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[http://www.ecowatch.com/dakota-  
access-pipeline-  
trump-2191523807.html](http://www.ecowatch.com/dakota-access-pipeline-trump-2191523807.html)



## **Police across the country looked at Standing Rock as a sort of law enforcement laboratory**

Responding to North Dakota Governor Jack Dalrymple's request for aid, nearly 40 police and sheriff's departments flocked to Standing Rock to participate in crowd...[www.muckrock.com](http://www.muckrock.com)

## **North Dakota Bill Would Protect Drivers Who 'Accidentally' Hit And Kill**



### **Protesters**

It's aimed at Dakota Access protesters, and it doesn't bode well.

[huffingtonpost.com](http://huffingtonpost.com) By [Andy Campbell](#)

### **Water Protectors Decry North Dakota Bills That Criminalize Protests**

[Read the Article at NBC News](#)

### **Here's a new way to fight the Dakota Access Pipeline**

The pipeline now has to go through a thorough environmental study, and comments from citizens can affect the outcome. All video\_

[Dakota Access](#)

## **Watch these veterans explain why they went to Standing Rock**

"I didn't go to war three times to see this happen to my own people on my own soil

## **The Rights of Nature: Indigenous Philosophies Reframing Law**

**Kiana Herold, IC Magazine:** Battles to defend nature have taken to the streets and to the courts, as well as through the development of innovative legal actions. In Ecuador, Bolivia and New Zealand, Indigenous activism has helped spur the creation of a novel legal phenomenon -- the idea that nature itself can have rights. [Read the Article](#)

### ***Retrospect:***

### **DAPL: How economics are driving the Dakota Access Pipeline**

The powers behind the project will benefit, but almost no one else will.

## **Protests Escalate Over Louisiana Pipeline by Company Behind Dakota Access**

[Read the Article at the Guardian US](#)

## **Canadian First Nations Sue the Government to Protect Land**

[Read the Article at teleSUR](#)

## **The Oldest Petroglyphs In America are Right Here In Nevada And They're Amazing**

Native American petroglyphs in area near Winnemucca Lake in Nevada are the oldest rock art



found in North America. There are several spots in Nevada with...  
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zinke or swim

**What Trump's Interior pick means for federal lands and national parks**

Ryan Zinke will oversee 500 million acres, or 1/5 of the entire United States.

## **Big Oil Cheers as Trump Plans to Open National Parks for Drilling**

[http://www.ecowatch.com/big-oil-drill-national-parks-2188885054.html?utm\\_source=EcoWatch+List&utm\\_campaign=5c5bd4619a-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_49c7d43dc9-5c5bd4619a-85895669](http://www.ecowatch.com/big-oil-drill-national-parks-2188885054.html?utm_source=EcoWatch+List&utm_campaign=5c5bd4619a-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_49c7d43dc9-5c5bd4619a-85895669)

## **5 Charts Trump Must See Before He Takes Office**

<http://www.ecowatch.com/trump-renewable-energy-2189917232.html>

## **Exxon Ordered to Fork Over 40 Years of Climate Research**

[http://www.ecowatch.com/exxon-climate-research-2190240911.html?utm\\_source=EcoWatch+List&utm\\_campaign=b568a5e97f-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_49c7d43dc9-b568a5e97f-85895669](http://www.ecowatch.com/exxon-climate-research-2190240911.html?utm_source=EcoWatch+List&utm_campaign=b568a5e97f-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_49c7d43dc9-b568a5e97f-85895669)

## **House Clears Path for Repeal of Health Law**

By THOMAS KAPLAN and ROBERT PEA

The vote on a budget blueprint sets Congress on a course to fulfill a Republican promise to rescind the Affordable Care Act, President Obama's signature domestic achievement.

