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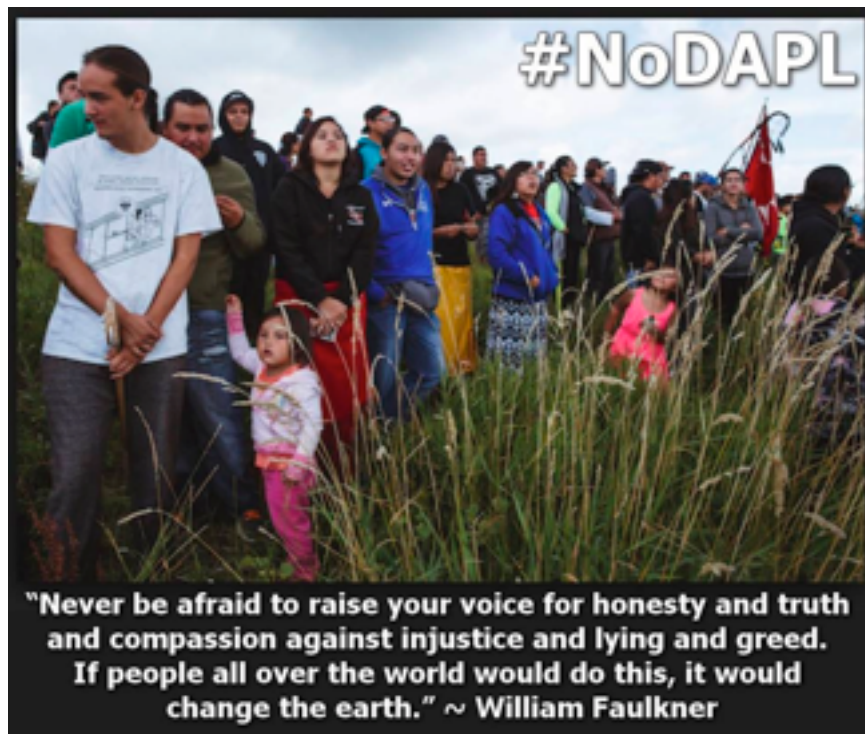
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bsnorrell.blogspot.com

[Day To Die" The Dennis Banks Documentary](#)

“Dennis Banks, co-founder of the American Indian Movement, has also taken part in the protests against the Dakota pipeline. Banks also was part of the 1973 Woun...[See More](#)

[Rosa Olsen](#) ·

Four horses wearing regalia designed and sewed by Denise One Star and Tiwahe Glu Kini Pi staff in Rosebud South Dakota!!! (Idea by Keith Brave Heart) The Tiwahe Glu Kini Pi "Bringing the Family Back to Life" program that do amazing work with the youth with the equine therapy.

[Amnesty International to observe pipeline protest](#)



Amnesty International has sent a delegation of human rights observers to monitor the law enforcement response to the camp protesting the construction of the Dakota Access Pipeline under the Missouri bismarcktribune.comlBy JENNY SCHLECHT Bismarck Tribune

[Bernie Sanders Voices His Opposition to Dakota Access Pipeline](#)

#NoDAPL Published August 25, 2016 BURLINGTON, VERMONT — U.S. Sen....

nativenewsonline.netlBy [Native News Online](#)

[No Dakota Access in Treaty Territory - Camp of the Sacred Stones](#) added [3 new photos](#).

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On Tuesday, over 200 Standing Rock Water Protectors and allies marched peacefully across the Veteran's Memorial Bridge between Mandan and Bismarck, N.D. Water p... [See More](#)

OPINION | OP-ED CONTRIBUTOR New York Times

[Taking a Stand at Standing Rock](#) By DAVID ARCHAMBAULT II
[My Sioux tribe opposes a pipeline that risks the clean water of millions.](#)

[VIDEO: American Indians vs. Dakota Pipeline](#)

The Standing Rock Sioux tribe and others are protesting the Dakota Access pipeline, which they say threatens water supplies and sacred lands.

[No Dakota Access in Treaty Territory - Camp of the Sacred Stones](#)

Amnesty International has arrived to the Sacred Stone Camp!



THE NAVAJO NATION

RUSSELL BEGAYE PRESIDENT
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August 22, 2016

Chairman Dave Archambault II
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
Building #1, Standing Rock Avenue
P.O. Box D
Fort Yates, North Dakota 58538

Re: Dakota Access Pipeline

Honorable Chairman Archambault:

We send this letter to notify the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe that the Navajo Nation is in support of your efforts regarding the Dakota Access Pipeline. I know there are many Navajos that are currently in North Dakota area standing along with your tribal members and others. We have been receiving daily reports from our People on your progress and brave efforts.

