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On January 24th, the Trump administration directed the Army Corps of Engineers to stop its Environmental Impact Statement and fast-track the construction of the Dakota Access pipeline [DAPL]. Shortly after, four memos that were highly critical of the Army Corps of Engineers and Energy Transfer Partn... lastrealindians.com

Four-Day Dakota Access Protest Launched in 'Belly of the Beast'

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Excerpt: "Native Americans from around the country are revving up to kick off a four-day demonstration on the steps of Capitol Hill, in continued protest against the Trump

administration's decision to move forward with the Dakota Access oil pipeline."

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Does this get added to the list of the many ways Trump is making America great again?
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Ed note: This story lacks certain journalistic integrity but does get the point across.

<https://indiancountrymedianetwork.com/culture/arts-entertainment/video-polaris-winners-buffy-sainte-marie-tanya-tagaq-collaborate-new-music-video/>

VIDEO: Polaris Winners Buffy Sainte-Marie and Tanya Tagaq Collaborate on New Music Video - Indian Country Media Network indiancountrymedianetwork.com

Artists 'have structurally different brains' - BBC News

Artists' brains are structurally different to non-artists in areas relating to fine motor movements and visual imagery, a study finds. bbc.com By [BBC News](http://bbc.com)

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 14, 2017

Assembly called to order at 12:07 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblyman Ellison, who was excused.

Prayer by Tribal Elder Reynelda James.

Thank you for inviting me to say this prayer and blessings for you today. The prayer is for thanksgiving for all that surrounds us, from the rising of the sun to the setting of sun, to the south and to the north. We give thanks for many things. Accept, oh Lord, our thanks and praise for all

that You have done for us. We thank You for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love.



We thank You for blessings to family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side. We thank You for setting us at tasks which demand our best efforts and for leading us to the accomplishments which satisfy and delight us. We thank You for all those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on You alone.

Above all, we thank You for Your Son Jesus Christ; for the truth of the Word and the example of its life. Grant us the gift of Your spirit, that we may know Him and make Him known.

We give thanks for this place, for this Assembly. Oh God, the Fountain of Wisdom, whose will is good and gracious, and whose law is truth. We beseech Thee, so to guide and bless our Senators and Representatives in this Assembly, in the Legislature of this state, that they may enact such laws as shall please Thee to the glory of Thy name and the welfare of the people.

We ask blessings upon this house, where leaders meet and speak, and for their dedication to serve our people, to serve others, day by day.

We give thanks for our Nevada Indian Commission, and Sherry Rupert, who leads us, and for our Governor Sandoval, who is doing great things for us. We give thanks for allowing us to come and speak our language.



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“For the environment after all is where we all meet; where we all have a mutual interest; it is one thing that all of us share. It is not only a mirror of ourselves, but a focusing lens on what we can become.”

~ Lady Bird Johnson

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Iceland knows how to stop teen substance abuse - but the rest of the world isn't listening

In Iceland, teenage smoking, drinking and drug use have been radically cut in the past 20 years. Emma Young finds out how they did it, and why other countries...