## **Nuclear Revival Looks Bleak as Solar and Wind Costs Continue to Drop**

<http://www.ecowatch.com/nuclear-revival-bleak-2188785870.html>





For the Eastern Shoshone and Northern Arapaho tribes living on the isolated Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming, new contact with lost artifacts risks opening old wounds but also offer the possibility for healing. A young journalist and a teenage powwow princess travel with a tribal elder to search for missing artifacts in the vast archives of Chicago's Field Museum. There they discover a treasure trove of ancestral objects, setting them on a journey to recover what has been lost. [What Was Ours](#) premieres tonight on PBS ([check local listings](#)).

### Native American Artifacts Tell Story of Loss, Betrayal — and Survival

Northern Arapaho journalist Jordan Dresser, who is one of the "stars" of *What Was Ours* and now holds a Masters in Museum Studies, writes about [the meaning of the tribal artifacts seen in the film](#), from Shoshone drums to Arapaho cradleboards, that spoke to him the most. These are the items that hold meaning, power, life.

### Filmmaker Mat Hames' Wind River Journey

The award-winning Austin-based filmmaker behind *What Was Ours* — who was once knighted by the King of Belgium — [spoke to us](#) about how he ingratiated himself slowly within the Wind River community, about the challenges of telling a Native story that non-Native audiences won't dismiss, about learning the languages, and to share one of his favorite Philbert anecdotes.

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### PRINCIPAL KATIE DECKER EMBODIES POSSIBLE MODEL FOR CCSD REORGANIZATION

The person closest to the decision should be the one to make it. That's one of the basic philosophies Katie Decker, a principal of three empowerment schools in Clark County, operates under. <http://erj.reviewjournal.com/ct/uz3688753Biz31338170>

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### It's Official: First Bumble Bee Species Listed as Endangered in 'Race Against Extinction'

[http://www.ecowatch.com/bumble-bee-endangered-species-2188665139.html?utm\\_source=EcoWatch+List&utm\\_campaign=5c5bd4619a-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_49c7d43dc9-5c5bd4619a-85895669](http://www.ecowatch.com/bumble-bee-endangered-species-2188665139.html?utm_source=EcoWatch+List&utm_campaign=5c5bd4619a-MailChimp+Email+Blast&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_49c7d43dc9-5c5bd4619a-85895669)\*\*\*

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## **Ecuador has begun drilling for oil in the world's richest rainforest** Vox

The country is poised to cash in on one of its most valuable assets. But at what cost? [Read the full story](#)

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## **There's a huge migrant crisis in Hawaii you've probably never heard of**

An obscure treaty has landed thousands of Micronesian migrants in poverty and homelessness.

## **Neanderthals Were People, Too**

New research shows they shared many behaviors that we long believed to be uniquely human.

Why did science get them so wrong? nytimes.com | By Jon Mooallem

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**Brazil is experiencing the worst environmental disaster in its history** — and nobody's talking about it.

## **Nevada Arts Council Grants Program**

The Grants Program reflects a significant commitment by the State of Nevada to support the creation of art and access to the arts for its citizens. NAC grants support the efforts of nonprofit arts and community organizations, public institutions and individual artists to make cultural activities and experience widely available to those who live in or visit Nevada. The reach of this program is expansive – grant recipients are found in every corner of the state, and sponsor activities such as exhibitions, concerts, festivals and film series. Grant monies also support Nevada's dance, opera and theatre companies; symphonies, orchestras and choral groups, and local arts councils statewide. Though a NAC grant may be a small percentage of an organization's total budget, the importance of these dollars reaches far beyond actual cash value – serving as a catalyst for other public and private support. [Read more...](#)

## **Values and Vision: A Cultural Plan for Nevada**

What does a community "rich in art" look like? The NAC is updating its strategic plan, Values and Vision: A Cultural Plan for Nevada, and we need your input. Please share your views on the value of the arts in your life and in your community, and help us craft a shared vision for arts and culture in the Silver State. We encourage you to be candid, constructive and above all, creative!

