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Yesterday, President Trump signed an executive order directing Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke to review the designation of Bears Ears National Monument. We need your help protecting this important tribal homeland – find out how below.

Bears Ears, an area in southeast Utah, is filled

with sacred sites, hunting grounds, and medicines that are still used today; it is a place where Native ancestors are buried and to be honored. Despite being such an incredible cultural treasure, the designation as a monument was made only after persistent efforts of many who spoke to the

importance of the region. President Obama designated Bears Ears National Monument after two years of public input and meetings in both Utah and DC. The effort to protect Bears Ears was very long, very public, and very robust, which makes yesterday's order especially offensive.

The stated policy of the order was to review monuments created since 1996 to determine if they were created without "public outreach and proper coordination." To threaten Bears Ears' designation is unjust, but to suggest the Monument needs review to determine if proper outreach was conducted is outrageous and nothing more than pretext to withdraw Bears Ears from monument protection altogether.

"Make no mistake, this order has nothing to do with asking for public input. They got that in creating the Bears Ears Monument. They just don't like the result. This order is about taking away public lands from the American people in order to free them up for resource exploitation," said Natalie Landreth, NARF Staff Attorney.

"Secretary Zinke has not responded to a single letter from the tribes about Bears Ears. We call on Secretary Zinke to honor our tribes, respect tribal sovereignty—as he explicitly said he would do—and protect Bears Ears," said Matthew Campbell, NARF Staff Attorney.

We need to let this administration know that the public has spoken,
and **we want to protect Bears Ears!**

HOW YOU CAN #StandWithBearsEars

Call or write Secretary of Interior Ryan Zinke right now and let him know that Bears Ears is extremely important to Indian Country and the entire nation and should remain protected.

You can write Secretary Zinke at <https://www.doi.gov/contact-us/> or call his office at (202) 208-3100.

Also, sign the petition at the Bears Ears Coalition website at <http://bearscoalition.org/action/>.

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Tune in April 28-29, 2017

[Watch LIVE](#)

A study that claims humans reached the Americas 130,000 years ago - much earlier
than previously suggested - has run into controversy.
www.bbc.com/news/science-environment-39710311

**Susanville Indian Rancheria Hosts Special Showing of Standing Rock Documentary
Friday** The Susanville Indian Rancheria's Tribal...susanvillestuff.com

What's your dream?

It's crazy to think of all the amazing stories that happen as soon as we close our eyes and drift to sleep. It could be in a deep slumber or perhaps in a carefree daze, but our dreams can help shape our ideas, perceptions, and - now - education.

If we had that crazy contraption from "Inception," we could just live the dream with you. But, since we can't, we need you to tell us in our scholarship for dreamers. Did you have a dream that was off-the-wall, or maybe it was so real that you didn't know you were dreaming? Maybe you dream of a successful future or reaching your goals. Whatever your dreams might be, they could help you towards getting a scholarship for your college education.

Scholarships don't have to exist in your rich reveries. Let your dreams be your muse - and your ticket to free money for school. One "dreamer" in our I Have a Dream Scholarship Scholarship will receive \$1,500 to help make his or her educational dream come true.

Applicants must:

- Be thirteen (13) years of age or older at the time of application
- Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia
- Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2024) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education

Submit an online written response to the question:

"We want to know... what do you dream about? Whether it's some bizarre dream you had last week, or your hopes for the future, share your dreams with us for a chance to win \$1,500 for college." (250 words or less)

The I Have a Dream Scholarship winner will be notified by email or phone on or around April 30, 2018.

[Apply now](#)

Award Amount	\$1,500	Application Deadline	January 31, 2018
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Archaeological Dig Supports Heiltsuk First Nation's Oral History

An archaeological site reaffirms what the Heiltsuk First Nation have known all along; their ancestors have lived in the British Columbia area for thousands of years.

In an article posted on [Smithsonian's website](#):

While digging on the Triquet Island, archaeologists unearthed a settlement that dates to the period of the last ice age.

The archaeological team, supported by the Hakai Institute, sifted through meters of soil and peat before hitting upon the charred remains of an ancient hearth. Researchers painstakingly peeled away charcoal flakes, which were then carbon dated. In November, tests revealed that the hearth was some 14,000 years old, indicating that the area in which it was found is one of the oldest human settlements ever discovered in North America. [READ MORE](#)

2nd Annual Tamano Craft Fair

- Tamano means Spring in the Paiute Language -

Date Change
May 12-13, 2017

34 Reservation Road (Reno Gym)
Reno, NV 89502
(Off Interstate 395, take Mill Street or Glendale Off-Ramp on Westside)

Open 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
(Both Days)

Come and support our local and surrounding area Native Craft Vendors!