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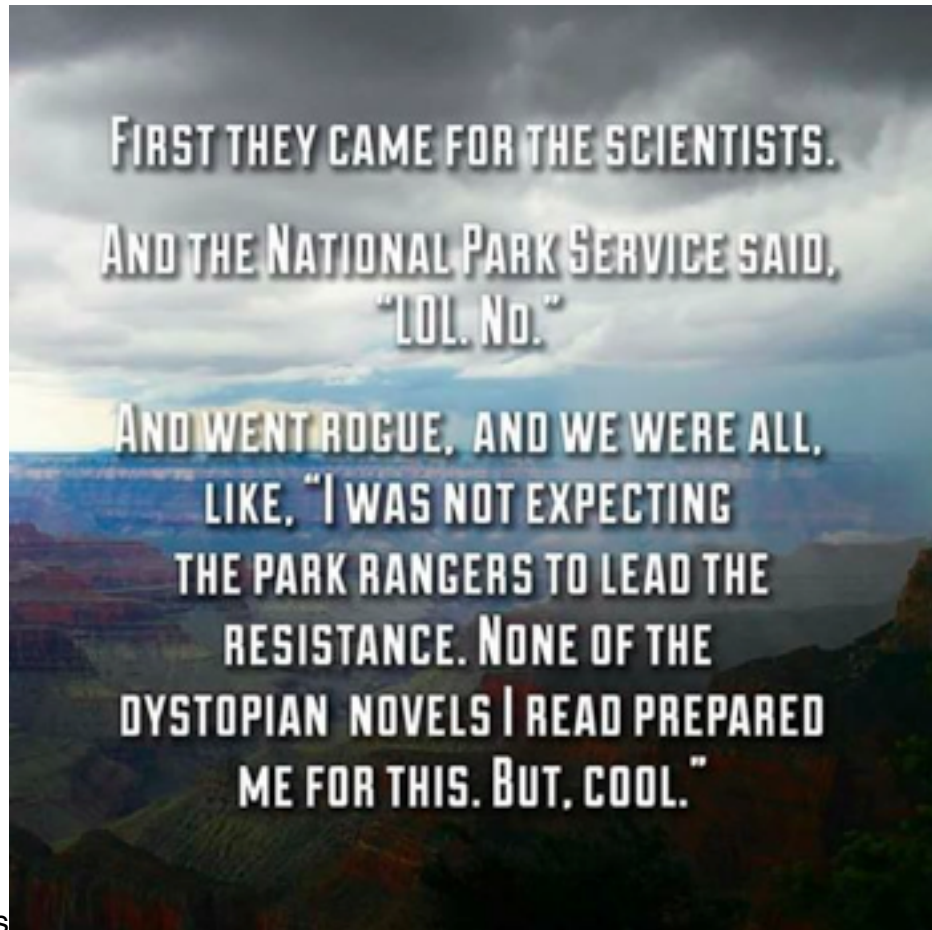
France has unveiled the first solar-powered road in the world. The 1km road, made from electricity-generating panels runs through the village of Tourouvre-au-Perche,... indy100.com

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according to the U.S. Energy Information Administration. The total installed generating capacity from wind reached

more than 81,000 megawatts by the end of 2016, while hydropower's generating capacity weighed in just under 80,000 megawatts. Still, fluctuations in actual wind generation and a wet winter along the West Coast mean that hydropower will likely outperform wind this year. *EIA*





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Water Infrastructure Hearing

The discussion on the federal role in water infrastructure spending starts in earnest on March 9 with a [House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee hearing](#). Seven witnesses representing state agencies, building contractors, mayors, and research organizations are slated to testify.

Rural Water System Aid Legislation

A bipartisan group of 10 senators [introduced a bill](#) to provide technical training to water systems that serve fewer than 10,000 people. The bill authorizes up to \$US 15 million per year over five years and allows states to spend more of their revolving loan funds, largely designated for infrastructure upgrades, on technical training.

Federally Recognized Tribes Should Brace For Possible Termination Policy Under Trump

Whether we like it or not, Saglutupiaġataq (“the compulsive liar” in Iñupiatun) is now president of the United States and Republicans control Congress. Federally recognized Alaska Native and American Indian tribes should brace for the worst, including the possibility that Congress may move to termin... countercurrentnews.com

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The Mayor of Maui, Alan Arakawa, said in a recent interview regarding certain sacred stones in Iao Valley, "It's very simple, there's no such thing as sacred rocks. The Monarchy declared Christianity the religion of Hawaii" (Thou shall have no false god before me). There are no sacred rocks in that religion."

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The Great Barrier Reef has been declared dead by scientists at 25 million years old — bringing an end to the colorful life of the world's largest single structure of living organisms. The incredibl...
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[An Obituary:](#)

[The National Endowment for the Arts, 52, of Unnatural Causes](#)

Michael Wilkerson, The Hill

Wilkerson writes: "The National Endowment for the Arts, aged 52, has finally died. After brushes with extinction in the 1980's and 1990's, along with a three-decade wait to be launched after the McCarthy-era's relentless attacks on artists, police are describing the NEA's demise as 'totally preventable, but oddly, both a homicide and a suicide.'"

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[Calendar](#)

March 9-10 - Who Belongs? From Tribal Kinship to Native Nation Citizenship to Disenrollment. Ares Auditorium, UA James E. Rogers College of Law, Indigenous Peoples Law & Policy, Tucson.

March 10 -Plant Tour of Pueblo Grande. Pueblo Grande Museum. 10:00 a.m. For information click [here](#).

