## **Human Impact on the Environment Rubric**

	0-1	2-3	4-5
How Humans Caused the Problem	Cause not given or is incorrect	Cause is somewhat explained but not clear to all	Cause is well explained and clear to all in the room
The Effects on the Environment	Effect(s) are not given or is incorrect	Effects are explained but either not thoroughly or not in a way the others understand	Effects are explained thoroughly and in a manner that is clear to all
Where the Problem is the Most Significant	Not given	Given but not very specific or given but not shown	Locations are specifically described and shown visually
How It Affects Humans Directly or Indirectly	No connection made or is incorrect	Connection is somewhat made, but no long-term consequences are given	Connection shows current and future consequences if unresolved
How the Problem Can Be Fixed			2+ suggestions given,
<ul><li>By individuals</li></ul>	0-1 suggestion given or is	A few suggestions are given, but	including both types and
<ul><li>By groups</li></ul>	incorrect	not both types	opposing view type if possible
WHO is trying to fix it	No groups given	Groups given but no information on them	Groups given as well as a description of who they are and why they care
Visuals	Few poor quality or Irrelevant visuals given	Several pictures included, but not all were relevant or appropriate	Several pictures supported every aspect of the presentation, and all were relevant and appropriate
Participation/Presentation Quality	Only one member presented or members didn't seem to truly know the material	Both members participated but understanding was weak OR presentation was disorganized	Both members presented, seemed knowledgeable, and it was organized