OUR NATION MUST MAKE SOME SERIOUS DECISIONS

The United States' population now stands at more than 335 million people. Experts from the Census Bureau predict we could reach more than 400 million by 2060 unless we change course now.

Do you believe continued growth is good for the nation?

Negative Population Growth, Inc. was founded more than 50 years ago to educate all who will listen to our calling for a smaller, truly sustainable, U.S. and world population. We believe our nation is already vastly overpopulated in terms of our long-range carrying capacity.

To reach a smaller population, NPG recommends:

Reducing levels of legal immigration to no more than 200,000 per year. This amount would allow U.S. population to begin to shrink while maintaining our status as a welcoming nation. The U.S. has the most generous immigration policy in the world. Setting a numeric limit is completely reasonable and within our rights.

Ending illegal entry and all the special programs that accompany it. Illegal immigration, by its very definition, should be seen as a serious problem by all Americans – it is, in fact, *ILLEGAL*. Unfortunately, many media outlets portray this very serious problem as a humanitarian crisis as opposed to the breaking of American law. Every nation has the right to defend its borders and to control the entry process.

Promoting smaller family size and the ideal of the two-child family. If most couples had, at most, two children, our population would begin to shrink over several generations. Most traditional American couples do have only one or two children, on average, and U.S. population would have stabilized naturally in about 1970 had it not been for the increased levels of immigration in the 1960s and their future offspring. Today, first generation immigrants and their American-born children account for nearly all population growth in the U.S.

Now back to those serious decisions our nation must make...

- Do we want to continue our recent course of growth with no end in sight?
- Or do we want to take the necessary measures to stop growth and allow our population to slowly shrink to a smaller, truly sustainable, size?

For the latter, it all starts with efforts to secure our borders and stop the flow of illegal aliens from all over the world.

You can help by doing two things today:

- Call the White House (202-456-1111) and your Senators and Congressional Representative (202-224-3121) and voice your frustration over weak border security and a constant flow of illegal immigrants entering our nation without proper authorization.
- Join Negative Population Growth as our newest member and help us continue to fight for common-sense immigration reform and an end to the "growth at any cost mentality" that is ruining our great nation.

To learn more about NPG and our various programs, please visit our redesigned website at www.NPG.org.



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Negative Population Growth, Inc. was founded in 1972 to educate all Americans, including our nation's political, academic, and media leaders, regarding the need for policies designed to slow, halt, and eventually reverse population growth. Understanding that the majority of our population growth since about 1970 is a result of lax immigration policies and the offspring of recent immigrants, NPG must take a firm position on this topic.