

# Talking Points: The Ecology of Commerce

Detroit Democracy for America Book Club

Meeting Date: July 14, 2005. Time: 7-9pm

Location: 1428 Bird, Birmingham

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1. Introductions
2. Share a Brief Personal Observation about the Book
3. Current Situation: All Natural Systems are in Decline.
4. Is a Sustainable Economy the Right Direction at the Right Time?
5. The Impact of Multi-National Corporations.
6. Green Taxes and Other Ways to Establish New Behaviors.
7. Other Talking Points and Choosing the Next Book:

Some Suggestions:

- a. "God's Politics". Jim Wallis
- b. "The World is Flat". Thomas L. Friedman.
- c. "America's Right Turn". Richard Viguerie.
- d. "The Travels of a T-Shirt in the Global Economy". Pietra Rivoli.
- e. Make a suggestion to the group.