Click here to link to the survey. [Read more...](#)

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## **New FY 2018-2020 National Indoor Environments Program**

### **Reducing Public Exposure to Indoor Pollutants Request for Applications (RFA) is Now Available!**

**The RFA is open from December 15, 2016 to February 17, 2017**

**Closing Date: February 17, 2017, 4:00 pm Eastern Time (ET)**

**Opportunity Description:** EPA's Indoor Environments Program announces the availability of funds and solicits applications from eligible entities for demonstration, training, outreach and/or education projects that seek to reduce exposure to indoor

air contaminants. Projects must have a national-scale impact and must yield measurable environmental outcomes.

**Who may apply for this program:** Applications 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, and other public or private non-profit institutions.

**Funding Type:** All awards will be in the form of cooperative agreements. The total estimated funding for this competitive opportunity is approximately \$2 million to \$4 million annually, for up to three years. EPA anticipates awarding between 10 and 20 cooperative agreements from this announcement, subject to availability of funds, the quality of applications received, and other applicable considerations. EPA will not consider or review proposals requesting in excess of \$200,000 per year in federal funds.

All proposals must be submitted through [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov). Information related to the RFA can be found here, <https://www.epa.gov/grants/air-grants-and-funding>, and here, <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=290725>.

To learn more about healthy indoor environments and indoor air quality visit <https://www.epa.gov/indoor-air-quality-iaq>

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## **PUEBLO OF ACOMA HOUSING AUTHORITY ADDING NEW HOMES NEAR AMERICA'S OLDEST CONTINUALLY INHABITED COMMUNITY**

*By: Adam Rose, Senior Project Coordinator*



of more than 250 dwellings that were built on a 367-foot sandstone bluff starting in 1150 A.D.



The Acoma Pueblo (New Mexico) has earned the reputation as the oldest continually inhabited community in North America for its “Sky City,” a mesa-top village

Acoma’s Housing project is one of only a few Native American sites to be designated on the [National Trust for Historic Preservation](#), and it has been captivating to visit and reflect on the community’s thousand years of housing and culture. **The Pueblo of Acoma Housing Authority (PAHA)** will link this history and culture to the present by building 30 new affordable homes.

[PAHA LIHTC Homes #1](#) recently received an award of Low Income Housing Tax Credits (LIHTCs) from the New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority!: PAHA's project was awarded in a New Mexico competitive round with only a 30 percent success rate! With this allocation, the housing authority will build 30 new units, a new community building, and an outdoor recreation area on the Acoma Indian Reservation. The new homes will be located about 10 miles from the historic village in a residential neighborhood within walking distance of many amenities and services. The project consists of three multifamily buildings, two of which will contain 12 units, and one that will contain six units. The new 1,355-square-foot community building is centrally located and will include a large meeting room and kitchen. It will host programs such as quarterly financial literacy trainings at no cost to the residents. Outside the community building, residents will have access to a picnic pavilion, bike and walking path, playground and recreation space, and a full-court basketball court. [Click here to read more about the project and Sky City!](#)

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### **Nuclear Waste Management Market worth \$1.90 bn in 2017**

This new 189 page, now available on ASDReports, Nuclear Waste Management Market Report 2017-2027: Revenue Forecasts (\$bn) by Waste Type (Low-Level, Intermediate, High-Level), Nuclear Reactor Type (Boiling Water, Gas Cooler, Pressurized Water, Pressurized Heavy Water, Other Nuclear Reactors) and Geography (Canada, Mexico, U.S., France, Russia, U.K, Germany, China, Japan, Argentina, South Africa) reveals that the nuclear waste management market will generate revenues of \$1.90bn in 2017.

The report contains 134 tables, charts and graphs that add visual analysis in order to explain developing trends within the nuclear waste management market. The key player provides forecasts for the period 2017-2027 in terms of revenues for the global market, as well as for 11 leading national markets (Canada, Mexico, U.S., France, Russia, U.K, Germany, China, Japan, Argentina, South Africa) as well as the rest of Europe, rest of Asia-Pacific and rest of the World.

The report also includes forecasts for the period 2017-2027 for the 8 submarkets segmented by waste type (Low-Level, Intermediate, High-Level waste type) and nuclear reactor type (Boiling Water, Gas Cooler, Pressurized Water, Pressurized Heavy Water and Other Nuclear Reactors) at the global as well as national market level.