INDIAN TACOS will be sold!

Vendors interested in reserving a booth space or for more information,
contact Joanne at (775) 442-3939 or via e-mail: tamanocraftfair@gmail.com

First come, First serve!

- Beaded Items - Native Blankets - Native Jewelry - Baked Goods - Native Artwork - Handmade Quilts
- Books & Music, and many one-of-a-kind items!

SBA announces Relaunch of Small Business Technology Coalition

WASHINGTON – The Small Business Technology Coalition, the go-to resource for entrepreneurs seeking to leverage technology, relaunched today with new partners and a greater emphasis on training users to make their businesses more effective and efficient, [Administrator Linda McMahon](#) of the U.S. Small Business Administration announced today.

The Technology Coalition (www.sba.gov/techcoalition) is a public-private partnership that educates users on topics including e-commerce, customer relationships, sales/leads, marketing, social media, cybersecurity and more.

“Public-private partnerships like the Small Business Technology Coalition are the future of the Small Business Administration,” Administrator McMahon said. “The SBA’s Technology Coalition will ensure educational content remains relevant to the technology questions small business owners across America ask every day.”

The Tech Coalition’s newest partners are Animoto, Business Blocks, Dun & Bradstreet, Expensify, GoDaddy, Industry, National Cyber Security Alliance, NerdWallet, Stripe, Townsquared and Wix.

Including the original partners – Bench, Box, Canvas, Dash Data, Facebook, Google, Gusto, Intuit, LegalZoom, LinkedIn, Microsoft, Paychex, Salesforce, Square, Thumbtack, Yelp and Zenefits – the Tech Coalition leads outreach events nationwide and provides webinars and other training resources to help small business owners utilize technology effectively as they start and grow their businesses.

“These partners play a vital role as we work to ensure the Tech Coalition is the best source for small business owners looking to use technology to serve their customers, be more efficient and get paid for their services,” McMahon said. “By leveraging technology companies’ expertise, we are able to help small businesses across the country and drive innovation without expanding government.”

More information on the Small Business Technology Coalition and a list of all partners is available at www.sba.gov/techcoalition .

Privitization of Public Records and Public Access

BY DAVID SNYDER— The California Supreme Court [ruled](#) last month that records stored on government officials’ personal email accounts are subject to the California Public Records Act. This answer seems obvious: government officials should not be able to conceal otherwise public records by simply using Gmail.

And yet the law has been surprisingly slow to recognize this principle. Private email accounts have been in widespread use for almost two decades now, and we know that for just as long government officials have been using such accounts to transact public business.

If the timing of the California Supreme Court’s ruling is any indication, it will take many years for the law to catch up with the information revolution that has so rapidly transformed the way we all create, store and send information. And given that this revolution shows no signs of abating, it’s a safe bet the law will continue to lag.

The consequences of the digital revolution reach beyond the issue of whether “private” emails, texts and Twitter accounts should be accessible to the public. The ability to create, collect and transmit massive amounts of data with little effort has also impacted the efficacy of the federal Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and its state-law equivalents.

Companies, and especially large ones and/or those in tech-focused fields, are much better than most media outlets at using FOIA to request, process and make use of massive data sets. They have the sophisticated software, the resources, and the time and energy wage large and orchestrated campaigns to use FOIA to “mine” government agencies for valuable information--and they have the manpower and money to make use of that information.

There is nothing inherently problematic about corporate use of FOIA as a tool to gain access to government, and there is nothing in FOIA that prevents such use. But corporate America’s unparalleled ability to fully exploit FOIA’s provisions with “data mining” technology, devoted FOIA staff, and teams of lawyers has in effect amounted to a corporate takeover of one of the primary means by which Americans gain direct access to information about their government. [Read More](#)

(Circle of Blue) Water Shorts:

40 hydropower projects Number planned within the Tapajós basin in Brazil. The region's indigenous Mundurucu people [warn the projects will irreparably harm their territory and culture](#), and are asking the international community to hold the Brazilian government accountable on its indigenous rights commitments. *Guardian*

In context: The popularity of big hydropower projects is [diminishing around the world](#).

53 centimeters above average Current water level in Lake Ontario, where [above average rainfall this month threatened to cause flooding](#) along the lake and the St. Lawrence River. The International Joint Commission, which oversees waterways shared by Canada and the United States, said the high water was not due to recent changes in lake level management meant to restore wetlands. *The Daily News ; IJC*

In context: [Plan 2014 places ecosystems at the heart of decisions](#) and tests resolve to restore wetlands.

