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Christy Goldfuss, former managing director of the White House Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ), rejoined American Progress as the organization's senior vice president for Energy and Environment Policy. As managing director, Goldfuss helped develop and implement the Obama administration's environmental and energy policies, including the Climate Action Plan, then-President Barack Obama's major initiative to combat climate change. She co-chaired the Council on Climate

Preparedness and Resilience and identified priorities for protecting the country against the worst impacts of climate change. While leading the CEQ, she advised on the creation of the National Environmental Policy Act climate guidance and testified repeatedly in the U.S. House of Representatives defending it. Prior to her work at the CEQ, Goldfuss was the deputy director of the National Park Service, where she helped lead efforts to set and meet strategic goals related to conservation and preservation of America's natural and cultural heritage. She also created and directed the Public Lands Project at American Progress and worked on the legislative staff for the House Committee on Natural Resources.