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Agenda 2030: A Power-mad Document

By E. Jeffrey Ludwig

The United Nations Agenda 2030, [Section 18 of 91 sections](#), begins with the following words:

We are announcing today 17 Sustainable Development Goals with 169 associated targets which are integrated and indivisible. Never before have world leaders pledged common action and endeavor across such a broad and universal policy agenda.

Putting aside the amateurish opening four words, which sound more like a press release than a serious policy statement, the drafters of the statement are actually telling the truth. There has never been such a global policy statement as this. It really is not about policy, but about an intended power-grab of unprecedented proportions.

This writer is proposing that the “common action” is to eliminate nation-state sovereignties throughout the world. The sinister nature of this purpose is deflected by the words “universal policy.” Policy would be, for example, to double the daily consumption of about half the world’s population, living on \$2 a day per person, to \$4 a day. That would be a policy. But this agenda has no specific policies. It is couched throughout in vapid, non-specific terms, being specific only when referring to various U.N.-sponsored conferences held before 2015, the year that Agenda 2030 was written. Not one specific economic or social policy implementation — and successful implementation — is referred to in the entire Agenda 2030 document!

The above is only scratching the surface of Agenda 2030’s attempt to obfuscate and deceive while claiming a wholesome and positive goal for the entire world. [Section 33](#) states, “We are determined to conserve and sustainably use oceans and seas, freshwater resources, as well as forests, mountains and drylands and to protect biodiversity, ecosystems and wildlife.” My question to the U.N.: How is it that oceans, rivers, lakes, forests, arable land, and wildlife have existed since the beginning of the planet Earth until the formation of the U.N., with its “vision” of a viable planet (sic)? Their language of sustainability is pure hubris. The U.N. will do a better job of maintaining, sustaining, and improving all of nature than what nature has been able to do without the U.N.’s all-caring intervention?

This writer grew up thinking that the oceans and the air belonged to everyone in the world. Then there were vast, sparsely inhabited regions of mountains, deserts, and forests within nations that were to be managed by those nations. Now the U.N. is claiming management rights over the oceans and the air, and even vast areas within countries. That in effect gives the U.N. authority over all governments regarding nature and of all of nature that is presently not under any specific government. This is communism without a takeover by the proletariat. The danger to nature warrants a new world order, and a collective authority that takes precedence over business rights, civil rights, and claims to individual rights. Nature’s needs and requirements trump the individual’s rights of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

Behind their assumption is a dark, communist vision: capitalism with its greedy, self-interested propensities and institutional manipulations, has raped and distorted nature. The balance and life-producing principles of nature (“Mother Nature,” if one loves that idiom) have been superseded by a profiteering motive. That motive is exploiting the people of the world. Those who understand the extent and danger of this exploitation, whether they be rich or poor, young or old, brown, black, or white, must join with the visionary U.N. to correct this distortion of nature and of man’s relation to it. The U.N. thus has the idea and the wisdom to meet true human needs and sustainability.

Under the distortions of an unjust world order, the long-term as well as the short-term meeting of needs and the balance needed for nature’s survival are threatened. Profits are taking precedence over people and nature throughout planet Earth. This is the false narrative and leftist dream that is driving this so-called agenda. (In reality, it is a shift from the original U.N. agenda of world cooperation of sovereign nation-states based on the enhancement of rights — see the [U.N. Universal Declaration of Human Rights](#) — to being the world governing power.)

In the midst of Section 31 about sustainability goals, Agenda 2030 states, “We are also determined to promote sustainable tourism, tackle water scarcity and water pollution and strengthen cooperation on desertification.” We know that there is a lot of water scarcity and desertification in the Sahara and Mohave Deserts. However, here Agenda 2030 writes about these things without naming one specific piece of geography. This is an insult to any intelligent reader, who would automatically wish to know what parts of the world they are interested in “improving.” For example, Phoenix is connected to the Sonoran Desert. Would Agenda 2030 determine that it could tell Phoenix about various civic decisions on the grounds that those decisions are promoting desertification? Many, many metropolitan centers throughout the world are located in or adjacent to desert areas. Any reasonable person would thus understand sentences like the one above as providing for U.N. control over governmental urban planning decisions wherever “desertification” might even remotely might be a legitimate claim.

And what about the surprise insertion of the term “tourism”? As we saw above, that single word is inserted in Section 31 with a long list of environmental concepts. The drafters of this document reveal with this one word that they want control over the movement of all people — large and small movements — to and from all locations. The average person might have thought sustainability might mean something about air quality or global warming. But the sudden inclusion of “tourism” shows that even the short-term movements of people may impact the “sustainability” of the planet and will need to be controlled.

As we reflect on the glittering generalities of the text of Agenda 2030, it becomes clear that the U.N.’s intention is to interfere in and take over the affairs of sovereign nation-states in the name of “meeting needs” and environmental sustainability. The lack of specificity of the document itself sends signals about the intent of the organization to secure power over humanity in the name of protecting humanity and nature.

