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[Irish MPs Urge Obama to Revoke Wounded Knee Medals](#)

23 members of the Irish Parliament sent a recent letter to President Barack Obama urging him to revoke the 20 Medal of Honor awards given to the soldiers who...

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National Park Service

We're providing over **\$1.6 million in grants to Indian tribes and museums to assist in the repatriation of human remains and cultural items back to Indian tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations.** <http://go.nps.gov/phc17p>

National Park Service Helping Tribes and Museums Repatriate Native American Remains and Sacred...

Enacted in 1990, the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act requires museums and federal agencies to inventory and identify Native American... nps.gov

Seventh Generation Fund Announces Awards at its Keeping the Homefires Burning Gathering

The Seventh Generation Fund announced three prestigious awards recognizing a lifetime of service and achievement for Indigenous peoples during the nonprofit's 35th anniversary celebration and Keeping ... <http://indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com/.../seventh...>

RCAC and Native Capital Access (NCA) are accepting applications for the Tribal Housing Excellence Academy. THE Academy is a three year initiative to apply best practices in leveraging resources historically underutilized by Tribes and Native communities to increase the number and type of housing units produced on Native lands.

Eight to 10 NAHASDA grantees will be selected to participate. The selected organizations will each send two staff people to five intensive week-long trainings held over 18 months. In addition, each organization will receive individualized technical assistance and coaching for up to 30 months from RCAC, NCA and our consultants, who are experienced in housing development, finance and organizational management.

Applications are due **Sept. 1, 2016.**

An application webinar will be offered **July 19** at 11:00 am PDT.

For an application packet, eligibility information and information about the webinar, go [HERE](#), or email Eileen Piekarz at epiekarz@rcac.org; or Dave Castillo at dcastillo@nativecapitalaccess.com.

PAST TRANSFERS OF FEDERAL LAND TO NEVADA LED TO CORRUPTION, HISTORY SUGGESTS

Some Nevadans are pushing the federal government to transfer more public acreage to state control, but history suggests past management of these lands by those entrusted with their care was mired in corruption. <http://erj.reviewjournal.com/ct/uz3688753Biz29523943>

President Obama just made Arctic drilling more annoying

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<http://www.indianz.com/.../former-official-admits-he-kept-tribal-ancestors-in-garbage-bags>

Former official admits he kept tribal ancestors in garbage bags

Wounds remain open for 20 tribes whose ancestors were illegally removed from the Effigy Mounds National Monument and kept in garbage bags in a top official's...
indianz.com

The hot new trend in American infrastructure: Unpaved roads

By [Katie Herzog](#) on Jul 12, 2016

There's an odd new trend in American infrastructure, and it may make you think you've found a wormhole back to the 1950s: All over the country, roads are getting de-paved.

[Wired's Aarian Marshall reports](#) that transportation agencies in 27 states have ripped up roads they can't afford to maintain. Even with congressional spending on infrastructure going up, it doesn't match the rising cost of concrete, asphalt, and cement. Municipalities still can't afford to pay for road upkeep, so instead they de-pave.

This may have consequences on your struts, but unpaved roads can have a few net benefits if done right. Paving materials not only absorb heat and make the area around roads hotter, they also contribute to surface runoff and can cause erosion, water pollution, and flooding. Plus, the cement industry is a huge producer of carbon dioxide — responsible for [about 5 percent](#) of all global emissions. So while de-paving might not be the sexiest solution to our infrastructure

problem — and only goes to show how [little we're spending](#) — it really isn't the worst that could happen.



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<u>Entry Fee \$75.00</u>	<u>Entry Fee \$25.00</u>
1st Place \$2,500	1st Place \$500
2nd Place \$1,500	2nd Place \$200
3rd Place \$750	3rd Place \$100
<i>Registration—Adult til 1 pm</i>	<i>Registration—Youth til 12 pm</i>
Pyramid Lake Paiute Reservation, Big Bend, Wadsworth, Nevada	
For more information:	
Vinton Hawley 775.980.6663/775.276.3225 (Text)	





from NC: Amador County booth at the California State Fair

That's the back of the booth, with an animated figure grinding acorns on the right and in the middle (walk through) were displays of cultural implements and utensils (I learned that we don't call them artifacts anymore) and all around native plants with signs about their uses and the brochures and volunteers booth on the other side, which was actually the front.

