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"FRY BREAD FEAST"
March 6th 2014
11am - 2pm
Outside the Joe Crowley
Student Union

\$5.00 buys you a fry bread plate with drink and dessert!

All fresh produce for the event will be provided by the local food co-op.
Come learn about the history of fry bread and the infamous "Indian Taco".
**Veggie Tacos Available! **Pre-sale tickets with delivery option is available.
For more details call Sandra Mitrovich at (775) 682-6499

 


Come join
NASO on
March 6th for
their **Fry
Bread Feast!**
We will have
ingredients
from the local
food co-op.
\$5.00 Taco
Plate is back
with Taco/
Dessert/Drink!
Come support
our Native
students at
Nevada and
buy some tacos.

AASLH Training:

Focusing On Visitors: Public Programming And Exhibits At History Institutions

April 3-4, 2014

Governor John Langdon House, Historic New England, Portsmouth, NH

This workshop provides a broad overview of public programming and exhibits focusing on active learning at different kinds of history organizations. Seasoned educators direct conversations about museum education and what it is museum educators do. Participants will leave the workshop with information and materials they can take back to their organizations to adapt and use.

- Cost: \$270 members/\$345 nonmembers
- **\$40 discount if fee is received by February 27**

[Register Now](#)

Connecting Your Collections To Teachers And Students

April 10-11, 2014

Columbus, OH; Ohio Historical Society

Sponsored by: The Creative Learning Factory

Through a combination of presentations, discussions, hands-on activities, and take-home materials, this workshop addresses the various elements of museum education and program planning needed to create an engaging, educational, and successful program with a focus on collections-based programming. Topics include learning styles, presentation strategies, audience types, planning strategies and program assessment, using research, training staff, and crafting programming that is meaningful to the education community.

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Is OST Holding Money for You?

OST is seeking current addresses for Individual Indian Money (IIM) account holders. All Whereabouts Unknown (WAU) accounts have either interests in lands and/or funds to be disbursed to rightful owners.

Locating IIM Account Holders

Names in the list followed by an asterisk (*) indicate accounts to which Cobell payment funds have been disbursed.

Type a name in the text box below:

Or select a letter to look up a name:

[A](#) [B](#) [C](#) [D](#) [E](#) [F](#) [G](#) [H](#) [I](#) [J](#) [K](#) [L](#) [M](#) [N](#) [O](#) [P](#) [Q](#) [R](#) [S](#) [T](#) [U](#) [V](#) [W](#) [X](#) [Y](#) [Z](#) [All](#)

Form OST 01-004 IIM Instructions for Disbursement of Funds and Change of Address

Information needed to request OST forms

Name of account holder (First, M.I., Last name)

Current address

Telephone number

WRITE:

Office of the Special Trustee (OST) Attn: Trust Beneficiary Call Center
4400 Masthead St., NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109

CALL: Toll Free: 1- 888 - 678- 6836

Dec. 19, 2013

In a find that could rival that of King Tut's tomb and the Dead Sea Scrolls, a group of travelers exploring South America's Amazon jungle located a massive structure that could hold the remains of the **Incan emperor Atahualpa**. The 260 foot high structure, situated high in the Andes of Ecuador, could be "one of the biggest archaeological discoveries ever," researchers say.

For more: <http://history.scout.com/articles/articletype/articleview/articleid/1917/has-the-tomb-of-the-last-incan-emperor-been-found>

More ancient non-Indian "civilization"

<http://history.scout.com/articles/articletype/articleview/articleid/1916/study-carthaginians-practiced-child-sacrifice>

FCC Rural Experiments Initiative

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We had a great meeting yesterday to discuss the FCC rural experiments initiative. As a result, Connected Nation has created maps of eligible census tracts in each county. I encourage all of you to take a look at the tracts and reach out to local providers as you see fit so we can get Nevada covered. Life is better with broadband ☺

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2014 Teach For America Corps Member (Nationwide)

Job ID:14955129 Position Title:2014 Teach For America Corps Member (Nationwide)
Company Name: Teach For America Area of Focus: Education/Training
Job Function: Social Work/Counseling/Case Entry Level: Yes
Location(s):

