



**PEOPLE ARE STRUGGLING
CLIMATE AND NATURE ARE AT BREAKING POINT
OUR POLITICAL SYSTEM IS FAILING US**

**WHO CAN WE TRUST TO MAKE
GOOD DECISIONS?**

A CITIZENS' ASSEMBLY

WHAT IS A CITIZENS' ASSEMBLY?

Run by an independent organisation,
NOT the government & NOT Extinction Rebellion

People from different walks of life - selected like a jury,
sorted into a representative sample

Brought together to hear evidence, look at the facts, talk to each other,
think it through together, and then make proposals on what needs to be done.

Over and over, assemblies of everyday people have come up with solid, practical
solutions that are fair for everyone and unblock situations where politics is stuck

**This is why
EXTINCTION REBELLION DEMANDS
A CITIZENS' ASSEMBLY ON
CLIMATE AND ECOLOGICAL JUSTICE**



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rebellion**

CITIZENS' ASSEMBLIES ARE BEING USED ALL OVER THE WORLD TO FIND A WAY THROUGH DIFFICULT ISSUES

including Ireland, Australia, United Kingdom, Poland, Belgium, Scotland, France

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING



It's not just a particular type of people who have gone to college and studied something who are expressing their views. You get to hear from the ordinary people, the people that are affected on the ground, how they feel about something. What they would like to change and then go about it in a collaborative manner after gaining all of the information. **Member of the Irish Citizens' Assembly**



REAL DEMOCRACY: FAIRNESS AND CHOICES MADE BY PEOPLE FOR PEOPLE.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Join Extinction Rebellion and get involved
in non-violent civil disobedience!

Urge your MP to support a citizens' assembly
at www.writetothem.com

Learn more and talk to people you know
about citizens' assemblies and deliberative democracy

Don't confuse **citizens' assemblies** with **people's assemblies**.

People's assemblies are open to anyone who wants to attend,
last a few hours and are great for quick discussion or decision making.

Citizens' assemblies are carefully planned, lasting much longer
with speakers who present information and points of view.
They investigate and find a way forward through difficult issues.

