

# *Climate Week opens in New York as world leaders gather for UN General Assembly*

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New York, September 19 (RHC)-- The 77th United Nations General Assembly opened on Monday with the climate emergency and the war in Ukraine taking center stage.

Ahead of the gathering, Secretary-General António Guterres called out nations for failing to protect future generations, decrying the “sheer inadequacy of the global response to the climate crisis.”

Monday was also the first day of Climate Week in New York, with dozens of protests and climate-related activities scheduled around the city.

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