**6.3.1 Speech Outline**

**Directions**: Use the chart below to complete your speech outline. The left side of the chart gives guidance for what needs to be filled out on the right side.

* Include the links to the sources and images you used for your research.
* You should NEVER copy and paste information into a speech. You should ALWAYS write or re-write summaries in your own words. You will have to redo the assignment if you copy and paste.
* You can quote a source but be sure to put “quotes” around the text you are using. Keep quotes to a minimum (1-2 sentences maximum).
* You should not use more than 1 quote in this speech.

| **Guidance** | **Your Response** |
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| **Introduce yourself and your topic.** What is your topic and why is it controversial? |  |
| Why is this topic important to many Americans?  Why are some people in favor of this issue?  Why are some people opposed to this issue? |  |
| What is your position on this topic?  Are you in favor or against this topic? Why or why not? |  |
| How can someone participate in the decision-making process about this issue?  (ex: names of organizations you can join,  writing emails, phone calls, letters, etc.) |  |
| **Works Cited Page**  Use this website to generate a citation: <https://www.scribbr.com/mla-citation-generator/>  Example:  Wei-Haas, Maya. “Volcanoes, Explained.” Environment, 4 May 2021,  www.nationalgeographic.com/environment/article/volcanoes. Accessed Nov. 11, 2020. |  |