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**[North Dakota State House: Impeach North Dakota Governor Jack Dalrymple and Morton County Sheriff Kyle Kirchmeier](#)** [change.org](#)

**[Congress members sends Letter to Obama to Intervene on pipeline](#)**

The letter urges the president to withdraw federal permits "like you did with the...  
nbcnews.comlBy [NBC News](#)

**[Standing Firm at Standing Rock: Why the Struggle Is Bigger Than One Pipeline](#)**

**Sarah Jaffe, Moyers & Company:** The echoes of historic struggles are reminders that the fight for water is just a part of the fight for an entire way of life. The grassroots organizing that

brought the camp together has helped tribal governments look past the structures imposed on them by the process of colonization.

**[Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians Donates \\$250,000 to Standing Rock Legal Fund - ICTMN.com](#)**

The Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians donates \$250,000 to the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe for legal expenses related to the lawsuit over the DAPL.

[indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com](http://indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com)

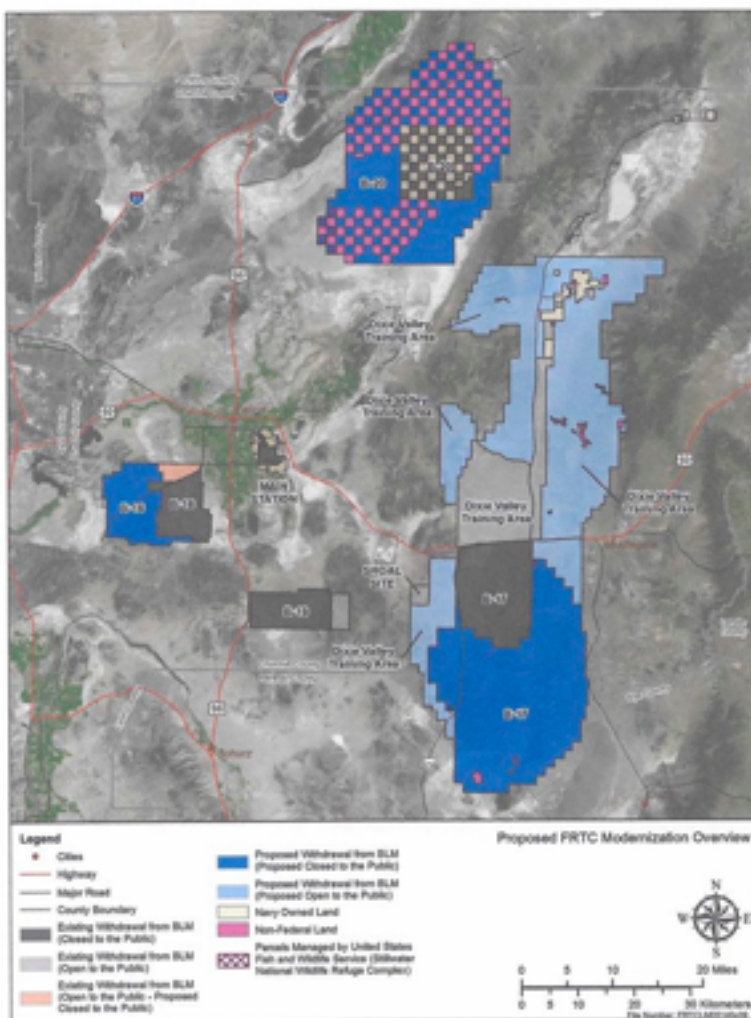
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**TODAY!! OCT4**

**[Massive Land and Airspace Grab Proposed by Navy Invite Private · Hosted by Grace M Potorti](#)**

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**Attachments: [NAFNI2016 Flier 9-15-2016.pdf](#) [NAFNI 2016-Speakers.pdf](#) [NAFNI2016 Flier 9-15-2016.jpg](#)**

Flier and agenda attached.

