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from the Declaration of Independence:

particulars documenting the king's "repeated injuries and usurpations" of the Americans' rights and liberties:

For taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments:

For suspending our own Legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all

cases whatsoever.

He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people. He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us, and has endeavoured to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages whose known rule of warfare, is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions.

UC Berkeley is hiring a Native American Studies Librarian and an Asian American Studies Librarian. Please forward this to anyone who might be interested and consider joining us! The deadline date is August 5. See attached

Attachments: NativeAmericanStudiesLibrarianESL2014.docx

AsianAmericanStudiesLibrarianESL2014.docx

Shoshoni Word of the Day: Nenkappeh/ Pana – Chest

The Shoshoni word of the day is nenkappeh a noun meaning 'chest'. or pana a noun also meaning 'chest'. shoshoniproject.utah.edu

Up coming Pow-wow in Ely, NV

Attachments: EST Flyer 2014.pdf (Wouldn't transfer.....beautiful poster. sdc)

Attached is for Ely Shoshone Tribes Up Coming Pow-wow that will be held during there Fandango July 26th thru 27th...Starting on Saturday, with registration at 10am to 12:30pm and Grand Entry at 1 pm....then registration open again at 6:30pm to 7 pm, with Grand Entry at 7pm...

Contest Pow-wow all catergories, and a Drum Contest as well....Drummers will be paid per session

All vendors welcome, please call 775-289-4133 and ask for Cynthia Marques

Please pass along flyer....

HUD's Southwest Office of Native American Programs is pleased to share the following important information regarding the **FY 2014 Indian Community Development Block Grant Notice of Funding Announcement (NOFA)** and application submissions. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has announced the availability of \$70 million in Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) funding as follows:

Approximately: \$56.2 million for all ICDBG-eligible activities, \$10 million for mold remediation and prevention, and \$3.9 million retained to fund Imminent Threat projects.

Application materials are available at <u>http://www.grants.gov/search-grants.html?agencies</u> %3DHUD%7CDepartment%20of%20Housing%20and%20Urban%20Development. **The application deadline is July 29, 2014.Live Meeting trainings** covering the FY2014 ICDBG NOFA are being offered as follows:

Wednesday, July 2, 2014 3:00 PM-4:00 PM Eastern Time (US & Canada) - Live Meeting on Census and American Community Survey for FY2014 ICDBG applications

Phoenix Time - 12:00pm to 1:00pm; Albuquerque Time - 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Conference Line: 1-888-684-8852; Access Code: 2422816

Tuesday & Wednesday, July 8-9, 2014 - Live Meeting on FY2014 ICDBG NOFA, eligibility, and application submission requirements. See Registration Links below.

Phoenix Time – 8:30am to 4:30pm; Albuquerque Time – 9:30pm to 5:30pm

DATE: June 26, 2014

TO: Tribal Chairpersons, Presidents, Governors, Spokespersons and Executive Directors

SUBJECT: Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) Program - FY 2014 Notice of Funding Availability Workshop

The Southwest Office of Native American Programs (SWONAP) is conducting its FY2014 Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Workshop on **July 8-9, 2014**. The training workshop is designed principally for tribes, tribal organizations, and individuals directly involved in the preparation of 2014 ICDBG applications. The purpose of the workshop is to assist applicants to understand the ICDBG Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) and the application process. The HUD Reform Act precludes SWONAP staff from providing technical assistance to individual applicants; however, we can review the NOFA and answer questions in a group setting. Information for the two training workshops is as follows:

For the Albuquerque workshop, register through the following online registration link at

<u>h t t p : / / w w w . h u d . g o v / e m a r c / i n d e x . c f m ?</u> <u>fuseaction=emar.registerEvent&eventId=2134&update=N</u>

Microsoft Office Online Live Meeting Workshop: July 8, 2014 from 9:30am – 5:30pm Microsoft Office Online Live Meeting Q&A: July 9, 2014 from 9:30am – 12:00pm HUD Training Room, 500 Gold Avenue, 7th floor, Suite 7301, Albuquerque, NM 87103 Contacts: <u>Leticia.Rodriguez@hud.gov</u> or <u>Cheryl.V.Dixon@hud.gov</u> or 505-346-6923. **For the Phoenix workshop**, register through the following online registration link at

http://www.hud.gov/emarc/index.cfm? fuseaction=emar.registerEvent&eventId=2133&update=N

Microsoft Office Online Live Meeting Workshop: July 8, 2014 from 8:30am – 4:30pm Microsoft Office Online Live Meeting Q&A: July 9, 2014 from 8:30am – 11:00am Phoenix SWONAP, One North Central Ave, 6th floor, Phoenix, AZ 85004 Contact: <u>Audra.J.Ouellette@hud.gov</u> or (602) 379-7205.