March 11 - NATIVE HEALTH's Walk for the Land and the People. Two walks, 10 miles or 6 miles. For more information contact [Seana](#).

March 11 - 17th Annual Ancient Technology Day: Prehistoric and Historic. 9:00 a.m. Pueblo Grande Museum. For information click [here](#).

March 13 Community Connect Grants (USDA)

This program helps fund broadband deployment into rural communities where it is not yet economically viable for private sector providers to deliver service. Federally recognized tribes in Rural areas that lack any existing broadband speed of at least 4 Mbps downstream and 1 Mbps upstream are eligible. More at <https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-connect-grants>

March 13-16 National Reservation Economic Summit Las Vegas, NV

For more info., RES agenda, sponsorship details, and registration, visit HYPERLINK "<http://res.ncaied.org/>" <http://res.ncaied.org>

March 13-14 - Native American Fitness Council. Group Fitness Instructor Certification. Fee. Scholarships available. Flagstaff. For information check the [website](#).

March 14-16 - 3 day training for individuals to become Facilitators in the "Fatherhood is Sacred" and "Motherhood is Sacred" curriculum. For information contact Kelly Ann at (480) 878-4407. Training held in Mesa, Arizona.

March 15-16 - Native American Fitness Council. Medical Conditions and Exercise Certification. Fee. Flagstaff. For information check the [website](#).

March 15 Coastal Resilience Grants Opportunity (NOAA)

NOAA's integrated Coastal Resilience Grants Program. The estimated \$15 million in funding for this program is based on the FY 2016 appropriated funding level. The Coastal Resilience Grants Program will support efforts to prepare coastal communities and ecosystems to withstand the impacts of extreme weather and climate-related hazards and make our Nation safer and economy more secure. Eligible funding applicants include nonprofit organizations, private (for profit) entities, institutions of higher education, regional organizations, and local, state, and tribal governments. Each proposal may request between \$100,000 to \$2 million in federal funds. Additional info. at: <https://www.coast.noaa.gov/resilience-grant/>

March 17 Deadline - University of Arizona's Native American Science and Engineering Program (NASEP) Year long program designed to provide Native American high school students with a vision of a career in STEM. Open to current high school sophomores and juniors (or rising juniors and seniors) and enrolled members of a federally recognized tribe. For information click [here](#).

March 17 Deadline - Native American Bar Association of Arizona - NNABA Foundation Announces Bar Review Scholarships. For more information click [here](#).

March 18 - Drop-in Discovery Saturday. 10:00 a.m. Pueblo Grande Museum. For information click [here](#).

March 19 Sustainable Water Management Conference New Orleans, LA

The American Water Works Association Conference presents solutions for balancing the benefits of conservation with the costs, managing water resources, sustainable utilities and infrastructure, urban planning and design, energy efficiency, water conservation, stormwater and reuse. Conference info. HYPERLINK "<http://www.awwa.org/conferences-education/conferences/sustainable-water-management.aspx>" [here](#).

March 20-24 Pathways Home Training (HUD/ONAP) Phoenix, AZ

FREE training. Participants will learn about comprehensive homebuyer education programs designed to help educate prospective native homebuyers on how to become successful homeowners. Curriculum is specifically tailored for Native American communities. Participants will also learn the most effective methods to help potential homebuyers determine what is best

for them; to build a new home or to buy an existing one. Other areas covered in this curriculum: understanding mortgage loan process, preparing a family budget, improving credit profiles, avoiding predatory lending pitfalls, foreclosure prevention strategies, and home maintenance & personal finances after purchase. Register at: HYPERLINK "<http://www.cvent.com/events/hud-pathways-home/event-summary-e8359c601adb43388a969372c254f973.aspx>" <http://www.cvent.com/events/hud-pathways-home/event-summary-e8359c601adb43388a969372c254f973.aspx>

March 21-22 UPCS Inspection Protocol Training Orange, CA

Registration is also open "<http://click.icptrack.com/icp/relay.php?r=58622462&msgid=735553&act=ZCPV&c=318516&destination=https%3A%2F%2Ftravois.com%2Fnews-events%2Ftraining-information%2Fupcs-inspection-training%2F>" **Uniform Physical Conditions Standards (UPCS) Inspection Protocol Training!**

March 21-23 Composting Programs and Tribal Food Security (ITEP) Tucson, AZ

The Institute for Tribal Environmental Professionals (ITEP) course focuses on providing strategies for creating and managing successful composting projects as part of your Tribe's overall waste diversion activities. It also explores the connections between composting programs and tribal food security, and methods for creating partnerships & collaborations to protect tribal natural resources and address community health and wellbeing. Three different instructors will provide expertise through lecture and group activities. Participants will tour the San Xavier Co-op Farm and its composting activities. For more info., visit HYPERLINK "https://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_waste" https://www7.nau.edu/itep/main/Training/training_waste. Submit application to HYPERLINK "<mailto:Julie.Jurkowski@nau.edu>" Julie.Jurkowski@nau.edu.

