Tom McClintock doesn’t believe in the climate change science. He thinks the world is changing like it always has. For more information on this topic and sources, go to the blog post on the CCDCC website.

McClintock believes global warming is not a threat, as do the majority of the Republicans.

Climate change is happening, humans are the cause, but over 56% of congressional Republicans deny or question the science. They deny what over 97 percent of scientists say is happening: current human activity creates the greenhouse gas emissions that trap heat within the atmosphere and cause climate change. Their constituents are paying the price: Americans have suffered 500 climate-related national disaster declarations since 2011. Why would they deny the science? Because 170 elected representatives in the 114th Congress have taken over $63.8 million from the fossil fuel industry that’s driving the carbon emissions which cause climate change.

Climate change is real and attributable to human activity. The majority of scientists from around the world agree.

McClintock’s staff continually refers to the Purdue study as supporting their position. But this is what that study says: "... an overwhelming majority of scientists across disciplines believe in anthropogenic climate change..." Previous studies have shown that about 97 percent of actively publishing climate scientists believe in human-caused climate change, and a review of scientific literature on the existence of climate change indicated that about 97 percent of studies affirm climate change is happening.

McClintock was wrong again! He praised Trump for leaving the Paris Climate Accord. Concerned people voiced their disapproval of Trump’s announced withdrawal from the accord:

“Donald Trump is making a shameful and historic mistake. Our grandchildren will look back with stunned dismay at how a world leader could be so divorced from reality and morality. He is abandoning millions of Americans who will bear the brunt of climate disruption -- from record floods to droughts and hurricanes that destroy people's homes and livelihoods.” 70% of Americans support the Paris Agreement. From the Sierra Club.

Gov. Jerry Brown called President Trump’s decision to withdraw the U.S. from the Paris climate accord an “insane move” and said “California will resist because his effort is misguided.” “He’s wrong on the facts. California’s economy and America’s economy are boosted by following the Paris agreement,” Brown said in a call to reporters with U.S. and global experts on climate change, “Trump is wrong when he says this is bad for jobs. It’s good for jobs — the jobs of the future.”

If McClintock continues to deny the science, then how can he help our community and our state?