The protection of our sacred sites and water is of the utmost importance to all tribes, as it is to the Navajo Nation. This is a fight that all tribes have faced and the Navajo Nation has faced and faces even today within our own lands. I am proud to see so many other tribes come to support your efforts because it is time tribes finally stand against these threats to our lands. We will be heard because we are one, not one as a tribal nation but one as Native people.

Continue to fight the good fight and pave the path for all of our futures. We send our prayers and know that the Navajo Nation stands in solidarity with the Standing Rock Sioux tribe. Furthermore, in support of your efforts the Navajo Nation will be sending water and other food items for those who are there with you.

Respectfully,

THE NAVAJO NATION

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Northern Nevada indigenous tribes protest in solidarity with Standing Rock

27 indigenous tribes from all over Northern Nevada staged a protest in



Rewrite: the Protests at Standing Rock

In the Rewrite, Lawrence explains why a protest by Native Americans in North Dakota reminds us of the history America always tries to forget. www.msnbc.com

Carolyn Harry

We were your voice today Standing Rock.. Bringing awareness and gathering more support. [#NoDAPL](https://twitter.com/NoDAPL) Special thanks to the Standing Rock members that came and shared. One Nation, One Relation, One Water

"We stand here today for future generations among the people of Reno and the world " We are fighting for mother earth. The main stream media is ignoring our story, so let's be loud Reno and Northern Nevada! Standing with Sacred Stone Spirit Camp against the Dakota Access Pipeline.

Native mother reunites with children stolen by government in 60s

During the Sixties Scoop, an estimated 20,000 Native children were taken from their homes and placed in foster care or up for adoption. indianz.com

Kristine Cimmy shared [Like if You Love Native Americans's video](#)

Like if You Love Native Americans

Hi everyone – Please help disseminate the terrific say-it-like-it-is guest editorial by Utah State Senator Jim Dabakis calling out the Public Lands Initiative as “flaw, one-sided, fossil fuel lobby dream piece of legislation.”

POST ON FACEBOOK : <http://www.sltrib.com/opinion/4253552-155/op-ed-utahs-leaders-blew-their-chance>

Sample comment : Utah State Senator Jim Dabakis says it like it is: "The PLI is a flawed, political, one-sided, fossil fuel lobby dream piece of legislation... In this divided Congress, to imagine that a bill this controversial could get public input, get through both houses of Congress and be on the president's desk in a few days is nonsensical." #ProtectBearsEarsNow

FOR TWITTER: Sample tweets:

UT senator says PLI is flawed political one-sided fossil fuel lobby dream piece of legislation <http://bit.ly/2bzx698> #ProtectBearsEarsNow

UT leaders blew chance for negotiation on Bears Ears <http://bit.ly/2bzx698> #ProtectBearsEarsNow

UT senator says @POTUS should know “Utah elected officials failed us miserably on public lands” <http://bit.ly/2bzx698> #ProtectBearsEarsNow

Thanks everyone! Terri Martin, Southwest Regional Organizer, Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance terri@suwa.org, 801-236-3778 (o), 801-631-1384

Guardian

2018 Year the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation [predicts there will be a water shortage in Lake Mead](#), the country’s largest reservoir. If a shortage is declared, it would cut water deliveries to Arizona and Nevada by 11.4 percent and 4.3 percent, respectively. *Associated Press*

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration unveiled a new tool Tuesday that will allow it to give [hourly forecasts for river conditions in 2.7 million locations](#) across the United States. The agency called its innovation the “biggest improvement in flood forecasting the country has ever seen.” *NOAA*

New Museum Connects History of Slavery to Mass Incarceration

It includes the nation's first memorial to lynching victims. nextcity.org

Website for free college texts: Here is the website. <https://openstax.org/>

This note announces to tribal leaders that the **comment period for the draft housing needs report has been extended** by one week from Tuesday, August 23 to Tuesday, August 30. An overview of the report is available on the YouTube video of the July 20 video/teleconference presentation on the Needs Study.

Here's the link: [1607 20 8897 Native American Housing](http://1607.20.8897.NativeAmericanHousing.com)

The report itself was emailed to tribal leaders in early July.