Both Albuquerque and Phoenix offices are hosting this training via Microsoft Office Online Live Meeting with Audio Conferencing. In-house attendance is optional and limited: Microsoft Office Online

Live Meeting attendance is unlimited and highly recommended.

PLEASE NOTE: Live meeting opens at 8:30 am. After completing your online registration, several days prior to the event, please look for an email containing your online live meeting log-in information and materials training attachment. Please run the computer compatibility test ASAP, prior to the day of the workshop (test link contained within the live is meeting invitation). Due to the fast turnaround, attendees need to print out and bring their own training materials. Contact: Audra.J.Ouellette@hud.gov or (602) 379-7205.

There is no charge to attend the workshops. Travel and per diem costs are eligible ICDBG and IHBG expenses. Please register early. Live Meeting attendance is unlimited. SWONAP hopes this workshop will provide helpful



information as you apply for the ICDBG funding opportunity. We look forward to "live meeting" with you at the sessions.

If you have questions or need additional information from our office, please contact Audra Ouellette at (602) 379-7205.

NIGA Makes Annual Commitment to Native American Rights Fund – Challenges Member Tribes to Join in This Annual Commitment. **BOULDER, Colo.** – The Native American Rights Fund (NARF) has received a commitment for \$5,000 annually from the National Indian Gaming Association, to be used for general operating expenses and special projects. The announcement came on May 13 during the general session at



its annual trade show and conference in San Diego. Simultaneously with the announcement, NIGA issued a challenge to its tribal membership to match their annual commitment to NARF and if possible to give more annually.

"This generous challenge grant will help provide NARF much needed funding for and focus on our legal work insuring the survival of tribes and their ways of life," said Executive Director John E. Echohawk. "Our deepest thanks go to the National Indian Gaming Association and their dedication to the legal rights of Indian Country."

NIGA's challenge to its tribal membership is a testament to the value and impact of NARF's work. Tribal contributions are extremely important to help underwrite NARF's vital efforts on behalf of Indian country. NIGA's tribal membership, through its own action, is taking the lead in helping

to ensure NARF's future.

"The National Indian Gaming Association is committed to Native rights and the preservation of tribal sovereignty," said NIGA Chairman Ernie Stevens, Jr. "This cornerstone gift to the Native

American Rights Fund and challenge to our Members tangibly expresses our belief in the importance of the outstanding work that they do."

Since its founding in 1970, NARF has represented more than 275 tribes in 31 states in matters that have had a significant impact on the rights of all Indian people throughout the country. NARF works to empower tribes so they can continue to live according to their Native traditions, enforce their treaty rights, insure their independence on reservations and protect their sovereignty. NARF strives to enforce and strengthen laws that are designed to protect the rights of Native Americans to practice their traditional religions, use their own languages, and enjoy their cultures. NARF also works with tribes to improve education for and ensure the welfare of their children.

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The Native American Rights Fund (NARF) is a non-profit organization that has been protecting the legal and sovereign rights of tribes and Native people within the American legal system for more than 44 years. NARF is headquartered in Boulder, Colorado with offices in Anchorage, Alaska, and Washington, D.C.

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National Indian Gaming Association (NIGA), established in 1985, is a non-profit organization of 184 Indian Nations with other non-voting associate members representing organizations, tribes and businesses engaged in tribal gaming enterprises from around the country. The common commitment and purpose of NIGA is to advance the lives of Indian peoples economically, socially and politically. NIGA operates as a clearinghouse and educational, legislative and public policy resource for tribes, policymakers and the public on Indian gaming issues and tribal community development. For more information, visit <u>www.indiangaming.org</u>

For more information please contact Donald M. Ragona, Assistant Director of Devlopment/Development House Counsel at Native American Rights Fund - (303) 447-8760 or ragona@narf.org

Niche Scholarships

- <u>\$2,000 No Essay Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$1,000 Local Survey Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$1,000 College Survey Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$1,000 Student Survey Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$1,000 Parent Survey Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 High School Freshman Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 High School Sophomore Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 High School Junior Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 High School Senior Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 Community College Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 Graduate Student Scholarship</u>
- <u>\$500 Photo Scholarship</u>

- <u>2014 Scholarship Deadlines</u>
- <u>Scholarship Winners</u>
- <u>Scholarship Search</u>

Read more: <u>http://colleges.niche.com/truckee-meadows-community-college/videos--and--photos/</u> <u>#ixzz36HEhXwWo</u>

Great precedent for tribes, not only on fracking.....

