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Summary of essay

The essay “From Doo Wop to Hip Hop: The Bittersweet Odyssey of African-Americans in the South Bronx”, written by Mark Naison, describes the life of African-Americans and Latinos living in the South of Bronx. The Patterson Houses publicly provide funded programs to these underprivileged children. However the 1960s was the year of the rise of heroin and caused families and communities to fall apart. In 1973, hip hop begins to appear as a form of music and dance form, and the development of hip hop leads it as a human spirit to get people together, and it becomes the primary way for young people to express their thought and opinions to the world. The author states that people still have opportunities to rebuild public housings and improve the current situation.

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Outline of Reporting Information Essay #3

1. Introduction
2. Opener

“Not only are we going to mess up our kids’ and grandkids’ lives, we are going to be interfering with the way the planet works for thousands of years,” says climate scientist Alvaro Montenegro. Indeed, Amory Lovins states, “Fire made us human, fossil fuels make us modern, but now we need a new fire that makes us safe, secure, healthy and durable.”

1. Thesis

Fossil energy has caused various problems, and alternative energy is a practical option for people. However, alternative energy cannot replace fossil energy absolutely because of its defects. The “new fire”, or new solution, is to mix fossil energy and alternative energy based on what we know of fossil energy and the pros and cons of alternative energy.

1. Body
2. Fossil energy causes many environmental problems and is running out.
3. Climate changed
4. Environment / social problems (air pollution)
5. Fossil energy is running out
6. Wind power, solar power, and biofuel energy are practical options for people.
7. Wind power
8. Solar power
9. Biofuel energy
10. However, alternative energy cannot replace fossil energy absolutely because its defects.
11. Wind power
12. Solar power
13. Biofuel energy
14. Conclusion

The best solution is to mix fossil energy and alternative energy.