In addition, the report contains a dedicated leading companies' chapter including extensive profiles, rankings, recent developments and business strategies for the 9 leading companies operating within the nuclear waste management market including Areva SA, Augene PLC, Veolia Environmental Services, Waste Control Specialists, LLC, Swedish Nuclear Energy Fuel and Waste Management, BHI Energy, Perma-Fix Environmental Services, Inc., Bechtel Corporation and US Ecology, Inc.

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### **Behind the Bench: Judge Darold McDade**

Editor's Note: Judges in the 4th District Court spend their days listening to criminal, civil and family cases, ruling on aspects of the law and handing down sentences to convicted  
heraldextra.com|By Paige Fieldsted - Daily Herald

## **Scholarships**

### **Calliope Workshop and MFA Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: May 31, Annually

The MFA Scholarship Program offers grants of up to \$4,000 for storytellers (writers and filmmakers) pursuing degrees in Masters in Fine Arts. The award recognizes applicants of demonstrated talent in their craft and a commitment to exploring themes of liberty, broadly imagined, in their works. We also provide travel stipends of up to around \$300 for those coming out of state. Eligibility: -A [...] [More](#)

### **Carlo Dumerlin Scholarship Fund**

Application Deadlines: May 31, Annually

The Carlo Dumerlin Scholarship is a one-time award per recipient. All contest entries become the property of The Carlo Dumerlin Scholarship Fund. The recipients names will be announced and their picture and essay submission will be posted on The Carlo Dumerlin Scholarship Fund website and social media pages.

Eligibility:

- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident in order to apply
- Participate [...] [More](#)

### **Future Leaders of IT Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: December 01, Annually

The Future Leaders of IT Scholarship is open to high school seniors and college students pursuing a career in information engineering, information management (or related academic discipline). Scholarships include \$2,000 payable to your academic institution on your behalf.

Submission materials:

- Most recent high school or college transcripts
- Three letters of recommendations from teachers [...] [More](#)

### **Joseph Ayala Scholarship for Young Artists**

Application Deadlines: March 31, Annually

FIRSTheatre is pleased to offer the Joseph Ayala Scholarship for Young Artists to current high school students (juniors or seniors) who are actively involved in their school drama department.

FIRSTheatre will award one scholarship (nonrenewable) to the student who is able to demonstrate how their participation in their school performing arts program has prepared them to pursue their higher [...] [More](#)

### **Kinnett Scholarships for College/Further Education**

Application Deadlines: April 08, Annually

Since 2005, the Northern Suburban Special Education District (NSSD) Foundation has been helping to make the dream of college a reality for many students. The Kinnett Scholarship for College/Further Education, aimed at graduating seniors from NSSD-affiliated high schools, grants \$1,000 scholarships to:

- Special Education students pursuing further education through college, vocational school, [...] [More](#)



### **Lee and Byun International Relations and Cultural Awareness Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: January 31, Annually

The Lint Center, a non-profit charity, focused on supporting the educational pursuits of the next generation of America's Counterintelligence (CI) and National Security Workers, today formally announced the creation of the Eekwon Lee and Jongja Byun International Relations and Cultural Awareness Scholarship as part of the Center's unveiling of the Pioneer Fund for Unfettered Freedom, Excellence, [...] [More](#)

### **Pedro Zamora Young Leaders Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: May 02, Annually

Dedicated to the continuing legacy of AIDS educator and activist Pedro Zamora, the Pedro Zamora Young Leaders Scholarship Program (Scholarship) seeks to support the academic efforts of emerging young leaders who share Pedro's passionate commitment to ending the HIV/AIDS pandemic.