Earthjustice

HUGE NEWS! In a resounding victory that will ripple across the nation, **New York's highest court has just upheld the right of towns to ban fracking** within their borders! Our attorneys represented the small town of Dryden, NY in a furious legal battle with the oil and gas industry, and in the end justice prevailed! <u>http://ow.ly/ysvk3</u>

Dryden's defiant stance in the war against fracking has already inspired hundreds of communities across the country – from Texas to California – to enact their own fracking bans. The movement is catching fire but the oil and gas industry has tried time and time again to extinguish the people's will. We hope this huge court victory in New York will embolden even more communities across America to stand up to fracking even when their federal and state officials refuse to!

Help SPREAD this fantastic news and share your comments below!

Gustavo Esteva With Brad Evans | Violence and Hope in Chiapas: Pedagogies by the Globally Oppressed

Brad Evans, Truthout: The Zapatista "struggle is our struggle, everywhere, in every city, in every country of the world. We are in a very difficult moment, in a terrible moment of humankind, but there is hope," says Mexican activist Gustavo Esteva.

Watch the Video and Read the Article

Native Talk Arizona (NTA) airs Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m.

Native Talk Arizona (NTA) on <u>www.radiophoenix.org</u> is supported by NATIVE HEALTH and produced and hosted by agency staff. The show airs on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm MST with an encore show on Fridays at 8:00am MST. NTA is internet based with the potential for national and international listeners.

Regular features include: "Leave It Right There" which are musings and thoughts from the host, Roy Johnston; and "Spotlight on the Nations," which highlights the history, culture and music of a tribal community in the US and Canada. Short music interludes are supported by CD's of American Indian artists donated to Radio Phoenix from Canyon Records. <u>Click here Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. to listen to the show</u>. If you missed the show, you can listen to the last two shows aired on <u>Sound Cloud</u>.

The Live 365 or TuneIn Radio apps can be downloaded so you can listen to the show on your smartphone and search for RadioPhoenix and set it as a favorite. Enjoy other great RadioPhoenix shows as well.

Various Scholarship Deadlines - Over 75 scholarships are available for Arizona high school seniors, current students at colleges, and vocational-technical schools and graduate level schools to apply for college scholarship funding. One application is available and automatically matches students with every scholarship opportunity for which they qualify from among Arizona Community Foundation 75 awards. For information and the application <u>click here</u>. There are several scholarships specific to Native American students. For questions or additional information please email <u>them</u>.

July 8 Deadline - American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES) "NextEra Energy-Ford Dry Lake Scholarship Program" For Tribal members interested in STEM. For information click <u>here.</u>

July 11 Deadline - 2014 Native American Fish & Wildlife Society Southwest Region Scholarship Application. For Native American students currently applying for and/or in pursuit of degrees in natural resources (i.e., wildlife, fisheries, range management, forestry, and related fields of study). For information call Elveda at (775) 773-2002 or email <u>her.</u>

July 14 Deadline - Senate Committee on Indian Affairs Intern Position Available. For fall term, September-December 2014. Looking for applicants who can work 40 hours. <u>Click here for information</u>.

July 31 Deadline - National Indian Health Board - Native Youth Health Summit. Window Rock, Arizona, September 4-9. Participants will develop digital stories, fitness activities, educational forums, etc. For information contact <u>Robert Foley via email or</u> to view the application click <u>here.</u>

August 1 Deadline - Arizona Public Service (APS) Scholarship, the Hopi Tribe Grants and Scholarship Program and Hopi Education Endowment Fund. APS Hopi Scholars Program. For Hopi students in the sophomore through senior level pursuing AAS, AS, BA, or BS at an accredited college or university beginning Fall 2014. Students must also be pursuing a degree in STEM, education or nursing fields to be eligible. For information call (928) 734-3542 or <u>email them.</u>

August 8 Deadline - Miss Indian Arizona Association. Accepting applications for upcoming Miss Indian Arizona Scholarship Program which will be held on Saturday, October 11, 2014 at Chandler Center for the Arts. Competition is open to any young woman between the ages of 17-24 who is an enrolled member of an Arizona Tribe. Each Tribe may be represented by no

more than two participants. Application forms and other pertinent information can be found at the <u>website</u>.