Please submit your written comments through one of the following methods

By E-Mail: Comments may be submitted electronically to Housing_Needs_Report@hud.gov. HUD encourages you to submit comments electronically.

By Mail . Comments may be submitted by mail to Elizabeth Rudd, Office of Policy Development and Research, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 8120, Washington, DC 20410-0500. http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/public_indian_housing/ih/codetalk/onap/swonap

Vickie Simmons shared a link.

Zero Is Not Enough—Nevada Tribes Demand Equal Voting Rights

Three Nevada Paiute tribes have asked their respective counties and the state's secretary of state for equal access to the vote. indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com

AUGUST 30: LIVE INTERACTIVE BROADCAST **JOIN FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD**

How Water Scarcity Is Altering The Global Economy And Stranding Billions of Investor Dollars

Join Circle of Blue and Stockholm International Water Institute for a global interactive broadcast – live from World Water Week – to explore the next big water story.

Examples of enormous financial losses, largely driven by climate-related drought and flooding, are emerging in the global energy, mining, power-producing, and agricultural industries. Bring your voice and be ready to participate with leading economic and scientific experts in this live, interactive town-hall on the new water-driven liability: water-related stranded assets.

What

Participate with experts in finance, policy and water in a special global broadcast: Water's Stranded Assets.

When

Tuesday, August 30 /NYC - EDT 09:00/UK Time 14:00/Stockholm 15:00

How

[Free Registration](#)

[Click to Register](#)

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[New Clues in the Mystery of Women's Lagging Life Expectancy](#)

By SABRINA

TAVERNISE

A new state-by-state study of the impact of economic and social environments on mortality found that where a woman live matters as much as who she is.

Extract: The states that had the best scores for social and economic context were Hawaii, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Dakota, South Dakota and Vermont. The states that did the worst were Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi and New York. (New York made the list because of its high rate of income inequality, Professor Montez said. Inequality tends to go along with higher mortality.)

Many of the states that had the best economic and social scores had the lowest overall mortality for women: Hawaii, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. And many with the lowest social and economic scores had the highest mortality: Nevada, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia and Wyoming.

Drought conditions in Ontario have prompted a public **backlash against government [plans to renew a permit for a Nestle water bottling plant](#)**. The controversy has also focused attention on calls to increase the rate Ontario charges private companies to extract water from rivers and lakes, which is currently \$3.71 per million liters. *The Canadian Press*

Feds Look To Remove 'Biased' Judge From Water Rights Suit By Christine Powell

Law360, New York (August 9, 2016, 8:05 PM ET) -- The federal government moved to recuse the latest Nevada federal judge to oversee its 92-year-long lawsuit to establish water rights to serve the Walker River Paiute tribe's reservation, arguing on Tuesday that he has a personal bias against the United States.

The U.S. filed suit against the Walker River Irrigation District and others in 1924 to enjoin them from interfering with the use of the Walker River for irrigation on the tribe's reservation, which the river runs across.

In a motion to recuse, the federal government...To view the full article, register now.

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Circle of Blue: **8 floods** Number considered to be a [once-in-500-years event that have occurred in the United States](#) over the past year. A flood disaster in Louisiana, where nearly 0.6 meters of rain fell over the weekend, is the latest to join the list.

[Bob Tregilus](#) Thursday marks the **National Park Service Centennial**, but due to radical budget cuts our national parks are crumbling and under severe threat from private development interests and their puppets in the U.S. Congress.

"There is a new crusade by some lawmakers, dubbed the "anti-parks caucus", to unlock more public land to drilling and other development. This is a sharp divergence from the broad consensus forged since Roosevelt, a Republican, spurred the expansion of America's network of national parks almost 110 years ago."

What do you think? Have you expressed your concerns to your state's congressional delegation? (Click the following link to find your representatives in Congress <<https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/map>>.)