The Pedro Zamora Young Leaders Scholarship is open to all current high school seniors, college freshmen, [...] [More](#)

### **Tukwila City of Opportunity Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: March 31, Annually

The City of Tukwila Scholarship Program was established in 2014. The mission of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance to high school seniors enrolled for undergraduate study in community colleges, colleges, trade schools and universities. The City of Tukwila Scholarship Program principally targets two and four-year academic programs; however, certificate/licensing programs are also [...] [More](#)

### **Tupelo Elvis Fan Club Scholarship**

Application Deadlines: February 14, Annually

Eligibility:

- You must be a resident of Mississippi and enrolled as a senior at a Mississippi high school
- You must sing, dance or play a musical instrument and submit a performance MP4 video for review by the selection committee. If chosen as a semi-finalist, you will be invited to perform live at the Finale to be held in Tupelo, Mississippi on a date to be announced later. You must be able [...] [More](#)

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### **Agua Caliente Band's Pursuit of Energy Self-Sufficiency Gains Momentum**

In 2005, the Agua Caliente Band applied for and was competitively selected to receive a First Steps grant from the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to develop a comprehensive tribal energy plan that aligned with the Tribe's goals and values of self-determination, prosperity, and sustainability. [Read More here](#)

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## **Woman Goes To Alaska To Photograph Polar Bears In Snow – But There's No Snow**

Photographer Patty Waymire wanted to capture polar bears in the picturesque snow, so she traveled to Barter Island, Alaska - and shockingly, there was no...[boredpanda.com](http://boredpanda.com)



## **Dr. King spoke out against the genocide of Native Americans**

[www.peoplesworld.org/.../dr-king-spoke-out-against-the-genocide-of-native-america...](http://www.peoplesworld.org/.../dr-king-spoke-out-against-the-genocide-of-native-america...)

Feb 13, 2014 - "Our nation was born in genocide when it embraced the doctrine that the original *American*, the Indian, was an inferior race. Even before there were large numbers of Negroes on our shores, the scar of racial hatred had already disfigured colonial society. ... King rightly concluded ...

## **Ernie Stevens, Jr.: Honor MLK and Native Civil Rights Leaders - Indian ...** <https://indiancountrytodaymedianetwork.com/.../ernie-stevens-jr-honor-mlk-and-nativ...>

Jan 17, 2012 - Omaha tribal woman, Susan (Insta Theumba/Bright Eyes) LaFlesche, who fought extensively for *Native American* rights, and continued against ...

## **Native American rights tied to MLK - The University Record**

[www.ur.umich.edu/0001/Jan29\\_01/10.htm](http://www.ur.umich.edu/0001/Jan29_01/10.htm)

Jan 29, 2001 - Ecohawk, a member of the Pawnee Tribe and executive director of the *Native American* Rights Fund, has been a leading legal and political ...

## **Martin Luther King & Indigenous Peoples Civil Rights Few know that ...**

[scholar.harvard.edu/.../martin\\_luther\\_king\\_indigenous\\_peoples\\_civil\\_ri...](https://scholar.harvard.edu/.../martin_luther_king_indigenous_peoples_civil_ri...)

Few know that Dr. *Martin Luther King* was a great freedom fighter for *Native Americans* and the horrific mistreatment to them by the U.S. government. King wrote ...

## **The Cherokee leader who paved the way for MLK - Washington Post**

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/.../mlk/.../7325d05c-ffef-11e4-833c-a2...>

May 29, 2015 - To lobby against this separate-but-unequal scheme, Cherokees under Ross started a newspaper, the first ever published by Native Americans.

## **The USA civil rights movement, 1945 to 1995 - IB History**

[ibhistory.wikidot.com/the-usa-civil-rights-movement-1945-to-1995](http://ibhistory.wikidot.com/the-usa-civil-rights-movement-1945-to-1995)

May 5, 2009 - Native-Americans civil rights movement and feminism. 5. .... For over the next decade, MLK Jr. raised awareness of the civil rights and placed its ...

## **\*Surveying The Colorado River**



[Source 1](#)

In 1871, wild west photographer, Timothy O'Sullivan, photographed Lieutenant George Wheeler and his crew as they were conducting a survey of the Colorado River in Black Canyon. Timothy (the photographer) is the fourth man from the left.

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