

TRUMP

BIDEN

CLIMATE CHANGE

Trump promotes fossil fuel use, especially coal, and has selected fossil fuel industry insiders and lobbyists for key federal posts, including for Environmental Protection Agency administrator, Interior Department secretary, and secretary of state. He has allowed federal land to be opened up for new mining and oil drilling leases.

Biden will launch a national effort aimed at creating jobs to build a modern, sustainable infrastructure and deliver an equitable clean energy future. He will ensure these investments create good union jobs that expand the middle class.

Trump repeatedly worked to reverse the Clean Power Plan—a policy to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from power plants—and to rescind the Climate Action Plan.

Biden will put the United States on track to achieve a 100 percent clean energy economy and reach net-zero emissions no later than 2050. Biden will also reinstate environmental protections overturned by the Trump administration.

The Trump administration rolled back regulations on methane and offshore drilling, making it easier for companies to pollute our communities and make them less safe and healthy for everyone.

Biden will stand up to the abuse of power by polluters, especially those who disproportionately harm communities of color and low-income communities.

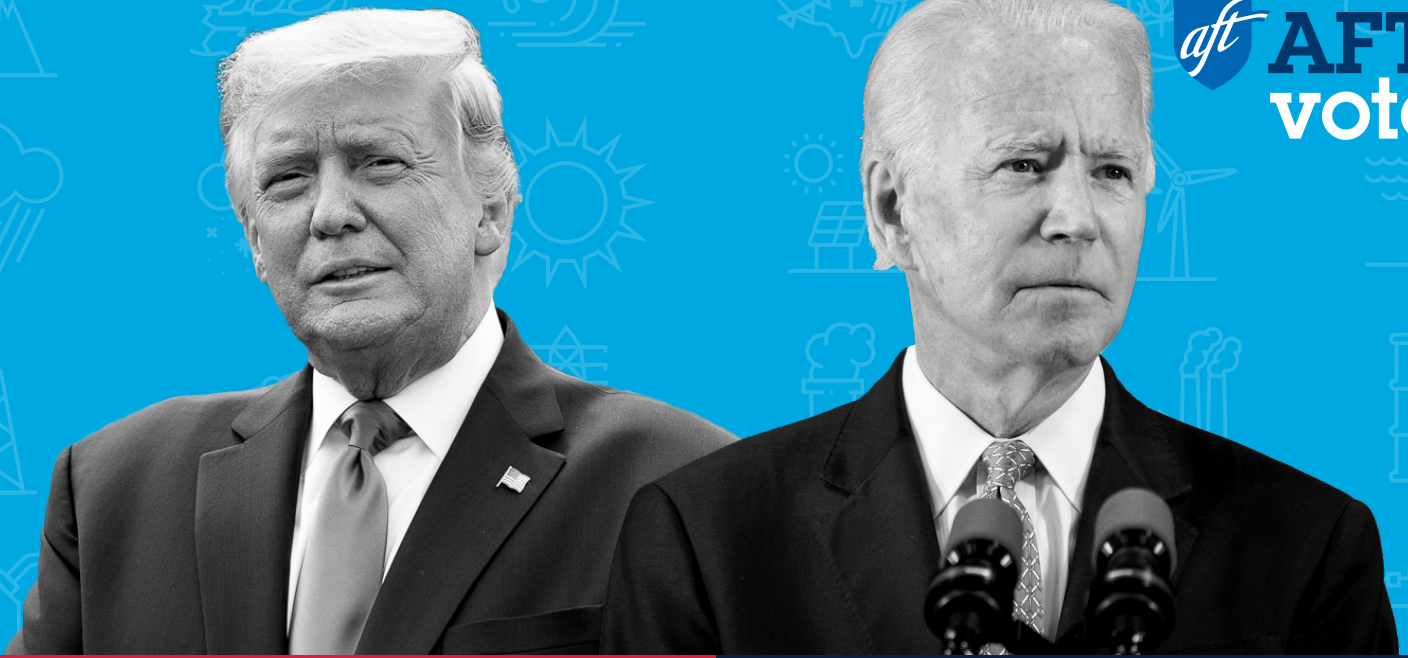
The Trump administration significantly weakened the rule requiring automakers to produce more-fuel-efficient and less-polluting vehicles. As a result, families and businesses will pay an extra \$231 billion at the pump between 2021 and 2035, 13,500 jobs will be eliminated, and cumulative greenhouse gas emissions over this timeframe would increase by 654 million metric tons—the equivalent of adding another 140 million cars to the road for one year.

Biden will make a historic investment in our clean energy future and environmental justice. His climate and environmental justice proposal will make a federal investment of \$1.7 trillion over the next 10 years, leveraging additional private sector and state and local investments to total more than \$5 trillion. These investments will directly help the communities that have been harmed most by climate change.

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Trump withdrew the United States from the Paris Agreement on climate change, forcing the global climate community to find a way forward without the cooperation of the United States.

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