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I am in my 80's. I was raised by a couple who lived through the depression.
In our household there was a great effort not to waste anything.
Today I see buildings that could be repaired and made energy efficient torn down.
This wastes the materials that make up that building.
And it creates a greater use of new building materials which is an immediate greater use of energy. Those new building materials have to be produced and transported.

But it is equally important to make our buildings energy efficient over the long term.

If we are going to have a healthy planet for humanity we must use less fossil fuels.
We must stop poisoning our environment with chemicals and single use plastics.

We are rapidly making our environment much more unpleasant to live in and much more dangerous to human health. It is affecting the quality of the air we breathe. It is making the production of our food more difficult. And the safety of our water is being affected.

This is urgent!!

There is no replacement planet .