***A meeting of the Association of Tribal Archives, Libraries, and Museums -  
October 10-12***

**Archives, Libraries, and Museums, a meeting of the Association of Tribal Archives, Libraries, and Museums: Kit Matthew, Director; Maura Marx, Deputy Director for Library Services; Robin Dale, Associate Deputy Director for Library Services; Sandy Toro, Senior Library Program Officer; Laura Zamarripa, Museum Program Specialist; Aly DesRochers, Library Program Specialist; Madison Bolls, Grant Specialist; Chandler (Phoenix), AZ, October 10-12**

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**Nevada County Library Helps Nisenan Tribe Rediscover Heritage and Voices**

The Nisenan Tribe, an unrecognized tribal community in California, has a long history of being forgotten. But with the help of a project that brought together tribes, libraries and communities, their story is finally coming to light. [Read more](#)

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**Iñupiat Heritage Center, Department of Iñupiaq History, Language and Culture**

Log Number: [MA-30-16-0478-16](#) Fiscal Year: 2016 Award: \$150,000.00

City: Barrow Program: Museums for America State: AK

Program Categories: MFA-Collections Recipient Type: Museum

The Iñupiat Heritage Center will digitize 1,648 audiovisual recordings that are on obsolete videotape and film formats. They were created by Iñupiaq people about their language and culture during a time of rapid cultural change triggered by oil discoveries on the North Slope in the late 1960s. They document arctic survival strategies such as making clothing to keep warm, tracking and hunting caribou herds, and determining whether ice is safe to walk on during whaling, seal hunting, and ice fishing. Because of the language fluency of the Iñupiaq elders in the films, the materials are critical resources for Inupiaq language students. After the materials are digitized by Summit Day Media, the center will host identification sessions to identify individuals and detail activities depicted in the films. This information will be added to the center's collection management database by a mayor's Job Program employee trained by center staff. The center will provide copies of the digital files to local libraries and community members and will post film metadata on its website.

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**IMLS NEWS**

[Click here to see all the Museums for America grants for this year.](#)

IMLS will be accepting applications for the FY 2017 Museums for America program through December 1, 2016. For more information see the [Museums for America webpage](#) and the blog post highlighting changes in the [FY 2017 museum grant programs](#).

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### **IMLS Now Accepting Museum Grant Applications for FY 2017**

IMLS is now accepting applications for four museum grant programs. The application deadline for each of these programs is December 1, 2016. [Read more](#)

### **IMLS Funds Support Tribal and Native Hawaiian Museum Services**

Did you know IMLS offers a museum grant program specifically for Native American tribes, Alaska native villages and corporations, and organizations that primarily serve and represent Native Hawaiians? ... [Read more](#)

### **It's Not Only Cuddling That Children Crave - It's Coding!**

The Orem Public Library in Orem, Utah has developed a "Techreation Center" that has proven wildly popular with the community's youth. The center was developed after the library received \$27,662 as a subrecipient of Utah State Library's Grants to States...[Read more](#)

### **WebJunction Experience: Blended Learning Strengthens Library Practice**

How would you complete this sentence? "I like my online learning to be \_\_\_\_." WebJunction users consistently use adjectives like "relevant," "high-quality," and "convenient" to describe their online learning priorities, and we love to design and deliver resources to meet those needs. [Read more](#)

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### **50 Native Tribes Join Fight to Prevent Delisting of Yellowstone Grizzly Bears**

<http://www.ecowatch.com/yellowstone-grizzly-bear-2024402197.html>

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### **The Super-Rich Are Cruising the Arctic's New Passageway as the World Burns**

**Dahr Jamail, Truthout:** This summer, a luxury cruise ship was able to sail across the Arctic for the first time -- a feat made possible by planetary warming. As Arctic summer sea ice melts away, corporations are taking advantage of the opportunity to launch cruises in the extremely fragile, once-pristine Arctic ecosystem. [Read the Article](#)

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### **One Truckee River Management Plan**

Council unanimously approved to adopt the [One Truckee River Management Plan](#) . Members of NV Land Trust, Keep Truckee Meadows Beautiful, and CFA participated in the presentation. The City of Sparks adopted the plan on Monday, and the Washoe County Board of Commissioners adopted the plan yesterday.

Reno City Councilmember David Bobzien is a member of the One Truckee River Core Planning Team. Bobzien and fellow City Councilmember Naomi Duerr are also funders of the plan. Bobzien, Duerr, and several City of Reno staff are One Truckee River Emerging Issues Sub-Committee Members.

## One Truckee River: Mission & Vision

### Mission

One Truckee River works together for a sustainable, clean, and thriving river connected to the hearts and minds of the community.

### Vision

"One Truckee River" is a collaboration of public and private partners working together for a Truckee River that flows clear and clean, quenches our thirst, sustains the river's natural ecology, cultural resources and wildlife, and connects residents and visitors to unparalleled opportunities for recreation and regeneration.

[View the presentation](#) for plan details, including goals and plans for public engagement.