Value-based care is driving a new model that's better for doctors, patients, and our economy.

[Health Care's Big Shift](#)

A shift toward value-based care is igniting innovation among health care providers.

[Learn More](#) partners.wsj.com

Again, thanks to everyone involved with the **Great Basin Cultural Arts Fair at the RSIC** in conjunction with Artown.

Below are links to the local news coverage, or as always, you can view the RSIC website for all media stories. This year was so successful, the RSIC organizing committee is looking forward

to growing our participation. Please, mark your calendars for another RSIC/Artown event in July 2017.

<http://www.rsic.org/rsic-in-the-news/>

<http://kunr.org/post/photos-native-american-cultural-fair-comes-artown#stream/0>

<http://www.kolotv.com/content/news/Reno-Sparks-Indian-Colony-participates-in-Artown-386543331.html>

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Grant awarded for film about Shiprock group

For four years, filmmaker Ramona Emerson has been filming the Northern Diné Youth Committee for an upcoming documentary. daily-times.com

Tribute to John Trudell

Trudell's collaboration with A Tribe Called Red -- just released! With [John Trudell Archives](#)

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Listen to A Tribe Called Red's New Single, "We Are the Halluci Nation", featuring John Trudell...

Music Listen to A Tribe Called Red's New Single, "We Are the Halluci Nation", featuring John Trudell and Northern Voice By: Jarrett Martineau | Photo: We Are... [rpm.fm](http://rpm.fm)

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### **The Grand Canyon: Threatened By Development?**

Uproar over development plans for the Grand Canyon. We go to the Navajo Nation and the Canyon floor to see what's at stake. [onpoint.wbur.org](http://onpoint.wbur.org)

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### **Bureau of Indian Education**

BIE is seeking an Early Childhood Education Program Specialist to develop, implement, coordinate, and evaluate Early Childhood Education projects, including FAC... [See More](#)

### **Education Program Specialist (Early Childhood), GS-1720-13**

INDIAN PREFERENCE: Preference in filling vacancies is given to qualified Indian candidates in accordance with the Indian Preference Act of 1934 (Title 25, USC, Section 472). Verification Form BIA-4432 must be submitted with the application if claiming Indian Preference. Indian preference e... [usajobs.gov](http://usajobs.gov)

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### **5 Universities That Native Students Should Definitely Know About**

5 universities that offer support, scholarships and, sometimes, free tuition for Native American students. [indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com](http://indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com)

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## **NCET's Tech Café is brand-spankin' new - and you're invited!**

You've heard the rumors - and they're true! NCET's Tech Café is now being held in Reno's hip new meet-and-greet destination: "The Basement," located below the historic post office in downtown Reno.

As if that's not reason enough to attend, we also have a new format: Each month we're inviting a local expert to offer business and professional development tips, plus we have great raffle prizes, information about NCET, and an introduction to one of the innovative new businesses calling The Basement home.

This month, learn "How to create an effective elevator pitch" from Greg Hauptert, BNI Executive Director. Hauptert has been involved with Business Networking International (BNI) for 10 years, having ditched his 22 years in corporate finance for the life of an entrepreneur back in 2005 - and since launching several successful businesses. Greg has an engaging presentation in store for NCET that will allow members to take away immediate actionable steps.

And chocolate lovers are in luck, as Sugar Love Chocolates (which uses real ingredients from around the world to create unique flavor combinations) is our featured Basement vendor.

NCET's Tech Café is open from 2 to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 20, and the program starts at 3 p.m.

It's free to attend, no RSVPs are needed, and everyone in town is welcome!

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### **Building the Capacity of Tribes to Address the Health Impacts of Climate Change - FY 2016 Grant Announcement**

**Applications due July 15, 2016, 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time (ET)**

**[For more information, click here!](#)**

**What does this program do?** EPA's Climate Change Division (CCD) works to assess and address global climate change and its associated risks to human health and the environment. The Climate Science and Impacts Branch within CCD supports the development and evaluation of climate change policy by leveraging, synthesizing, conducting and communicating climate science and impact, adaptation, and technology assessments. Project activities will support the broad, shared goal of EPA and tribal entities to reduce environmental and health risks associated with climate change.

