ABOUT US

The Energy Future Coalition is an ambitious, bipartisan public policy initiative that brings together business, labor and environmental leaders around the vision of a better energy future. The Coalition has established itself as a respected advocate for change in U.S. energy policy, and has identified politically viable steps toward a transformation of the world’s energy systems.

The Coalition is organized around the three following themes:

- **Security:** The world’s dependence on oil poses large economic and political risks.
- **Climate:** Burning fossil fuels is altering the Earth’s atmosphere and warming the planet.
- **Poverty:** Nearly one-third of all the world’s people lack modern energy services.

The Coalition seeks to connect these challenges with a vision of the vibrant economic opportunities that will be created by a transition to a new energy economy. Since its formation in 2001, the Coalition has focused on practical political coalition building, aimed at breaking the gridlock that has prevented substantive advances in energy policy in the past.

**The Coalition and 25x’25**

The Coalition believes that the transition to clean and sustainable energy technologies will transform the American economy, enhance U.S. security and protect the environment in the 21st century. The 25x’25 vision – that by 2025, America’s farms, forests and ranches will provide 25 percent of the total energy consumed in the United States, while continuing to produce safe, abundant, and affordable food, feed and fiber – emerged from a partnership between the Coalition and a volunteer working group of agricultural leaders who, in consultation with a broad array of farm, forestry and conservation groups, recognized the potential for agriculture and forestry to help address the nation’s energy challenges. The Initiative is now attracting an even broader range of partners – including business, security experts, consumers, organized labor and religious groups.

**Leadership and Support**

The Coalition is guided by a Steering Committee representing a diverse cross-section of the business, labor, NGO, government, scientific, and religious communities, each an advocate for their interests but operating within the context of the three themes identified by the Coalition. Thirteen private foundations currently support the work of the Energy Future Coalition.

To find out more about the Energy Future Coalition, visit www.energyfuturecoalition.org.
To find out more about the 25x’25 initiative, visit www.25x25.org.