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### *Poorly written headline*

**The government is forking over \$492 million to tribes for mismanaging natural resources.**

**AURA BOGADO**

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**Storytelling in the Virtual Age at FoST Fest**     **By JULIE SATOW**

The first Future of StoryTelling Festival will offer participants virtual reality, immersive theater and other interactive experiences.

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**Bundy Brothers, Who Sought to Rally a Nation, Draw Scant Support at Trial**

By JULIE TURKEWITZ

After Ammon and Ryan Bundy staged an armed takeover of an Oregon wildlife sanctuary in January, their call to shift federal land to local control has softened to a whisper.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

September 29, 2016

### **FACT SHEET: Providing Students and Families with Comprehensive Support and Information for College Success**

*Students [like you] want to take that next step and have big dreams. We want you to know that we're there to help you achieve those dreams. We want to make sure that we're giving every student who's willing to put in the effort all the tools that they need in order to succeed.*

—President Barack Obama, 2015

America built a strong middle class over the past several generations through a commitment to keeping a high-quality education within reach of all who are willing to work for it. In keeping this promise alive, President Obama has made the largest investment in student aid since the G.I. Bill, and implemented reforms to ensure every student can earn a good-value college degree or credential. Today, many historically underserved students are enrolling in college for the first time; more students are graduating from college than ever; and new student loan defaults, delinquencies, and forbearances are on the decline.



This week, the White House and U.S. Department of Education are launching this year's [\*\*Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)\*\*](#) — available October 1<sup>st</sup> for the first time, three months earlier than the traditional January 1<sup>st</sup> date—so that more students can access the historic investment in financial aid and better information when they need it. The Administration will also announce new efforts to further streamline the FAFSA and connect students and families with the College Scorecard and other resources to support them to and through college.

Later today, in collaboration with the First Lady's Better Make Room campaign, CollegeHumor will release a video to raise awareness about the importance of completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The video features "Who Wants To Be A Millionaire's" Chris Harrison as host of an easy game show that gives students free money to go to college, and the First Lady serves as a "lifeline" to the contestant.

Tomorrow, the White House will honor eleven individuals from across the country who will also be honored at the White House on Friday as “Champions of Change for College Opportunity” who have done important work in their own communities to strengthen access and completion to high-quality post-secondary education, especially for first-generation and low-income students. More information on the honorees is available [HERE](#).

### **Breaking Down Barriers to College Access with Historic Aid Investments:**

- President Obama has doubled investments in financial aid, between increasing the maximum Pell Grant by over \$1,000 and establishing the American Opportunity Tax Credit which provides a maximum credit of \$2,500 per year—or up to \$10,000 over four years. During this Administration, an average of 2.5 million additional students received a Pell Grant each year. On average, these investments cut college costs by an average of \$3,700 for 8 million families last year, and cut \$18 billion in taxes for families supporting a college student.
- **New analysis by the Council of Economic Advisers** suggests that the Obama Administration's increase in the average Pell Award between 2008-2009 and 2014-2015 will lead to an additional \$20 billion in aggregate earnings, a nearly 2:1 return on the investment. Today's [Council of Economic Advisers report](#) documents the impacts of the Administration's evidence-based strategies for improving college access and success.

### **Making it Easier and Faster to Access these Historic Investments in Financial Aid:**

- Altogether, the federal government provides nearly \$180 billion in financial aid. The first step to accessing any of this aid is the FAFSA. Since the President took office, over 160 million FAFSA forms have been completed. The majority of FAFSA filers were first-generation and Pell-eligible students, for whom a scholarship can mean the difference between earning a degree or not. Building on a history of streamlining and simplifying the FAFSA to provide filers with the most relevant questions online, this year, the FAFSA will allow students and families to automatically populate the form

with last year's tax information from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) — an easier, more accurate process. With this change, about 4 million more students and families can use this IRS Data Retrieval Tool from the start, eliminating the need to send tax information to the government twice. This enhancement can ensure that hundreds of thousands more families receive the aid for which they are eligible, that students and families save well over half a million hours in paperwork, and that schools can transfer 3 million hours from verifying information to advising students and making financial aid awards.

- We're not stopping there. Next year, the FAFSA will have a streamlined sign-up and password recovery process for an FSA ID, which establishes a student's financial aid account and is the first step to accessing federal financial aid. With enhanced FSA ID usability, students and families can complete the FAFSA securely, in even less time.

