



**COVER LETTER and
INTRODUCTION TO THE IN-HARMONY SYSTEM**

Here is the SOLUTION to all of our Environmental Problems based upon the technique of System Design Analysis. Reading this cover letter will reveal a totally unique living structure and ecological SYSTEM that together comprise the common denominator of environmental problem solving.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

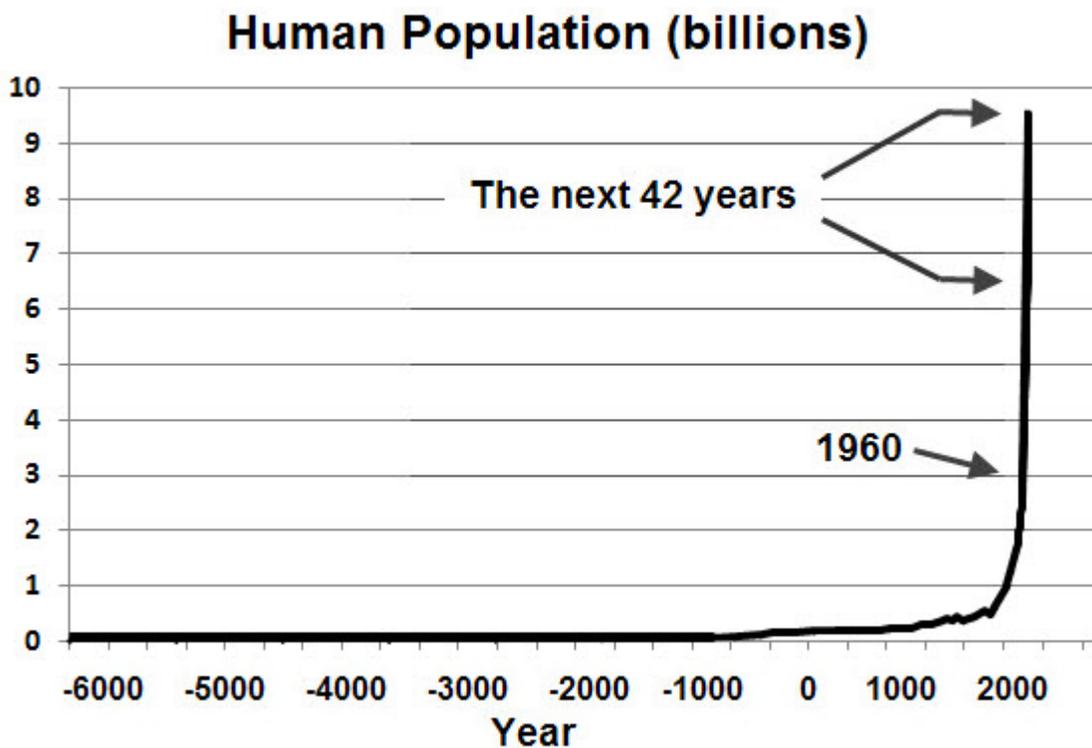
Never before has one SYSTEM been able to solve over 20 Man-made environmental problems plaguing the Earth caused by the way humans live. The In-Harmony Foundation has been specially created to educate people about all these problems, and promote a tangible solution through an ecological environmental system. In addition, we will initiate a unified front for the entire environmental/ ecological movement to create the demand for change. The environmental system is called the IN-HARMONY SYSTEM and it is about Re-Inventing Civilization by rearranging our current technology into a superior form. All the pieces are here, but they have been organized through avarice instead of through love of nature and harmony.

TEXT

The result of Humanity's delay in resolving our ecological and population problems will cause a hundred-fold or even a thousand-fold occurrence of Nature's imbalance. We are facing extinction of not only other species, but our own as well.

Species survival in previous extinctions depended on luck and adaptation. Humans have followed a singular path of civilization for over 6,000 years. That path has been the construction of one and two story structures with roads connecting them. This form of societal organization for most of this time was necessary due to primitive technology. However, with the advent of the Industrial Age technologies, they have allowed the development of larger structures. Unfortunately, we persisted to organize living patterns (cities) in the same old way with little adaptive variation.

