It’s America’s straight jacket: A devastated economy that’s addicted to imported oil. For decades we’ve ignored it. But now there’s a plan to change all that, and create new clean energy jobs in the process. It’s called a carbon cap and it will let America lead in the biggest new industry of the 21st century.

But some of the same people who brought us the worst mess since the 1930’s are trying to scare us out of overhauling our economy. We’re already hearing their tired scare tactics — one made up statistic after another about how bad things will be if we try anything different.

Here are the facts: A carbon cap will create new jobs in clean energy industries. There will be demand for steel for wind turbines, energy efficient windows, and thousands of other products made in America. In fact, you can see a long list of companies waiting to get started at LessCarbonMoreJobs.org.

And a cap is a bargain for America. For example, using estimates by the U.S. Department of Energy, the impact on household utility bills will be just pennies a day — while an MIT study forecasts savings of $20 billion a year in imported oil.

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