### **Giving More Time and Better Information for Students to Apply Their Aid to Attend Good-Value Schools:**

- The College Scorecard—which was [announced by the President in 2015 and redesigned](#) with direct input from students, families, and their advisers — provides the clearest, most accessible, and most reliable national data on cost, graduation rates, debt, and post-college earnings. Together with the earlier FAFSA, the College Scorecard ensures that students and families have the best information available to choose a good-value school. Because students and families can learn about their financial aid eligibility within a few days of completing the FAFSA, they will have better information to compare costs and student outcomes at different schools sooner, while they are searching for and applying to schools. These policies and resources can ensure that more students consider and submit their FAFSAs to more than one school, which can expand the scope of their college opportunities. Already, the share of freshmen submitting their FAFSAs to more than one school has increased by 10 percentage points since 2008-2009.
- Next year, the FAFSA will direct students to the College Scorecard, so that students can make a more informed choice about their most consequential investment to date—by weighing their personalized financial aid estimates against a school's student outcomes, comparing schools, and considering the full scope of their college options.

The President will also highlight additional work underway to ensure that students and families have access to better information at the time that they are making college decisions.

### **Aligned Timelines for Earlier Awards:**

- **Federal-level:** The Department is publishing Pell Grant payment schedules earlier than ever before, to assist states and schools in planning and giving families their financial aid awards earlier. This year, the maximum Pell Grant is increasing to \$5,920.

- **State-level:** The National Association of State Student Grant and Aid Programs (NASSGAP), a network of state grant agencies awarding over \$12 billion in state aid to 4.5 million students, is working with all of its states to implement the earlier FAFSA using a prior year's tax information. NASSGAP is announcing that the significant majority of states have created plans to conduct statewide outreach to ensure that their students are aware of the earlier timeline and resources available.
- **School-level:** The National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (NASFAA), whose member institutions serve 90 percent of undergraduates, is announcing that all of its members nationwide will be ready for the earlier FAFSA using a prior year's income. NASFAA is bringing financial aid professionals across campuses together and is ensuring that all of its members have the resources and support needed for the transition.

### **Better Information at Students' and Families' Fingertips:**

In addition, because the underlying data that powers the Scorecard is published through an open application programming interface (API), anyone—researchers, policymakers, counselors, organizations—can customize their own tools and analysis of college performance more quickly and easily.

- **Federal programs providing a pathway to the middle class:** Agencies like the [Department of Veterans Affairs](#), and [Department of Defense](#) are integrating College Scorecard data to ensure that students have the information they need to apply their service member and veterans' benefits at high-quality schools. Through a government-wide effort to ensure that millions of low-income families can access a college opportunity as a pathway to the middle class, the FAFSA and College Scorecard will also be shared through volunteer income tax assistance sites and with participants of programs for temporary assistance for needy families, subsidized housing and housing vouchers, Medicaid, food stamps, child care, free and reduced price lunch, and unemployment insurance.
- **More informed application processes:** Organizations—like **Google**, **College Board**, and **the Common Application**—are building the College Scorecard tool and data into their products in order to ensure that students and families have the best information available at critical decision-making-periods. The College Scorecard data on college costs, graduation rates, and earnings will be clearly featured in the hundreds of millions of **Google** searches related to colleges and universities taking place in the US each year. As part of on-going research on the impact of information on student decision-making, the **College Board** is proactively sharing College Scorecard data with approximately 100,000 low-income students that receive customized college planning information and support through its Access to Opportunity Program. This effort is informed by their research that shows that College Scorecard earnings information prompted students to consider colleges and universities with better student outcomes after college (Hurwitz and Smith, 2016). **ACT and College Board** will also



partner with First Lady Michelle Obama's Reach Higher Initiative and Better Make Room Campaign to share Scorecard and FAFSA information with millions of students so they can access support to apply for college through Up Next.

- **Data-driven college advising:** Organizations like the **College Advising Corps**, **National College Access Network**, and **American School Counselor Association** will integrate Scorecard data into their advising and FAFSA completion work, to ensure that students can access the right information at the right time.

