

## **News Release**

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### **“The 11th Hour”**

Turn Mankind's Darkest Hour into it's Finest

**WHEN:** Wednesday April 16th 5:30 and 7:30 pm

**WHERE:** Forum Theatre – Festival of Arts Grounds

**WHY:** To Raise environmental awareness and opportunities

**COST:** \$10 | on-line [www.endangeredplanet.org](http://www.endangeredplanet.org) or at:

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**LAGUNA BEACH, CA — The 11th Hour** is a 2007 feature film documentary, created, produced and narrated by **Leonardo DiCaprio**. The film will be shown locally by the **Endangered Planet Foundation** at the **Forum Theatre on the Festival of Arts grounds 650 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach** on **Wednesday April 16 at 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$10.00 and can be purchased at [www.endangeredplanet.org](http://www.endangeredplanet.org) or at the foundation offices upstairs in the Lumberyard office complex at 384 Forest Ave., Gallery 13.

The Warner Independent Pictures film features over 50 of the world's most prominent thinkers and activists, including former **Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, physicist Stephen Hawking, Nobel Prize winner Wangari Maathai, and journalist Paul Hawken**. According to the film, the demise of humanity may be at hand as indicated by global warnings such as the mass extinctions of plants and animals directly related to abuse of oceans and habitat. Environmental luminaries and scientists such as **David Orr, David Suzuki, and Gloria Flora and sustainable design experts William McDonough and Bruce Mau** in addition to over 50 leading scientists, thinkers and leaders who present the facts and discuss the most important issues that face our planet. They propose that mankind live and align with the planet's natural systems, rather than crush them. The film is uplifting, terrifying and motivating.

Endangered Planet Foundation is dedicated to ensuring the survival of the Earth through the arts, education, dialog, the dissemination of knowledge and the recognition that advances in technology can provide answers which lead to a sustainable future. This film aligns with the EPF mission because it raises awareness and challenges humankind to make our 11th hour our finest hour through solutions of existing and developing collaborations and technologies.

Later this year EPF will continue: **One Earth | One Dream** October 2-5, 2008 **“Autumnal Green Festival”** and **“Life On the Edge”** symposium at the **Festival of Arts** grounds, Laguna Beach, California. The evening is co-sponsored by Laguna Beach Magazine, The Showpros, Global Imagination and Macmillan Design. Endangered Planet Gallery and Endangered Planet Foundation are located in The Lumber Yard Mall at 384 Forest Ave., Suite #13. For more information, visit the web site at [endangeredplanet.org](http://endangeredplanet.org).

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ATTACHED: 11th Hour



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