Pow Wow Sweat Heating Up Across The Nation

Lots of folks are becoming hip to the pow wow fitness craze!

Powwow Sweat was recently featured on the Newsy website as well as NPR's Morning Edition. For these Native Americans, getting healthy means tapping into traditional dance. newsy.com/68566 **READ MORE**

[Order sets up legal showdown with vast lands at stake](#)

President Donald Trump's order for the government to review national monuments created by three of his predecessors sets up a potential legal showdown over whether one chief executive has the power to undo another's decisions. At stake are federal lands revered for their natural beauty and historical significance. The review goes well beyond a few declarations made in the waning months of Barack Obama's term. It covers 24 monuments established by three former pres...

This Saturday, people will be marching in Washington, DC and all across the country to show the world and our leaders that we will resist attacks on our people, our communities, and our planet—in the **People's Climate March**.

Now is the time to come together for our climate.

Join Green America this weekend or next week, wherever you are:

1. [Pre-Climate March Happy Hour at Busboys and Poets \(1025 5th St NW\) in Washington, DC, Friday, April 28, 5-7pm](#)

Meet your fellow Green Americans and our staff. We'll provide appetizers, stickers, and signs you can fill in and bring to the People's Climate March. Plus, you can get your "I am a Green American" T-shirt to wear at the march.

[RSVP so we know how many snacks to buy!](#)

2. People's Climate March, Saturday, April 29—Meet up with fellow Green Americans for the march

11:00 – 11:15 am, at Pret a Manger, 3rd St. & Pennsylvania Ave (301 Pennsylvania Ave). At 11:15, we'll walk over to the Capitol to hear pre-march speakers, and then we'll march together. Wear your Green America T-shirt or wear green!

Green America is an official partner of the [People's Climate March](#).

3. Post-March Town Hall, Wednesday, May 3, 2pm EST

What can we do about climate change after the march? Experts at Green America, **First Nations Development Institute**, and Chesapeake Climate Action Network will give you powerful steps you can take in your home, with your money, and in your community to address climate change. Tune in on Facebook Live, in our office, or by phone.

[RSVP to get connected to the town hall!](#)

Thank you for all you do to create a greener world,

Todd Larsen, Executive Co-Director, Consumer and Corporate Engagement, Green America

["We Can Save Life on Earth": Study Reveals How to Stop Mass Extinction](#)

Morgan Erickson-Davis, Mongabay: The Earth is losing species at a rate about a hundred times faster than historical levels. But a new study aimed to figure out just how much land needs to be protected -- and where protection efforts would best be focused -- may bring hope to safeguarding the world's habitats. [Read the Article](#)

[Trump Takes Aim at Libraries](#)

Akunna Eneh, Socialist Worker: Donald Trump's "America First" budget proposal for 2018 puts working-class communities last, calling for the elimination of several federally supported, independent cultural institutions, including the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS). The IMLS helps fund literacy and technology programs in 123,000 libraries and about 35,000 museums across the US. [Read the Article](#) **

[One Hundred Days of Deconstruction: Part 2](#)

Steven Harper, Moyers & Company: With respect to the US government, the ultimate inside job is well underway. Through key cabinet appointments, Trump is gutting federal agencies that have improved citizens' daily lives in ways that most Americans will no longer take for granted. [Read the Article](#)

[The State of Capitalism -- When and Why Will It End?](#)

Richard D. Wolff, acTVism Munich: In this video, Richard Wolff, Marxist economist and founder of Democracy at Work, talks about capitalism's current and future states. Wolff also explains how changes in how the workplace is organized can play a transformative role, moving us from capitalism toward a more humane and rational system. [Watch the Video](#)

Thought you might like to see this. The highest death rates in the Dakota are the poorest areas in the US. Native American and then the poor areas of Kentucky and West Virginia from poverty and coal I assume. Fascinating report and a graphic oversight by people here. RE

[https://
projects.fivethirtyeight.com/
mortality-rates-united-states/](https://projects.fivethirtyeight.com/mortality-rates-united-states/)

For more information and Camp Registration forms check the [website](#) or contact

Amanda at (602) 279-5262 x 3457 or [email her](#).

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www.nativehealthphoenix.org

MONDAY May 1

Native American Veterans Town Hall with National American Indian Museum, RSTHC, 10 a.m. (Reno Sparks Tribal Health Center)

From Greenwire -- ARIZONA: 1st Native American joins water board

An Arizona lawyer who helped negotiate the largest tribal water agreement in U.S. history has become the first Native American to take a seat on the Central Arizona Water Conservation District's board.

Gov. Doug Ducey (R) appointed Rod Lewis to the board, which oversees almost half of Arizona's Colorado River water allocation.