### **More Good Schools to Choose from in the Future :**

- **Ranking colleges based on student and community needs:** By shining light on the value that institutions provide to their students, the College Scorecard aligns incentives for institutions with the goals of their students and community. Although college rankings have traditionally rewarded schools for rejecting students and amassing wealth instead of giving every student a fair chance to succeed in college, more are incorporating information on whether students graduate, find good-paying jobs, and repay their loans. Over half a dozen rankings systems – including Forbes, Money, the Brookings Institution The Economist, Wall Street Journal, and Washington Monthly – have incorporated College Scorecard data to create some of the first rankings that use earnings data.
- **Better insights and analysis to inform policy:** Organizations like the **Center for American Progress**, **New America**, **Education Trust**, and **The Century Foundation** have used the College Scorecard data to introduce new insights about college performance that can inform policymakers' and school leaders' work to strengthen the quality of colleges and universities.
- **Greater transparency and accountability to strengthen college performance:** The Department of Education has increased the focus on student outcomes in [accreditation processes](#) by using the College Scorecard data to promote greater transparency and accountability in higher education. The recently published [accrerator dashboards](#) show college outcomes for every accrediting agency, orienting accreditors' and policymakers' attention towards using outcomes data to maintain a high standard for quality.

### **Comprehensive Step-by-Step Advising:**

- This FAFSA season, all 50 states will be able to participate in the [FAFSA Completion Initiative](#) that the President and First Lady announced in 2014. Through the FAFSA Completion Initiative, states partner with districts and schools to provide student-level FAFSA completion data so that advisors and teachers can track exactly which students have filled out the FAFSA, allowing districts and schools to tailor their outreach and advising to students to ensure all students can complete the FAFSA.

- The Department of Education is providing ready-made materials, videos, and webinar information through their [Financial Aid Toolkit](#) and additional information on the financial aid process and step-by-step assistance on the FAFSA, college preparation, and student loan repayment through [StudentAid.gov](#) .
- This year, the Obama Administration is announcing new commitments from over 170 organizations that will share information about the FAFSA and the College Scorecard. Altogether, they report reaching 20 million additional students this year. Using vehicles like the [Up Next texting tool](#) , students can access step-by-step advice and personalized support from College Advising Corps, College Forward, College Possible, and Inside Track counselors in completing the FAFSA and using College Scorecard, and repaying their loans after graduation. **The Common Application** is also sharing these texts directly to their students, which include 300,000 first-generation students, by sharing Up Next texts about Scorecard and FAFSA. **More details on the 170+ commitment-makers is available [HERE](#).**

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### **Pine Leaf was a Woman Chief and warrior of the Crow people. And she married four wives**

Born in 1806 to the Gros Ventres, at the tender age of 10, Pine Leaf was kidnapped by a raiding party of Crows at the... [thevintagenews.com](#)

### **Gayle Hansen-Johnson singing Red White and Blue a Shoshone Indian Flag Song 1996**

Old video footage of Gayle Hansen-Johnson, a Shoshone-Paiute woman singing a traditional... [youtube.com](#)

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## **Conservation Groups Hail Legal Report Panning Land Transfers**

**October 3, 2016 - Suzanne Potter, Public News Service (NV)**

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A new report on the legal prospects for states seeking land transfers from the federal government says the states are unlikely to succeed in the courts. (Ravenking99/Morguefile)

CARSON CITY, Nev. - Lawsuits to force the federal government to turn over land to states have little chance of succeeding, according to [new findings](#) from the Conference of Western Attorneys General.

Two years ago, the group formed a subcommittee to study whether the federal government was legally obligated to sell or transfer the public lands within a state, to that state. Attorneys general from all the Western states except California found the legal claims to be weak.

Anne Macquarie, on the executive committee of the Sierra Club's Toiyabe Chapter in Nevada, said the report undercuts the arguments of the land-seizure movement, which has gained some traction in Nevada in recent years.

"Utah's lawsuit has already cost that state millions," said Macquarie. "I'm pleased that Nevada AG's staff took part in this analysis, and that there were no dissenting opinions; and that Western AGs voted 11 to one to approve the report."

She noted that Nevada Attorney General Adam Laxalt has never promised a lawsuit similar to the one in Utah, but he has said he wants to keep a close watch on how the federal government manages land. And Laxalt did join a multi-state lawsuit challenging the federal management program for the greater sage grouse.

Last year, the Nevada Legislature passed a joint resolution calling on the state to seek a transfer of land from the federal government. Macquarie described politicians who take this approach as out of touch with voters.

"We don't believe that's the will of the people of Nevada," she said. "And there are polls that show that the majority of Nevadans want public land to remain being managed by federal land-management agencies."

In Nevada, 81 percent of the land is managed by federal agencies, which also makes those agencies major employers in the state.