**Who may apply for this program?** Proposals will be accepted from states, local governments, territories, Indian tribes, and possessions of the U.S., including the District of Columbia, international organizations, public and private universities and colleges, hospitals, laboratories, other public or private non-profit institutions.

**Funding Type:** The funding for selected projects will be in the form of a cooperative agreement. Cooperative agreements permit substantial involvement between the EPA Project Officer and the selected applicants in the performance of the work supported.



**How many agreements will EPA award in this competition?** EPA anticipates award of one to three cooperative agreement(s) under this announcement ranging in value from approximately \$50,000 to \$150,000, subject to the availability of funds, quality of evaluated proposals, and other applicable considerations. [For more information, click here!](#)

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### From Heydey Events:

#### Thursday, July 21 at, 4pm

*Gatekeeper's Museum and Marion Steinbach Indian Basket Museum, Tahoe City*  
**Gary Noy**, author of *Sierra Stories: Tales of Dreamers, Schemers, Bigots, and Rogues*, will give a presentation and sign copies of his book. [More info>](#)

#### Thursday, July 21, at 5pm

*California Historical Society, San Francisco*  
Join photographer **Ed Drew** for the opening of his exhibition "Native Portraits: Contemporary Tintypes," which explores struggles with identity in the larger history of conflict between the United States government and the Klamath, Modoc, and Pit River Tribes.

[More info>](#)

#### Wednesday, July 27, at 6pm

*Heyday, Berkeley*  
Join us for a special evening featuring a welcome ceremony by members of the local Ohlone community, performances by local youths about their experiences of being Samoan in California, songs by musuian **Tiana Tufono**, and a reading by poet **Tusiata Avia**.  
[More info>](#)

**NOW through Sunday, July 31**

**Grace Hudson Museum, Ukiah**



Filled with stunning photographs that reveal the richness and vibrancy of contemporary Native Californian cultures, *She Sang Me a Good Luck Song: The California Indian Photographs of Dugan Aguilar* is a traveling exhibit that features the work of **Dugan Aguilar** (Mountain Maidu/Washoe/Pit River/Walker River Paiute) and is based on his book of the same name. [More info>](#)



## **Bears Ears Needs You in Bluff!!**

**Important Bears Ears public meeting with Secretary Jewell on July 16 regarding designating Bears Ears as a National Monument.**

If you have a passion for protecting the Bears Ears cultural landscape, this is your moment! We Need All Hands on Deck!

NARF supports the Bears Ears Inter-Tribal Coalition, and we encourage you to attend the meeting and tell Interior Secretary Jewell why Bears Ears is important to you.

Secretary Jewell will visit San Juan County to hear local perspectives on protecting Bears Ears as a National Monument. We need a dramatic show of support to demonstrate how broad and deep passion is for protecting this unique cultural landscape.

**When:** Saturday, July 16th – arrive by 11AM for free lunch and cultural activities. Meeting starts at 1 PM. Arriving early is very important!

**Where:** Bluff Community Center, 3rd & Mullberry Streets, Bluff, UT 84512 [Click here for directions.](#)

**What:** Come ready to tell Secretary Jewell why Bears Ears is important to you and why a National Monument is the only real way to protect ALL of the important landscapes, traditions, and cultural sites within Bears Ears.

We hope you are able to join us and ask that you RSVP at your earliest convenience by clicking [HERE](#). This meeting is open to the public, so please feel free to share this invitation with anyone you think would be interested. **If you can't make it but would like to help, [TAKE ACTION](#) and sign the petition.**

Visit [www.bearscoalition.org](http://www.bearscoalition.org) for more information.

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*Seems like yesterday, but their are several generations that don't know Mars as the mysterious planet! sdc*

### ON THIS DAY

On July 14, 1965, the American space probe Mariner 4 flew by Mars, sending back photographs of the planet.

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## "KEEPING US SAFE" TRIBUTE WALK

### WALKING FOR ALL YOUTH

Start:

Tuba City Fair Grounds

Tuba City, Arizona

5:30am 07/14/16

End:

Dine College Campus

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9:00am 07/18/16

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