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Lydia 25 days ago

Agenda 2030 can all be boiled down to a simple statement.

"God is dead. We are God. You will obey."

Notice their statements begin with "We are determined." Determined means not allowing anyone to stop you. It means controlling the outcome. World "leaders" have pledged this. Too bad many of the past and current world "leaders" are not chosen by their people.

These self-appointed tyrants have announced Dominion over the earth, all of nature and all forms of life. They are raging psychopaths that will use the vast wealth produced by every worker to enslave and rule every living thing.

Some people are aware of the plans of this evil cabal, but most of the world's people are ignorant that this totalitarian document and plan even exists.

How many even realize that the UN, most heavily funded by the US itself, is funding the invasion of our country? How many people realize that there have been over 100 food processing plants, poultry and egg farms, destroyed by blasts in the past couple of years. There was just another chicken farm on Monday in Texas that inexplicably blew up. These are not coincidences; the food supply is under attack.

Remember, "Sustainable Development" begins with severely limiting meat and dairy consumption. And why would that be? Weakened and starving people will not be able to put up much of a fight.

Controlling the media is part and parcel of the agenda. We will die of ignorance, treasonous regimes, the collusion of false prophets and deceivers like the current Pope in Rome and captured governments like our own.

They are creating chaos and anarchy now so that people will eventually accept a draconian police state for their "safety." It's not just happening here, but throughout the world. It's all part of the plan. They're determined, as they have told us. Much worse will be coming.

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Sonienne 25 days ago

My small city in New Hampshire (before we escaped to Florida) has been all-in on Agenda 2030 for several years and made no secret of it: they even erected a billboard boasting about it on one of our main thoroughfares. The art department at the local college had its students make posters touting the A 2030 goals, like all solar, electric vehicles, "sustainability", etc. (The posters looked like they had been done by fifth graders: as a professional artist myself, I was embarrassed for everyone involved).

You are absolutely right: *They* are deliberately inuring us to abnormality. And it's working.

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dennis michael sullivan 25 days ago

Their artwork is always crap- worse than 5 th grade. If I am still around in 2030 I will resist.

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John Kindybal 24 days ago

Ok Sonie. I have traveled 2 to 3 times a year up there for 40+ years. I can only guess

that the billboard was on I-93 not on Rte 3 as I never saw it. If I had I would've stopped and taken a picture of it!. Am I about right?
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Sonienne 24 days ago

Are you familiar with Keene? It was on West Street.

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Lydia 24 days ago

Accepting abnormality is working on some people. On others not so much. I took great pleasure from the story about the Connecticut high school boys tearing down the tampon dispenser installed in their bathroom a half hour earlier.

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dennis michael sullivan 25 days ago

Chaos and anarchy have been the method for hundreds of years. the patterns are always the same. It is good that you know all about white collar psychopaths and sociopaths.

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Lydia 24 days ago

There are a lot of studies about the traits and habits of psychopaths and sociopaths, all well documented. Yes, chaos and anarchy are tried and true methods. You'd think more people would recognize the patterns by now.

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Molly Pitcher 24 days ago

Also by luring us into submission by praising us when we follow their malevolent directions, like the "good" mask-wearers vs the bad independent thinkers who didn't get the vaccine and should be jailed.

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Lydia 23 days ago

I was reminded in another thread by David Richter to read Roman's 13 1-3. The passage states everyone must be subject to governing authorities as they have been established by God. Anyone who rebels against that authority is rebelling against what God has instituted.

We may have to submit to their authority, but I don't believe we have to be obedient to edicts that cause serious harm or death to other persons. If Jesus died on the cross for our sins, I don't believe that knowingly sacrificing myself at the end of a syringe is God's command.

There are many ways to coerce people.

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dennis michael sullivan 21 days ago

I gave over one hundred books away relating to the other side of history but I keep Carr's book for rereading. > I recommend everyone read William Guy Carr's Pawns In The City. It comes as a 2 books in one for 16.95 at Amazon. The book's title is The Money Power and has books by Knuth and Carr. Carr put a tremendous amount of research into his book. It will open the eyes of readers. I can already tell that you know the role of the international financiers in near everything that has gone on and continues to this day. The real history is shocking. It is not conspiracy theory. It is truth and not theory.

I hear that Sports Illustrated magazine may go out of business. I hear that each of major newspapers have laid off hundreds of workers . People are fed up with lies.

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Lydia 20 days ago

Thanks for the book recommendation. Looks like it's \$20 on Amazon now. I'll see if I can find a used copy on Abe Books.
Guess I missed it since it came out in '58 and I was still a child. :-) The chapters appear to cover many things I've read about before. Some of the reviews on Amazon are interesting. I know a lot of people are turned off by references to the Illuminati, but I think they're real, particularly after reading the stories on the Vigilant Citizen website and how the occult elite run the entertainment industry.