March 21-23 Low Income Housing Tax Credits (NAIHC) Anaheim, CA

For more info., agenda, and to register, visit HYPERLINK "<http://www.naihc.net>" www.naihc.net

March 22-24 Protecting Tribal Children & Tribal Culture (NIJC) Reno, NV

Training session focusing on the impacts of the BIA's 2016 Regulations on the implementation of the Indian Child Welfare Act and potential hurdles. More info at HYPERLINK "<http://www.nijc.org/Training.html>" www.nijc.org/Training.html or call (707) 579-9019.

March 22-24 Public Health & Transportation in Indian Country Reno, NV

Training session focusing on identifying motor-vehicle related injuries as a public health problem in Native American communities. More at "www.nijc.org/Training.html or call (707) 579-9019.

March 22-24 INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT: IMPACT OF BIA REGULATIONS Reno, NV

Training will focus on the impacts of the BIA's 2016 Regulations on the implementation of the Indian Child Welfare Act. The new Regulations are subject to review by the new administration as well as legal challenges. Session looks in detail at the BIA Regulations as well as the potential hurdles that they will encounter. More at: https://gallery.mailchimp.com/fcf27858b524c94e746bc5dcf/files/5605df4d-74dc-4285-afe6-f650d4d76dfd/ICWA_March2017Flyer.01.pdf

March 22-23 - Humanizing Our Response to the Violence in our Communities: Being Inclusive, Coordinated, and Accountable. A Regional Training for Service Providers. Free training on Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Teen Dating Violence and Stalking. Yavapai-Apache Nation, Camp Verde. Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition. For information click [here.](#)

March 23 13th Annual American Indian Disability Summit Phoenix, AZ
Gathering Native Voices for Youth Empowerment! Mission is to provide interaction, networking, education and support for American Indians with disabilities and their families, and bridging opportunities and resources in rural and urban tribal communities. The annual summit is held to facilitate training, outreach and technical assistance for American Indians with disabilities residing in urban and rural areas. Attendees gain awareness of support services, become empowered and improve their lifestyle by learning strategies to eliminate barriers to service delivery. For more info., visit http://govtrans.az.gov/ianmp/inc/rdr.asp?14040_161216155939 <http://americanindiandisabilitysummit.org/>

March 23 - 13th Annual American Indian Disability Summit "Gathering Native Voices for Youth Empowerment." Desert Willow Conference Center, Phoenix. For information call Betty at (602) 542-6282 or click [here.](#)

March 23-25 - 2nd Annual National STEM Collaborative Women of Color STEM Entrepreneurship Conference. GateWay Community College. For information click [here.](#)

March 24 Deadline - First High School Media Innovation Camp. For future journalists, game developers and other creative high school students. June 18-30. For information [here.](#)

March 26 - Canyon Records Songs of the People- Traditional Singing and Drumming. 2:00 p.m. Pueblo Grande Museum. For more information click [here.](#)

March 27-28 - National Council of Urban Indian Health 2017 Legislative Summit. For more information click [here.](#)

March 28 Deadline - I.H.S. Scholarship Program Call for Applications - For AI/AN pre-professions. For information click [here.](#)

March 31 Deadline - National Association of Community Health Centers 2017 Summer Intern Program. Six slots available for college students. Washington DC. For information click [here.](#)

From: [Joan Mosteller](#)

Did you know that the local band of Aqua Caliente Indians filed a claim in the highest United States court claiming the rights over water in the Coachella Valley - and they won? They are a very wealthy tribe of Indians and every Christmas they give out thousands of gifts and turkeys to the local needy people - they are very philanthropic and generous and their position affords them

to not take crap from anybody. They own much of the land out here and whatever they say - goes! Good for them!

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