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Kate: Earth doom; urges, stall it a little

By Kate Austin-Avon

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Call me crazy, but I believe we're living in the End Times. We've trashed this planet. There are islands of plastic in the ocean. Look at the graph at https://climate.nasa.gov/evidence and see if your blood doesn't run cold. It's too late. It's happening now, a little at a time.

Between snowstorms, wildfires and hurricanes, I try to hold my panic at arm's length so it doesn't pull me under. So that I can enjoy this limited time we have in front of us. It's all we know to be sure, the present moment.

But sometimes it feels like that scene in Titanic where the mother is calmly reading a bedtime story to her children and tucking them in, as the water rushes into the room.

I read an article on slate.com by Alison Spodek Keimowitz titled, "I Felt Despair About Climate Change—Until a Brush Please turn to page 16

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Might Elise lose?

By Mark Frost

Chronicle Editor

Two years ago Congresswoman Elise Stefanik trounced Democratic challenger Mike Derrick,

177,886-82,161, to win a second term. Green Party nominee Matt Funiciello drew 12,452 votes.



So is there any reason to believe that Ms. Stefanik can be beaten this November? I believe

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