

Public Enemy Share Black Sky VIDmash

Public Enemy's Black Sky VIDmash combines visuals for "Slick," "Confusion (Here Come The Drums)," and "Evil Ways." As usual, they are critical of American politics and clear in their feelings about the current administration. There are sightings of ICE at work and White House Border Czar Tom Homan. The songs are from PE's *Black Sky Over The Projects: Apartment 2025* which came out as a surprise last summer. The video mashup comes not long after the [CD](#) and vinyl release of the album that was only available in digital form. There are three different vinyl options: **Earth** ([Barnes & Noble/Natural Black Swirl Opaque Mix vinyl](#)), **Wind** ([MVDSshop.com/Light Gray Marble Opaque Mix vinyl, Exclusive Artist-Signed Edition](#)), and **Fire** ([Zia Records/Blood Orange Opaque Mix vinyl](#)). In other news, Flavor Flav is the official hype man for Bobsled and Skeleton in the 2026 Winter Olympics in Milan.

Public Enemy's Black Sky Over The Projects: Apartment 2025 Has A CD & Vinyl Release Date



Credit: Sanjay Suchak

Public Enemy's surprise album, *Black Sky Over The Projects: Apartment 2025*, released over the summer, will be released on CD and vinyl next month. Their 16th album is the first in five years and was their way of thanking fans. "This album is a give-back to all of our fans with gratitude and appreciation," says Chuck D, "we see and appreciate you." "We're bringing our beats to the world with this album," adds Flavor Flav. It's been three plus decades since the group released their groundbreaking political missives *It Takes A Nation Of Millions to Hold Us Back* and *Fear Of A Black Planet*. Both albums were a response to a late '80s and early '90s world but they are even more relevant in 2025. *Black Sky* has the same spirit of truth as Chuck D and Flavor Flav are still observing the world's shortcomings. They also take the time to celebrate music so the album is not all social critiques.

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[Opaque Mix vinyl, Exclusive Artist-Signed Edition](#)), and “Fire” ([Zia Records/Blood Orange Opaque Mix vinyl](#)). Pre-order the CD [HERE](#) (CD) and the vinyl [HERE](#). You can also pre-order the [CD](#) and [vinyl](#) via Amazon. Both versions will be available on October 10th.

Chuck D Is Back With New Gens Feat. Daddy-0



Chuck D is back with his first solo single in seven years and it's a collaboration with Daddy-O called "New Gens." The new song is included on his next solo album, *Radio Armageddon*. The Public Enemy co-founder and Daddy-O, who founded Stetsasonic, the first hip-hop group to use a full band, rap about the current generation of rappers. The two rap pioneers share their perspectives on contemporary artists and what it means to be a legend. Chuck D makes sure to send them love at the

end of each verse. The video is a collection of vintage scenes from hip-hop and the two of them interspersed in between the footage of those early days of New York City b-boys and b-girls.

Chuck D's last solo effort was *Celebration of Ignorance*, which came out in 2018. It was only five years ago that Public Enemy released the critically acclaimed *What You Gonna Do When The Grid Goes Down?* *Radio Armageddon* has guest appearances from Philadelphia legends Schoolly D and Phil Most Chill; Donald D and Jazzy Jay of the Zulu Nation; hip-hop's first hypewoman, 1/2 pint, NYC's Miranda Writes; and artists from Chuck D's SpitSLAM label: The Impossebulls and Blak Madeen. *Radio Armageddon* comes out on May 18th and can be [preordered](#) now.

Consequence Shares Video For What Has America Done Feat. Chuck D

Rapper Consequence questions his patriotism on the single "What Has America Done," featuring Public Enemy frontman Chuck D. Consequence raps about the injustices done to Black people with Chuck D, and Tony Williams sings the chorus. The single is from his forthcoming *Nice Doing Business With You (Deluxe Edition)*, which comes out on December 6th.