Phoenix, Arizona, 85001, United States
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201, United States
Chicago, Illinois, 60601, United States
Newark, Connecticut, United States
Washington, D.C., Dist. Columbia, United States
Detroit, Michigan, 48201, United States
Nashville, Tennessee, 37201, United States
Newark, New Jersey, 07101, United States
Honolulu, Hawaii, 96801, United States
Indianapolis, Indiana, 46201, United States
Kansas City, Missouri, 64101, United States
Los Angeles, California, 90001, United States
Memphis, Tennessee, 37501, United States
Miami-Dade, Florida, United States
Oxford, Mississippi, 38655, United States
New York, New York, 10001, United States
Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74101, United States
Rio Grande Valley, Texas, United States
San Antonio, Texas, 78201, United States
Florence, South Carolina, 29501, United States
Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70801, United States
The Bay Area, California, United States
Cincinnati, Ohio, 45201, United States

Appalachia, Ohio, United States
Charlotte, North Carolina, 28201
Denver, Colorado, 80201, United States
Dallas/ Fort Worth, Texas, United States
Wilmington, Delaware, 19801, United States
Raleigh-Durham, North Carolina
New Orleans, Louisiana, 70112
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19019
Houston, Texas, 77001, United States
Jacksonville, Florida, 32099, United States
Las Vegas, Nevada, 89101, United States
Boston, Massachusetts, 02101, United States
Atlanta, Georgia, 30301, United States
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53201
New Mexico, United States
Cleveland, Ohio, 44101, United States
Providence, Rhode Island, 02901
Sacramento, California, 94203
Seattle-Tacoma, Washington, United States
Mission, South Dakota, 57555
St. Louis, Missouri, 63101, United States
Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55401

Job Duration: 1-2

Min Education: BA/BS/Undergraduate

Min Experience:NoneRequired

Travel: 0-10%

Salary: \$25,500.00 - \$51,000.00 (Yearly Salary)

- See more at: http://americorpsalums-jobs.jobtarget.com/jobseeker/job/14955129/2014%2520Teach%2520For%2520America%2520Corps%2520Member%2520%28Nationwide%29/_company_/?vnet=0#sthash.GOYLzKsj.dpuf

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

February 27, 2014

FACT SHEET: Opportunity for all: President Obama Launches My Brother's Keeper Initiative to Build Ladders of Opportunity for Boys and Young Men of Color

“I’m reaching out to some of America’s leading foundations and corporations on a new initiative to help more young men of color facing especially tough odds to stay on track and reach their full potential.” – President Barack Obama, January 28, 2014

*“There are a lot of kids out there who need help, who are getting a lot of negative reinforcement. And is there more that we can do to give them the sense that their country cares about them and values them and is willing to invest in them?”
– President Barack Obama, July 19, 2013*

President Obama is taking action to launch *My Brother’s Keeper* – a new initiative to help every boy and young man of color who is willing to do the hard work to get ahead. For decades, opportunity has lagged behind for boys and young men of color. But across the country, communities are adopting approaches to help put these boys and young men on the path to success. The President wants to build on that work. We can learn from communities that are partnering with local businesses and foundations to connect these boys and young men to mentoring, support networks, and skills they need to find a good job or go to college and work their way up into the middle class. And the Administration will do its part by helping to identify and promote programs that work.

That starts by using proven tools that expand opportunity at key moments in the lives of these young people. The President believes this includes ensuring access to basic health, nutrition, and to high-quality early education to get these kids reading and ready for school at the youngest age. But that’s not enough. We need to partner with communities and police to reduce violence and make our classrooms and streets safer. And we need to help these young men stay in school and find a good job– so they have the opportunity to reach their full potential, contribute to their communities and build decent lives for themselves and their families.

New Presidential Task Force to Expand Opportunity. President Obama will sign a Presidential Memorandum establishing the My Brother’s Keeper Task Force, an interagency effort, chaired by Assistant to the President and Cabinet Secretary Broderick Johnson, that will help us determine what public and private efforts are working and how to expand upon them, how the Federal Government’s own policies and programs can better support these efforts, and how to better involve State and local officials, the private sector, and the philanthropic community in these efforts.

The Task Force will work across executive departments and agencies to:

- Assess the impact of Federal policies, regulations, and programs of general applicability on boys and young men of color, so as to develop proposals that will enhance positive outcomes and eliminate or reduce negative ones.
- Recommend, where appropriate, incentives for the broad adoption by national, State, and local public and private decision makers of effective and innovative strategies and practices for providing opportunities to and improving outcomes for boys and young men of color.
- Create an Administration-wide “What Works” online portal to disseminate successful programs and practices that improve outcomes for boys and young men of color.
- Develop a comprehensive public website, to be maintained by the Department of Education, that will assess, on an ongoing basis, critical indicators of life outcomes for boys and young men of color in absolute and relative terms.
- Work with external stakeholders to highlight the opportunities, challenges, and efforts affecting boys and young men of color.

