



Human beings everywhere are now confronted with the fact that we share a planet together. All of our identities have been altered to include this fact. No matter what else we may be, we are also *planet people*, part of Earth's living biosphere. Our institutions—political, cultural, economic, scientific—will also change to accommodate this fact. They are already changing.

Planet Drum is an explorer's guide for planet people. It searches out ideas and information for active participants in the changes which are occurring. *Planet Drum's* articles, essays, interviews, maps and poetry are chosen for their pertinence to the consciousness shifts and expeditions which all of us are beginning to undertake. *Planet Drum's* format is designed to be useful on many levels: as posters, pamphlets to reprint and circulate, pieces to lend. Any part of a Bundle can travel easily.

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