XR FORRES:SONGS FOR THE CLIMATETo urgently, create a Green New Deal

(as of February 2020)

XR CORE SONGS

We're rising up! We stand here in rebellion!
And we declare, that ecocide's a crime
In love and rage, and peaceful disobedience
The signs are clear we're running out of time.

LIFT UP YOUR VOICES

(to tune of Freedom is Coming)
Lift up your voices, x3 And sing for Life
Lift up, oh lift up, oh lift up, lift up your voices
And sing for Life.

PEOPLE GET READY

People get ready, there's a change a-coming Don't need to doubt it, you just get on board

THE CHILDREN HAVE SPOKEN

(Call/response)
The [children] have spoken
The earth won't be broken
Oh rise up
Oh le oh le oh mama
[children/students/mothers/fathers/elders/rebel
s]

NOBODY GONNA TURN ME AROUND

Ain't gonna let [nobody] <u>turn me around</u>, X3 Ain't gonna let [nobody] turn me around I'm gonna keep on walking, keep on talking Marching for this blessed land [injustice/denial/insanity/delusion/this system/this government/complacency]

WE ARE TOGETHER

Thina simunye Singa bomdeni We are together We are family

PEOPLE GONNA RISE LIKE WATER

People gonna rise like water
Shut this system down (or: turn this system round)
In the voice of my great granddaughter
Climate justice now

WE'RE STANDING HERE

(Owly Dave Ramsden arr: Helen Yeomans. We're standing here, for this is an emergency We're standing here, for all that we hold dear We're standing here, for beauty and diversity And we're standing in the love that binds us all And we demand, our government must tell the truth And they must act, as if the truth is real And we demand, a powerful Assembly