- Recommend to the President means of ensuring sustained efforts within the Federal Government and continued partnership with the private sector and philanthropic community as set forth in the Presidential Memorandum.

Investments from Leading Foundations and Businesses to Advance the Achievement of Boys and Young Men of Color. Leading foundations and businesses have long worked with others in philanthropy to create opportunities for young men and boys of color and today are committing significant resources to research critical intervention points in the lives of boys and young men of color; change the often-damaging narrative about them; and catalyze coordinated investments to seed, replicate, and scale up effective community solutions.

The foundations supporting today's call to action have already made extensive investments, including \$150 million in current spending that they have already approved or awarded. Building on that, today these foundations are announcing that over the next five years they seek to invest at least \$200 million, alongside additional investments from their peers in philanthropy and the business community, to find and rapidly spread solutions that have the highest potential for impact in key areas, including: early child development and school readiness, parenting and parent engagement, 3rd grade literacy, educational opportunity and school discipline reform, interactions with the criminal justice system ladders to jobs and economic opportunity and healthy families and communities.

The foundations will work over the next 90 days to design a strategy and infrastructure for coordination of these investments, which can be aligned with additional commitments from a diverse array of actors from other sectors.

These foundations, who are joining President Obama at today's announcement, include The Annie E. Casey Foundation, The Atlantic Philanthropies, Bloomberg Philanthropies, The California Endowment, The Ford Foundation, The John S. and James L. Knight Foundation, The Open Society Foundations, The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, The W.K. Kellogg Foundation, and The Kapor Center for Social Impact. Many of the foundations are members of the Executives' Alliance to Expand Opportunities for Boys and Men of Color – a coalition of philanthropic institutions committed to leveraging philanthropy's role in improving life outcomes for boys and men of color.

In addition to the leadership from the philanthropic community, the My Brother's Keeper initiative will leverage participation from the business community and elected officials to support this cross-sector effort. As part of today's announcement, President Obama will meet with a number of business leaders – including Joe Echevarria of Deloitte, Magic Johnson of Magic Johnson Enterprises, Glenn Hutchins of Silver Lake Partners, Adam Silver of the National Basketball Association and Thomas Tull of Legendary Entertainment – to discuss ways in which they and their companies can work with the Initiative to improve the life outcomes of boys and young men of color.

The President will also be joined today by public sector leaders including General Colin Powell, Mayor Rahm Emanuel and the Honorable Michael Bloomberg. Additionally, several other prominent members of the business community—including Rosalind Brewer of Sam's Club, Ken Chenault of American Express, and Don Thompson of McDonald's—have already expressed their support for this effort, and the White House expects additional commitments in the coming days and months.

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Data shows that boys and young men of color, regardless of socio-economic background, are disproportionately at risk throughout the journey from their youngest years to college and career. For instance, large disparities remain in reading proficiency, with 86 percent of black boys and 82 percent of Hispanic boys reading below proficiency levels by the fourth grade – compared to 58 percent of white

boys reading below proficiency levels. Additionally, the disproportionate number of black and Hispanic young men who are unemployed or involved in the criminal justice system alone is a perilous drag on state budgets, and undermines family and community stability. These young men are more than six times as likely to be victims of murder than their white peers and account for almost half of the country's murder victims each year.

The effort launched today is focused on unlocking the full potential of boys and young men of color – something that will not only benefit them, but all Americans. The Task Force and new private sector partnership will take a collaborative and multidisciplinary approach to building ladders of opportunity. Both the Task Force and the partnership will take action immediately while planning for long-term success.

Hiawatha Insane Asylum for Indians rootsweb.ancestry.com

"In 1898, Congress passed a bill creating the first and only Institution for insane Indians in the United States. The doors of the asylum, located just over the Nebraska border in Canton, South Dakota, were..."

"The Rosebud Sioux tribe is poised to stand the line and keep the pipeline from going through this territory." - Gary Dorr of the Nez Perce Nation on MSNBC's The Ed Show.

The mainstream media has been almost uniform in its exclusion of Native voices and populations in their coverage of Keystone XL.

