



As College Republicans, we recognize that Millennial voters are a crucial voting bloc for conservatives. In order to ensure that conservative values are not lost on the next generation, it is imperative that we continue to apply the long-standing ideas of free markets, individual liberty, and conservation in bold new ways.

As leaders, both on campus and in our states, we firmly believe that environmental stewardship is important, deserves our attention, and should employ a market-centric solution. By allowing markets to replace top-down government regulations, our communities will no longer face the burdensome, job-inhibiting, regulations of Washington, D.C. Moreover, the EPA cannot be the sole driver of environmental reform.

A conservative approach to renewable energy, land conservation, sportsmen's rights, and our agricultural system will allow America to expand its position as a global energy leader, while embracing the values of stewardship that date back more than a century to President Theodore Roosevelt.

**The Republican Party has a long history, one that spans from President Roosevelt to President Nixon to President Reagan, of being the champion of our environment.**

**It is time for the Republican party to embrace that legacy once more.**

We are proud to support the work of the American Conservation Coalition (ACC) on college campuses nationwide. The ACC's efforts to educate millennial voters on the benefits of conservative stewardship and free-market environmentalism represent an important new voice in the conservative movement. The ACC's approach offers a powerful alternative to the command-and-control model that has dominated energy and environmental policy for far too long.

Caring about our environment is not a partisan issue. As state chairs for the nation's oldest and largest youth conservative organization, we are focused on bringing young voters' perspectives to the forefront of political discourse. We wholeheartedly call on our fellow College Republicans to **support conservative action on clean energy and environmental issues.**

Furthermore, we call on individuals, business leaders, and community groups to lead the charge in their hometowns. It is our duty to ensure that our local environment is not merely protected but also thrives through limited government reforms.