The political crusades targeting national parks for drilling and exploitation

Hailed as 'America's best idea', the parks are hugely popular with the public but face political efforts to lift federal protection and allow private development

theguardian.com|By Oliver Milman<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/native-americans-the-media-arts-film-panel-reception-reading-tickets-27244690603>

Proposed water pipeline would run through 5 Northern Nevada counties

A water pipeline request is stirring the pot.An Idaho rancher has asked for permission to build a pipeline that would run through five Northern Nevada counties. It would...

mynews4.com|By Diane Thao

CherylRoy Hicks with Nolan Smith. *My brother wanted to live out here when he finished college. He stayed in our aunts little old house. He couldn't get hired out here. He applied everywhere. over qualified he was told. This was the 80's, things were alittle different...He would walk to see us because he didn't have a car. I remember seeing him walking when it was really cold and having to get back to his little house to make a fire in the winter...He hitchhiked to Reno, found a job. Caught rides in, saved up to get a car. Put in for an apt. Saved his money. The homeownership counselor went above and beyond to get him in an apt since he needed somewhere to stay. Applied for scholarships to go to dealers school. Couldn't get funded, told he got assistance Already, let someone else gave a chance. So he put himself thru school. Eventually became a supervisor in two casinos. I think of him when people say there's nowhere to live here or it's too far to work. He wanted to live here so he found a way. He could've asked our dad for help, but he didn't want to. Dad would've helped him, but he never asked... When you want , really want something, you find a way. He never got bitter or let it get him down, he did what he needed to do, to be where he wanted to be, which was here. He never lived here before, and he really wanted to live out here....this was during the lean years, we were young, just starting out too, couldn't help him a whole lot, except to have him over to eat with us. He did it himself, and I am very proud of him. This has been on my mind, I hope he doesn't mind me sharing it.*

Keystone pipeline leaked 16,000 gallons of oil in South Dakota field

TransCanada estimated on Thursday that about 16,800 gallons of oil leak in a field in South Dakota from the Keystone I pipeline. The spill, discovered by a farmer over...
rt.com

Yellowstone River closed following unprecedented fish kill

State officials closed a 183-mile stretch of the Yellowstone River and its tributaries to all forms of recreation on Friday, a response to a parasitic disease that caused the...
bozemandailychronicle.com|By Michael Wright

BUMP UP PROGRAM HELPS MINORITY MEN GET COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN NEVADA DEGREES

The Bump Up initiative, launched last spring at the College of Southern Nevada, is a mentorship program that strives to help more black and Latino men stay in school and earn degrees.

<http://erj.reviewjournal.com/ct/uz3688753Biz29923021>

Opinion: Importance of Tahoe Summit grows

Joanne Marchetta, Lake Tahoe News

Lake Tahoe was at a crossroads in 1997. The lake's famous water clarity, once measuring 100 feet, was declining year after year because of stormwater pollution from roads and developed areas and erosion from streams damaged by logging and cattle grazing.

Yurok Tribe: Ich found on Klamath River salmon Eureka Times Standard Warmer temperatures throughout the summer and the continuing *California drought*, which is going on five years, also contributed to the spread of the pathogen.

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Maven, Maven's Notebook

The California Journal of Politics and Policy (CJPP) is an online journal of original scholarship, cutting edge research, and informed commentary regarding all aspects of national, state, and local government, electoral politics, and public policy formation and implementation. Published by the Institute of Governmental Studies at the University of California-Berkeley, the Journal provides timely insights

When asked Noam Chomsky about the future of humanity earlier this year, he said:

"We have two choices. We can be pessimistic, give up and help ensure that the worst will happen. Or we can be optimistic, grasp the opportunities that surely exist and maybe help make the world a better place."

400-Year-Old Arctic Plants Frozen by Glaciers Come Back From the Dead

Researchers have discovered that plants that have been covered by ice for 400 years have come back from the dead where glaciers have retreated! inhabitat.com

Open House

Washoe County is hosting an open house for the public to learn more about the Public Lands Bill in the atrium of the Washoe County Administration Complex (1001 E. 9th St., Reno) on Friday, Sept. 16, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. A second open house is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 19, from 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Washoe County has created an [informational webpage with proposed maps](#) regarding the comprehensive federal lands bill being proposed.

[Visit the Economic Development and Conservation Act page.](#)

Jobs

Social Services Coordinator <https://www.washoecounty.us/outreach/2016/08/2016-08-19-hr-ssc.php>

Automotive Mechanic <https://www.washoecounty.us/outreach/2016/08/2016-08-24-hr-am.php>

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[Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian](#)

THE SINISTER HISTORY OF "INDIAN" MASCOTS

“These were bad times,” Director Kevin Gover tells USA TODAY Sports. “It was as bad as Native American life in North Am... [See More](#)



Basket Honoring Mothers Takes Best of Show at Santa Fe Indian Market

'Cultural Burdens,' an unusual basket by Carol Emarthle-Douglas, Northern Arapaho/Seminole, has won Best of Show at Santa Fe Indian Market
indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com