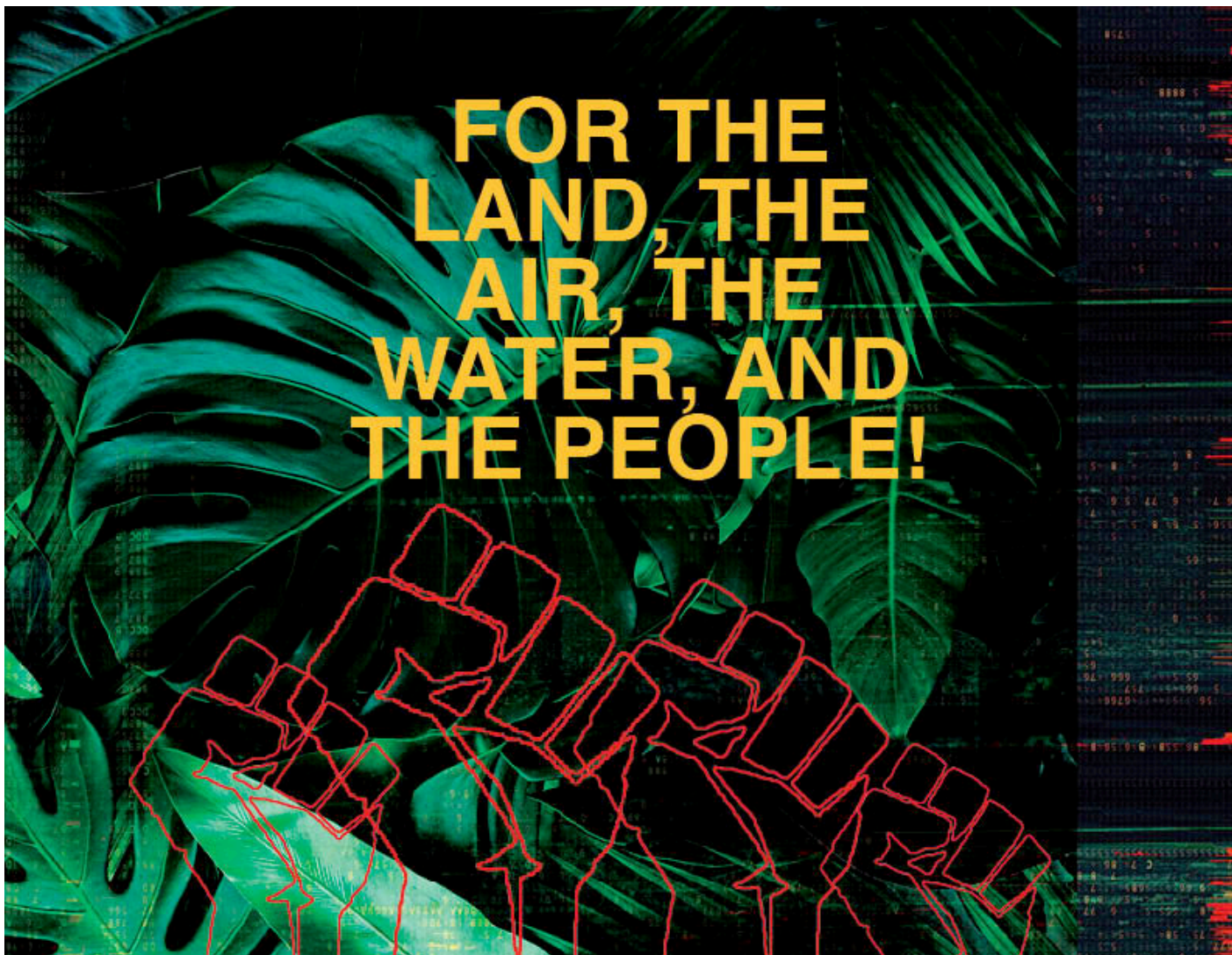


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# SOL Nation Newsletter

June 2024



## Charlotte Community Leaders Meet to Discuss Environmental and Social Injustice

Sol Nation Inc, CleanAIRE NC and the City of Charlotte, supported by the Knight Foundation, to kick off "Corridors of Opportunity; Greenprint".



Last Thursday, on June 6th, an assembly of community leaders and organizations convened in Charlotte to address the pressing matters of environmental, social, and climate injustices. The gathering delved into various issues including energy burden, housing equity, tree loss, and health concerns arising from pollution and inadequate facilities in specific regions. Through breakout sessions, these topics were thoroughly examined and discussed. As the meeting drew to a close, the participants agreed on the importance of educating the community and involving more community leaders and activists in the ongoing efforts to transform the 6 Corridors of Charlotte into a greener and more sustainable landscape.





## Corridors of Opportunity: Green Prints

The GreenPrints initiative will create blueprints for addressing environmental justice and climate equity, building on existing Corridors of Opportunity Playbooks, the Strategic Energy Action Plan, and many community-based efforts.

**Kicking off this summer!**



## Featured Programs & Events

# UNEARTHED

## EJ Community Festival

8/16 - 8/17

Food

Live Music

Art

Exhibition

Silent

Auction

Karaoke

Plant & Sip

Kids Station

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### UNEARTHED EJ Community Festival

UNEARTHED is exposing environmental justice to the community through creative culture and gardening. It will feature a Plant & Sip, Karaoke, Art Exhibition, Live music and much more!



We are looking for volunteers for Aug. 16th - 17th to help facilitate activities, direct the crowd and other event staff needs during the festival. To join the Sol Collective click the link below to get started.

[Become A Volunteer](#)



We are looking for festival vendors for Aug. 17th from 5pm - 10pm. To fill out a vendor contact form please click the link below. For those who have already signed up will be contacted shortly for next steps.

[Become A Vendor](#)



# York County residents take final, long-shot move to stop \$150M solar panel manufacturer

Some York County residents still hope to stop the \$150 million Silfab Solar panel manufacturing site in Fort Mill amid concerns of child safety and potentially dangerous chemicals. But they have a high bar to clear.



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