Climate Change and Washington's Retreating Glaciers

- Cascade glaciers have thinned by more than 31 feet.
- Have lost 18 to 32 percent of their entire volume.
- Four disappeared entirely.

South Cascade Glacier has lost 1/2 its length and 2/3 its ice volume

The decline of North Cascade glaciers, 1984-2005

4 glaciers have disappeared entirely

Note: See "Impacts of Climate Change on Washington's Economy" page 18, November 2006