring the adoption of net-zero policies; prohibiting governmental entities from expending government funds to support, implement, or advance net-zero policies; prohibiting governmental entities from imposing taxes, fees, penalties, charges, offsets, or assessments to advance net-zero policies; prohibiting governmental entities from implementing, administering, or enforcing a program that functions as a cap-and-trade program;”

The bills prohibit state and local governments from implementing net-zero policies, also known as “cap-and-trade” programs, and declare that such schemes “are detrimental to the state’s energy security and economic interests,” as they cause economic harm, energy unreliability, and [infringe on individual freedoms](#).

By enacting SB 1628 and HB 1217, Florida would stop climate change agendas that infringe on economic liberty and property rights. These policies are part of a larger globalist push to impose central planning, wealth redistribution through energy controls, and restrictions on individual liberty. Such mandates override local control and set precedents for further intrusive regulations.

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By rejecting net-zero requirements, Florida would protect the free market, uphold fundamental principles of limited government, and stop globalist central-planning schemes.

Urge your state legislators to support SB 1628 and HB 1217 to protect against the globalist climate change hoax and net-zero overreach.