

**Valholly Frank** was one of the eight youth plaintiffs in the *Reynolds v. State of Florida* case supported by Our Children’s Trust. She also recently co-led a successful petition for rulemaking asking the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to set a goal for 100% renewable energy by 2050, which led to the enactment of the strongest climate policy in Florida in over a decade. Valholly is a 19-year-old member of the Seminole Tribe who is strongly connected to her tribal heritage. She grew up and continues to spend a significant amount of time on the Big Cypress Indian Reservation. She currently lives with her community on the Hollywood Indian Reservation. She enjoys spending time in nature, especially in the Florida Everglades, and that love is the reason she uses her voice to try and protect her people, her culture, land, and the future generations endangered by the climate crisis. In 2019, Valholly attended the Conference of the Parties (“COP”) 25 in Madrid, Spain, where she spoke at the Conference of Youth and participated in actions led by Indigenous climate leaders.