Yes, lots of layoffs of Leftist journalists. There's just too many of them writing the same garbage for a shrinking audience.

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dennis michael sullivan 15 days ago

The Money Power has two books in one . It is by Knuth and Carr. It was 16.95. The goal of NEWSWEEK and all the rest is to make people look stupid if the use names like Illuminati. This Illuminated group or the enlightened has been heavily researched but you would not know it because in America the media will ridicule you. This group of financiers and their agents started in earnest in 1770 or so and that is well documented.

What Carr does is save people a lot of research. Writers before him knew the times and what went on. These writers combed the archives in Spain, France, and all European countries. There is tremendous documentation in French archives of who got what money in order to finance their revolution. For more modern times for instance in 1916 Trotsky met with 61 other communists in the lower east side of NY City. They were allowed to meet. On the way back to Russia Trotsky was stopped in Canada (?Newfoundland) but big money connections got him to Europe.

And because of the support received by the financiers millions of Russians were cruelly starved and murdered- some say 40,000,000. But in America's media that is OK and even better to them so what if 40,000,000 Russian kulaks and other peasants and "middle class types were murdered.

The chapters on the Spanish Civil War are very good. But in the modern world they only mention that Franco was a dictator. They say nothing about the torture- murder of 5700 priests and hundreds of thousands of civilians by communists and anarchists but for the Communists in Spain that was all fun. In America they talk about the gallant brigades that went to Spain to fight for the communists and anarchists.

The mainstream media is garbage as are so called "historians".

As another example Englishman Peter Beresford Ellis wrote Hell or Connaught about what Cromwell did to the Irish. He shows the original documents from the 1640s.

This is real history. Carr does the same thing. He takes the work of chroniclers from the 1600s and on and adds his own extensive research.

I do not know what history majors are taught in schools but I don't think they learn much or anything about who provided the money to all these revolutionaries and psychopaths.

Cromwell was financed by big money people. Carr gives names.

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Lydia 14 days ago

Thanks! I just ordered the book from Amazon.

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dennis micnaei sullivan 14 days ago

The two books in one is The Money Power. It contains the books by Knuth and Carr. Carr wrote Pawns In The Game . I wrongly wrote Pawns In the City so I hope you got it right.

I bought it for 16.95.

I am not a history major but have read 1000 plus articles on the games sociopaths play but Carr does all the work for us. It was done in 1958 but is relevant to today except now we have social media billionaires.

History repeats.

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Lydia 12 days ago

Yes, I ordered the right book with the two authors. It's supposed to arrive today. I look forward to reading it. I was a little too young to read it in '58. ;-)

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Stephen M Apple 25 days ago

I was - not - surprised to see that Nancy Pelosi established a branch of the capital police in Florida. It makes one scratch one's head and wonder "why?", When the de-fund your local police, these are the ones who will be there to protect you, only without any loyalty to the neighborhood.

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Lydia 24 days ago

The supposed reason for putting Capitol Police in Florida and San Francisco was that they are hotbeds of extremists and hate groups. But why the Capitol Police when you have the FBI? The CP stated mission is to protect the Capitol-- employees, visitors, and facilities. There are obviously ulterior motives.

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dennis michael sullivan 25 days ago

There are lots of gun owners in Florida.

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Terry Paulding 25 days ago

The UN HQ would make far better immigrant housing than NY public schools.

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William Johnson 26 days ago

Communism without all the fun perks.

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Stephen M Apple 25 days ago

I see this as similar to "Mein Kampf". Hitler wrote this treatise of how he was going to take over the world, and the world ignored it. These folks have just laid out the battle they will be fighting over the coming decades to try to control the world. We need to take them at their word, and put a stop to them. We need to use their very statements to identify the areas where the battle will take place, and stop them at those intersections.

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dennis michael sullivan 25 days ago

Yes, and guerrilla tactics used by the good guys will give the privileged totalitarian leftists s--- fits.

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Dod Aederen 25 days ago

The communist countries have always had the worst environmental records. About half the farmland in China is contaminated. Why would anyone listen to these communists, they want our unspoiled lands.

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Vincent Miles 26 days ago

The problem is (e pluribus unum) that 47% on our electorate will gobble up this swill on their way with other lemmings to the cliff.

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Eric 25 days ago

The UN as it presently stands serves the interests of the global elites. It has become a threat to America's sovereignty. In the years to come, as the Muslim hordes start taking over European governments, it will become a vehicle for promoting Islamic goals. It would behoove the US to pull out of the UN and advocate for its dissolution posthaste.

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Sheepdog 26 days ago

"Would Agenda 2030 determine it could dictate to Phoenix concerning various civic decisions on the grounds that those decisions are promoting desertification?"

Yep. Agenda 2024 will keep Trump out of the White House somehow. The U.S. dollar replaced by a world bank cryptocurrency of some sort. Civic decisions like *you are a racist* have already been taken.

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