

Bill Nye Announces Run for President
Public and Media Give Resounding Support
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Bill Nye sits next to King Triton, whispering and laughing, when a reporter from FWPMUN news came in announcing Nye's candidacy for President of the United States in front of the Atlantis Cabinet. The cabinet reacted with shock but also glee, shocked and amazed that their childhood superstar is running for the presidency.

Thousands of children in school and at home have watched "Bill Nye the Science Guy", educating and fostering a love for science and learning to a whole generation. "I believe that his [Nye's] candidacy will benefit the fight for climate action and protect the oceans for the humans of the future and the creatures within the seas," Kelly Slater said. "I strongly support him and hope that we can work together in the future."

Bill Nye is running as a Democrat, championing "climate first" and advocating for green energy. His campaign comes at a time when President Donald Trump has spoken out against the existence of climate change and increased carbon emissions within the United States, while youth lead climate marches across the globe advocating for change.

"Climate change is a decisive but necessary topic," Nye said. "We need to come to a solution and work to protect our world and everyone in it. As President you have the easiest and most efficient way to protect against climate change and ensure that cities, like Atlantis, get to be safe and not have to worry about the safety of their people."

Nye was invited to join the Atlantis Council because of his social media and public presence and his activism for climate action. His platform will consist of climate change, making equitable economic progress, becoming a global nation again and re-entering the Paris Climate Accords.

The support for Nye has grown with the media covering him extensively and positively.

"[Nye] would be a positive impact on America and the world," the President of BP said. "His campaign focusing on climate change and other progressive issues along with his connection to the youth should bring out the youth vote and increase the overall voter turnout."

Nye continues his campaign around America, while working to decrease and prevent the effects of climate change on the world.

"It is time for America to be brought into the modern era in respect to climate change, increasing jobs, and social reform," Nye said.