WATCH this major network segment that aired last night that features Gary Dorr of the Nez Perce Nation and Wizipan Little Elk of the Rosebud Sioux Nation describing KXL's threat to their sacred sites, treaty rights, and safety of their communities.



http://player.theplatform.com/p/2E2eJC/EmbeddedOffSite?guid=n_ed_4div1_140226

Click LIKE to show your support for Gary's words and that you want to hear more Native voices included in the mainstream coverage of KXL.

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Wow! Are you watching --> [XL Dissent](#) ?

After over 1000 people marched from Georgetown, around 450 youth zip-tied themselves to the White House fence in an act ...See More



Students also doing a die-in outside White House to say [#NoKXL](#) MORE> <http://xldissent.org/>

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### **Keystone PipeLIES** **Exposed: The Facts on** **Sticky Leaks, Billion-Dollar** **Spills and Dirty Air**

**Dave Saldana, PR**

**Watch:** This in-depth report looks at various aspects of tar sands extraction, from leak and spill cleanup paid for by tax dollars to the health effects of its byproducts on local citizens. [Read the Article](#)

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Rep. Raul M. Grijalva | Obama's Pipeline

Rep. Raul M. Grijalva, The New York Times

Grijalva writes: "If the president approves the Keystone XL pipeline on the basis of the lobbying and bad science that has been offered to support it, much of his good work will be undone and a business-as-usual atmosphere will settle back on Washington like a heavy cloud." [READMORE](#)
100's of students have locked themselves to the White House Fence in an act of civil disobedience, mass arrest is imminent.

LIVE <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/AmirisLive>
<http://www.ustream.tv/rootsmedia>



This was included previously because there are several opportunities for tribal economic development/contracting,,,

NEVADA ON SHORT LIST FOR \$5 BILLION TESLA BATTERY FACTORY

Nevada is on a short list of states, along with New Mexico, Arizona and Texas, that could become home to a massive, \$5 billion Tesla Motors battery plant, the electric car manufacturer said Wednesday.
<http://erj.reviewjournal.com/ct/uz3688753Biz20167810>

Northern Nevada and Tesla Motors Gigafactory battery manufacturing plant

As most of you know who follow EV news, Tesla Motors will be building a "Gigafactory" battery manufacturing plant that is slated to have the capacity to produce the equivalent of today's global lithium cell output!

Tesla says the facility will occupy up to 1,000 acres, which includes solar and wind farms to power the factory. There will be an estimated 6,500 employees who will be able to produce enough battery packs to build 500,000 Tesla Motors' products.

Tesla publicly announced a few days ago that Northern Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas are all being consider as possible locations for the Gigafactory.

Folks, this is a very big deal!

Because not only would this plant be building traction packs for Tesla Motors' products, but also, very likely, for static electric grid storage applications.

As many of you know, Tesla CEO, Elon Musk, is part owner of Solarcity, the rapidly expanding solar rent-to-own outfit. Solarcity has been talking about adding standby storage battery packages to their product line.

In addition, last fall, California passed an energy storage mandate that utilities must begin adding storage to their electric grids. It's a really big deal--I mean, unbelievably big--first of its kind legislation in the US. (Trust me, energy storage is going to be an unbelievably huge global market going forward.)

So *possibility* that Tesla Motors will locate their Gigafactory battery plant in our backyard--which as big as all other lithium battery factories combine--is ginormous, a real game changer for our region if they decide to build it here in Northern Nevada!

While the decision has likely already been made, there still maybe some final negotiations with the various candidate locations underway.

It may behoove us to contact some of our local officials and let them know what we think. They likely don't understand the magnitude of the global high-tech battery market going forward and only think this is about electric cars, something that most people are clueless about. And they have recently been burned by Apple's big data center deal that's still in limbo as well.

So maybe they need to hear from an informed public to help get this effort over the finish line? It can't hurt and will only take you a few minutes.

If you wish to contact local leaders, I've provided their contact information below.

Locations in Northern Nevada under consideration for the Gigafactory are Stead and the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center which involves the jurisdictions of: Washoe and Storey counties, and the City of Reno. Here's how you can contact them. (And if you do, I'd love to hear what they had to say, if anything.)