Another factor that has catalyzed ecological devastation is increased human population that has resulted in tremendous consumption of resources on the Earth. The drain has also affected the earth's ability to regenerate these life giving resources. This process has been quantified with the concept of Ecological Footprints. In this analysis, human consumption of resources is compared to a given area needed to regenerate the depleted resources. For instance, the population of London utilizes more natural resources than the entire national boundary of Great Britain. Since 1989, the human species is depleting more resources than the entire Earth can regenerate. That ratio is currently over 1.29. This is like a car driving at night with no generator. Eventually it will stop running!



Not only is human population increasing exponentially, but the consumption levels are increasing linearly with population so it is also exponentially increasing. Consumption levels past the first billion humans are not increasing linearly, but rather 6 times faster. By the year 2100, worldwide consumption from 12 billion people would be triple what it is today! That means the human species Ecological Footprint would be over 2.0!

GDP per capita in 1990 International dollars

YEAR	0	1000	1500	1820	1995
World	\$425	\$420	\$545	\$675	\$5,188
The West	\$439	\$406	\$624	\$1,149	\$19,990
West Europe	450	400	670	1,269	17,456
North America	400	400	400	1,233	22,933
Japan	400	425	525	675	19,720
The Rest	\$423	\$424	\$532	\$594	\$2,971
Other Europe	400	400	597	803	5,147
Latin America	400	415	415	671	5,031
China	450	450	600	600	2,653
Other Asia	425	425	525	560	2,768
Africa	400	400	400	400	1,221

There have been thousands of individual scientific voices heralding concern about our environmental degradation. Occasionally, a large group of scientists, such as the UN IPCC will make pronouncements of the impending destruction of our environment if no corrective action is taken, but they are quickly forgotten. Unfortunately these warnings are not heeded for a number of fallacious reasons.

Science has not packaged all the environmental effects and their causes into one discernable package. To that end the In-Harmony Foundation has identified 22 major environmental (see our website www.in-harmony.net), but more importantly we have found the commonalities to their causes. The answer comes down to humans eliminating natural predators that limit population and increased consumption habits of food and tangible items. We need to look at balancing our lifestyle patterns with discipline that limits population growth and consumption. The In-Harmony System does both by offering an alternative lifestyle that values harmony with nature as more important than accumulation of possessions.

The main reason no action has been taken to date is that a comprehensive alternative plan has been non-existent. People might decide to do something different if they had a choice. Currently, there have been many discussions of the problems, but no single solution has been presented that would start to correct the devastation humans have wrought on the planet. It leaves the discipline of change to each person living in a lifestyle that doesn't encourage these changes.

A new reality is needed to support these changes. The In-Harmony Foundation has been created to not only announce this new problem-solving concept, but also to provide an active program of education and promotion of this innovative way for humans to live on the planet.

The In-Harmony Foundation utilizes the principles of Deep Ecology. Those tenants state that the Earth knows how to balance itself and it is only human presence that has disrupted the dynamic balancing process of Nature.

For over 3.5 Billion years the Earth has been nurturing the expansion of life. In a matter of 10,000 years human presence has materialized and disrupted the balance to the point that the Earth may need to wipe the slate clean and start over with a new set of life forms. The question remains....." is the human race merely a catalyst for change or a surviving species that will go on to expand its variations into many new forms?"

Development of human habitation was initially survival-motivated and later became profit-motivated. Now we must consider how humans can live with all the other species in a much more harmonious way. It is time that we treat other life forms with respect and learn to symbiotically co-exist so they may also flourish. As our consciousness evolves we must change our motivation towards creating living patterns. The In-Harmony System provides a solution to the ecological problems we face by containing most of our activities into a defined area. Outside that area, we allow other life forms to return to a natural balance of Bio-Diversity.

