

We Need to Talk.

How to talk about the Climate Crisis in your Social Circles in ways that Spark Engagement instead of Ostracism.

A Free Public Lecture by Will Cole-Hamilton.



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WHAT	The Cowichan Watershed Board is pleased to welcome Courtenay City Councillor Will Cole-Hamilton. Will is a member of the Climate Caucus, a group of Canadian elected local leaders taking action on Climate Change. Drawing on his Climate Reality Leadership training with former US Vice President Al Gore, Will teaches about the power of storytelling, shared values and shared experiences as ways of connecting with other people on climate change.
WHEN	Thursday January 23rd 7:00-8:30 pm
WHERE	VIU Cowichan Campus, 2011 University Way, Duncan, BC Lecture Hall 140 (Seating is limited.)
MORE INFO	Climate Caucus - <u>www.climatecaucus.ca</u> Cowichan Watershed Board – <u>www.cowichanwatershedboard.ca</u>
	About the Speaker: Will Cole-Hamilton is a trained climate communicator with a background in law and business. He is a core member of the communication team at Climate Caucus, a national network of mayors, councillors and representatives dedicated to action on the climate crisis. He'll build on previous presentations to World Community, NIC, the Youth Environmental Action group and students at Queen's University to describe how communities can effectively communicate with each other about climate.

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