August 15 Deadline - Phoenix AISES Scholarship. For American Indian, Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian high school students an college students who attend an accredited 2 or 4 year college/university in the state of Arizona. <u>Click here for scholarship information</u>.

Calendar Reminders

July 9-13 - 13th Anniversary of the Lori Piestewa National Native American Games. Featuring: basketball, baseball, cross country, track and field, softball, volleyball and wrestling. Locations: Fort McDowell Indian Community, Salt River Indian Community and Greater Fountain Hills area. For information check the <u>website</u>.

July 14 - Celebration of the First Native American Woman, Kateri Tekakwitha, who was made a Saint by the Pope. St. Mary's Basilica Parrish, 3rd Street, one block south of Monroe. 5:00 p.m. Drums, Native American food, dancers, and mass. All are welcome. Native attire welcome. For information call Pat at (602) 674-3113.

July 29-30 - Native Fitness XI, Nike World Headquarters, Beaverton, Oregon. For diabetes coordinators, Tribal fitness coordinators, community wellness trainers, youth coordinators, and Tribal leaders. For registration call (800) 862-5497 or email <u>them.</u>

An Entire Island Nation Is Preparing to Evacuate to Fiji Before They Sink Into the Pacific

Gwynn Guilford, QUARTZ

Excerpt: "This has to be the weirdest business deal of the week: The Church of England just sold a chunk of forest-covered land on the Fijian island Vanau Levu for \$8.8 million to the government of the Pacific island nation of Kiribati." <u>READ MORE</u>

For those on Facebook:

<u>Paula J Wright</u> shared <u>Richard Smith</u>'s <u>video</u>. I've seen this dance quality only a few times. Someone I know and love has the same ability.

provided by Yosemite Indians

Science news and reports: Mathematicians help California's berry farmers, what ESP says about next year's El Nino, Delta Restoration Hub, and more ... Maven, Maven's Notebook

Mathematicians help California drought-weary berry growers address water issues: In the Pajaro Valley, berries are the main crop and the main economic driver. However, despite crop rotation and water conservation strategies, overdraft continues to be a problem. So enter the

mathematicians: "In 2011, a National Science Foundation-funded math institute, the American Institute of Mathematics (AIM) in Palo Alto, Calif., got involved in what they describe as an "optimization problem." One of eight NSF-funded math institutes, AIM brings 800 mathematicians from around the world to Palo Alto each year to study a "whole variety of programs," according to its deputy director Estelle Basor. Small research groups with "applied"



objectives come for weeklong stints, modeling neural effects related to migraine headaches, more efficient medical imaging or, in this case, improved water use in drought-stricken areas. Additionally, the institute spends even more time on its initial focus of "pure math" research. ... " Continue reading here: Mathematicians help California drought-weary berry growers address water issues

Here's what happened this week at Interior: the Bureau of Land Management hosts a competitive auction for renewable energy on public lands in Nevada's Dry Lake Solar Energy Zone; a new report outlines a cooperative effort to restore the bison to its ecological and cultural role; the 2014-2015 Duck Stamp goes on sale; youth workers and volunteers take part in a Youth Summit at Harpers Ferry National Historic Park; and Yosemite turns 150.

Click here to watch this week's episode.

ANA Webinars for July- visit our ANA Events page to register.

http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ana/events

July 10, 2014	Trauma Informed Programming-focusing on how trauma (especially trafficking) impacts successful implementation of programming
July 17. 2014	How to Find Census Information for Your Community

July 24, 2014 Organizational Development and Governance

July 31, 2014 Leveraging Resources

Wishing you a **Happy 4th of July weekend!** On this special holiday, we would like you to **consider being a host family for international students** coming to the "land of the free and the home of the brave"!

We are looking for three host families to open their homes to exceptional high school exchange students for as little as two-months or one semester!

Why host an international student?

Your family and community will develop lifelong friendships and be exposed to the people, languages, and cultures of the world!

Our students...

are sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and have undergone a highly competitive meritbased selection process. Students speak English at a high level and receive a monthly stipend for spending money and school expenses.

World Learning Support

Local coordinators live a maximum of 120 miles away and check in regularly to provide support. Enhancement activities will be provided and paid for by the program at least twice per semester.

Questions?