This System is not about one city. It is about Re-Inventing all human civilization. New patterns of city relations and interactions will bring about much greater efficiencies than our current system, which is highly energy consumptive and randomly patterned. Our existing civilization patterns are typified with a condition called Urban Sprawl. Instead of random sprawl, we organize the new ARC Cities in patterns based on industrial material flow analysis that will allow mass transit to work very effectively resulting in an overall efficiency improvement of up to 450%

We have changed the concept of urban planning from traditional transportation patterns with individual locomotion mechanisms into mass locomotion that is ecologically oriented. By integrating humans with other species symbiotically, instead eliminating other species, we find that integration of nature into our city is most important. Ecological interaction is very crucial as it connects us to Life. Our present cities attempt to eliminate most of Nature amongst us, as it is not profitable.

Transportation analysis shows that efficiency drops significantly from boats to trains and reduces tremendously when free-form movement of cars and trucks is involved. By eliminating the random patterns of origin and destination, we solve not only the transportation problem, but also energy, communication, water and waste distribution.

We simplify the infrastructure of a typical sprawl city of 1 million people which would occupy 160 square miles or

102,400 acres. It would take approximately 1.8 million acres or 2,812 square miles of farmland using modern factory agriculture to feed a million people. Instead, we create 40 modular cities of 25,000 people, totaling 1 million people that would occupy 400 square miles of land, but only 8,500 acres of high density buildings that would require much infrastructure. So the 400 square miles under the In-Harmony System is 7 times more efficient in adjacent food production and does not use hydro-carbon energy to power it!

That means the majority of human activity is limited to 8% of the size of previous cities by eliminating roads, private yards and storage space for cars. We no longer need to spend hours driving to work, school, shopping and recreation. That and distances are wasted energy. We redesign our world around walking.

The System uses a larger total area of land because it includes parks and food production adjacent to the central building. The City is surrounded with parks and recreation areas that have 20 times the land per person as Central Park in NYC. We have adjacent food production with greenhouses and field crops grown organically with permanent-beds. This type of food production has been proven to achieve higher quality of food for our health. It also provides physically active work which promotes better health; and teaches children and adults that food comes from Nature and not some package in a supermarket. We will re-integrate our society with Nature so that everyone will experience Life to a much deeper level.

The System is designed with radiating zones of decreasing human activity (see attached chart) that provides stepped transitions as we approach the city parameter. So the result is much greater lifestyle efficiency with tremendously reduced impact upon Nature.

If humans are going to live beyond the next 100 years they will do so with a much more reduced population. There is no way that the Earth can support 10-12 BILLION humans without killing off all other life. Past extinctions have demonstrated that the largest prime species of any biome are the first to die-off without sufficient Bio-diverse symbiotic support underneath. Reduced human population will occur with a die-off based on collapse of the old civilization due to adverse conditions. It is natural and part of Nature's Balance. What we need to insure is that given percentage human civilization will continue.

We need to establish a stable population that will share the planet with others species symbiotically in a truly sustainable manner. In so doing we can focus on creating a lifestyle based on quality instead of quantity. Our advancements in technology have separated us from the fear of survival so that we focus on higher levels of consciousness and technological development.

It is to this end that the In-Harmony Foundation has been formed. In order to achieve these lofty goals we need your help! You have already demonstrated awareness and recognition of the problems we are facing. You have put your name on the line to attempt to sway the tide of human opinion. Yet much of this has been as individual or with your

own specialized foundation that has worked on part of the problem.

The In-Harmony Foundation integrates all of these disciplines together in one united front of ecological harmony. After all that is what Nature is about!

We are at the crucial point in human civilization to take this giant leap into the future! We must act very soon or will be too late to prepare for ensuing tribulations. We are at the perfect junction of technology, scientific awareness of the environmental problems, and knowledge of ecological restoration, building technology, accumulated wealth and consciousness to make this leap into New Age. We need to assemble great and powerful people to accomplish this.

Please respond with communication regarding your willingness to be a Member of this Board.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Daniels", is centered on a light-colored rectangular background.

Robert Daniels, Founder
In-Harmony Foundation