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# COLORADO RENEWABLE ENERGY SOCIETY CELEBRATES EARTH DAY APRIL 22 WITH SCREENING OF SUNDANCE FESTIVAL AWARD-WINNER CHASING ICE

## FILM EDITOR DAVIS COOMBE WILL ATTEND AND ANSWER QUESTIONS

**DENVER, Colo., April 19, 2013**—The <u>Colorado Renewable Energy Society</u> (CRES) today announced today that it will present the movie *Chasing Ice* on April 22, 2013, to celebrate Earth Day, which is also April 22. This film has won dozens of awards at film festivals, including Sundance and South by Southwest (SXSW). Michael O'Sullivan of the *Washington Post* wrote in a review, "This portrait of a man on a mission moves us, not by showing us what we've already lost, but what's still at stake."

## **About Chasing Ice**

In the spring of 2005, acclaimed environmental photographer James Balog headed to the Arctic on a tricky assignment for *National Geographic*: to capture images to help tell the story of the Earth's changing climate. Even with a scientific upbringing, Balog had been a skeptic about climate change. But, that first trip north opened his eyes to the biggest story in human history and sparked a challenge within him that would put his career and his very well-being at risk. Director Jeff Orlowski spent months following Balog as he struggled with balky equipment, terrible weather, sideways terrain and personal injury to acquire time-lapse photography of moving glaciers. The time-lapse footage shows dramatic evidence of glacier retreat in Greenland, Iceland, Alaska and Montana.

## **About Davis Coombe**

Davis Coombe has edited many acclaimed films including Academy Award winners on HBO and BRAVO. More recently, he is the editor for the award winning film *Chasing Ice*.

## **About the Showing**

**Date:** April 22nd, which is also Earth Day!

**Time:** Reception 6:00-6:45 pm (space is limited; no charge with purchase of a ticket but preregistration

is required)
Movie 7:00 pm

Where: American Mountaineering Center, 710 Tenth Street, Golden, CO 80401

Pricing: \$11.00, CRES members \$8.50, students with ID \$6.50, groups of 10 or more \$5.50 each

Reception free with individual ticket purchase (space is limited-preregistration required)

Tickets at the door \$14.00

Register: https://www.blacktie-colorado.com/calendar/event-detail.cfm?id=25242

## **About the Colorado Renewable Energy Society**

The Colorado Renewable Energy Society (CRES) is a statewide, non-partisan, non-profit 501(c)(3) membership organization leading Colorado and its people to an energy efficient and renewable energy economy, by advancing education, policy and economic development. For more information, go to <a href="http://www.cres-energy.org">http://www.cres-energy.org</a>