Washoe County Board of Commissioners, 1001 E. 9th Street, Building A, Reno, NV 89512
Phone: 775.328.2005 Email through website: <http://www.washoecounty.us/bcc/contact.html>

Storey County Board of Commissioners
Write: 26 South B Street, Virginia City, NV 89440 Phone: (775) 847-0968
Email: commissioners[AT]storeycounty[DOT]org

Reno City Council, 1 E. First Street, Reno, NV 89501 Phone: 775 334-4636
Email them through their website: <http://www.reno.gov/government/city-council>

So why do I think Northern Nevada will (or should) be Tesla Motors location choice for the Gigafactory battery plant?

- (1) Northern Nevada is 3.5 hours from Tesla's auto manufacturing plant in Fremont, CA, and there's great rail and highway connections to the Bay Area.
- (2) Nevada has both traditional (continental brine at Silver Peak, currently in production) and nontraditional (hectorite clay at Kings Valley which is underdevelopment) lithium mines. Wikipedia reports that the Silver Peak, NV, "Chemetall Foote Lithium Operation in Clayton Valley is currently the only operating source of lithium in the United States. The mine is being expanded to double the capacity of its lithium carbonate production. The project is funded in part by a \$28.4 million grant from the U.S. Department of Energy to expand and upgrade the production of lithium materials for advanced transportation batteries."
- (4) The Gigafactory plant rendering looks amazingly like Northern Nevada! Really, I could almost point to a physical location that looks like [page 3 of the Tesla Gigafactory plan](#).
- (5) No employment tax.
- (6) Right to work state.
- (7) Low corporate taxes.
- (8) Nevada passed special legislation in 2013 for Apple's proposed solar powered data center in Northern Nevada.
- (9) The only *con* I can think of is after about a decade of experience dealing with various officials in our state, they are not very technically minded nor forward thinking (there's a couple

of exceptions, but not many). They also tend to be very ambitious, hubristic, myopic and Nevada-centric, not interested what other states or other countries do.
(9) Can you think of other reasons pro or con?

Below is a sampling of news stories from various sources on the Gigafactory announcement.
Keep your fingers crossed!
//Bob Tregilus

Tesla Details Gigafactory Plans: 2017 Launch, 6,500 Employees, 1,000 acres, 50 GWh/yr.

After months of speculation, Tesla Motors [NASDAQ:TSLA] finally announced more details about its Gigafactory, a monster battery manufacturing and recycling plant whose battery cell output would not only eclipse that of all of the other battery cell manufacturers in the world today combined but would also enable it to produce enough battery packs to build 500,000 vehicles annually by 2020. [There's more >>>](#)

Tesla exploring Northern Nevada as site for "massive battery factory"

Two sources have confirmed that Tesla Motors is exploring sites in Northern Nevada for its planned construction of a "giga factory" to produce lithium batteries for its fully electric luxury sedans. [There's more >>>](#)

Panasonic, suppliers may invest \$1 billion in Tesla's U.S. battery plant: Nikkei

(Reuters) - Panasonic Corp is inviting a number of Japanese materials suppliers to join it in investing in a U.S. car battery plant that it plans to build with Tesla Motors Inc, with investment expected to reach more than 100 billion yen (\$979 million), the Nikkei reported. ---

Goldman Sees Tesla Consuming Up to 17% of Lithium Output

Tesla Motor Inc. (TSLA)'s planned battery factory may consume as much as 17 percent of current lithium output, easing a forecast oversupply and benefiting producers like Rockwood Holdings Inc. (ROC), Goldman Sachs Group Inc. said. [There's more >>>](#)

Why Apple Could Win Big With Tesla's Giant New Battery Factory

The first Tesla I ever saw was stripped down to the chassis, a bare-metal incarnation of the company's flagship electric Roadster on display at an event in Silicon Valley. Without the need for an internal combustion engine, the two-seater's petite frame was dominated by a huge battery. My first thought: "This looks like a giant cell phone on wheels." [There's more >>>](#)

Musk's Tesla Batteries Mean 'Strife' for Electric Utilities

Tesla Motors Inc. (TSLA:US)'s Elon Musk, already taking on the auto and aerospace industries, is going after utilities by seeking to drive down the cost of storing energy through building cheaper batteries. [There's more >>>](#)

[Nettie Crowder Oliverio](#)

Please take this quick survey if you haven't already. It will give our region MUCH needed arts data. Don't worry if you don't know much about the arts or pay much attention to that part of our community. That's the kind of knowledge we really want in our sampling, right alongside the art mavens. Everyone's thoughts are important!

[Reno Arts Survey](#)

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