The Maricopa County seat on the panel was opened by the resignation of Guy Carpenter, and Lewis will have to run for re-election next year if he wants to keep the spot.

Lewis was the lead attorney when the Gila River community won a centurylong battle for water rights in 2004.

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NATIVE HEALTH living well traditionally Diabetes Prevention **Youth Camp**

Tuesday, May 30 – Friday, June 2, 2017
Mingus Mountain Camp and Retreat Center
Prescott National Forest

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"It's important to know that Indian tribes receive almost half of the water from the Central Arizona Project," Lewis said. "And I think tribes, from time to time, have felt that their interests were not being represented."

Lewis was also the first member of an Arizona Indian tribe to become a member of the State Bar of Arizona and the first Native American attorney to appear before the Supreme Court. His 45 years of work have led to water settlements for his own tribe in Arizona as well as the Crow Tribe in Montana and the Pechanga Band of Luiseño Indians in California.

Lewis said he hopes a day comes soon when an appointment like his will seem commonplace, instead of historic.

"Anything that affects tribal land and tribal people we need to be involved at the beginning, not at the end," he said. "Hopefully it's [political activism] spurring a lot of young people to develop some expertise, complete their education, finish college and become attorneys, become energy experts, become water experts, transit experts, and legal experts" (Dianna Nájuez, [Arizona Republic](#), April 3). — SM

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Summary of the Investigative Report of The Kathleen Bennett Story. False Charges continue to imprison a Water Protector.

An 82 Year Old Lakota Elder is Kidnapped by St. Alexus Hospital in Bismarck ND, while her Daughter is imprisoned in Morton County by Falsecharges of Elder Abuse. Kathleen Bennett is in Jail in Morton County North Dakota and faces 15 years in prison.
#FreeKathleenBennett

For the Full story on Kathleen Bennett, go to:
<http://kpppfm.com/uncategorized/a-mexican-crossing-lines-overview-story-special-in-depth-report/>

Also: <http://kpppfm.com/updates-on-standing-rock/>

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Siskiyou Daily News ... including PacifiCorp, the states of Oregon and California, the Karuk Tribe, the ... million expected to come from a *California water* bond under Proposition 1.

[Cal Water offers scholarships](#) Thousand Oaks Acorn

California Water Service is accepting applications from eligible students in its service areas for the company's fourth annual college scholarship cycle. In total ...

Planet Breaches 410 ppm for First Time in Human History

http://www.ecowatch.com/410-ppm-climate-change-2376628163.html?utm_source=EcoWatch+List&utm_campaign=af491d6276-

EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2017_04_12&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_49c7d43dc9-af491d6276-85895669

[Maureen Chiloquin-Katenay](#)

Sad day for public education in the United States. The U.S. House of Representatives has introduced **Bill 610. This bill will effectively start a school voucher system to be used by children ages 5 to 17, and starts the de-funding process of public schools.**

The bill will eliminate the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESSA) of 1965 which is the nation's educational law and provides equal opportunity in education. It is a comprehensive program that covers programs for struggling learners, AP classes, ESL classes, classes for minorities such as Native Americans, Rural Education, Education for the Homeless, School Safety (Gun-Free schools), Monitoring and Compliance and Federal Accountability Programs. The bill also abolishes the Nutritional Act of 2012 (No Hungry Kids Act) which provides nutritional standards in school breakfast and lunch. For our most vulnerable, this may be the ONLY nutritious food they have in a day.

The bill has no wording whatsoever protecting special needs kids, no mention of IDEA and FAPE.

Some things the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESSA) of 1965 does for Children with Disabilities:

- ensures access to the general education curriculum
- ensures access to accommodations on assessments
- ensures concepts of Universal Design for Learning
- includes provisions that require local education agencies to provide evidence-based interventions in schools with consistently under performing subgroups
- requires states in Title I plans to address how they will improve conditions for learning including reducing incidents of bullying and harassment in schools, overuse of discipline practices and reduce the use of aversive behavioral interventions (such as restraints and seclusion).

Please call your representative and ask him/her to vote NO on House Bill 610 (HR 610) introduced by three Republican reps.

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**Joseph Abbie
2017**

September 29, 1945 - April 24,

Joseph Abbie, 71, passed away peacefully at Tahoe Pacific Hospital after being sick for several years. Joe was born on September 29, 1945 in Schurz, NV to Esther Abbie. Joe attended Haskell Indian Nations University in Lawrence, Kansas where he met the love of his life, Emily Walema (Peach Springs, AZ). On December 3, 1966 the two got married in Reno, Nevada; they enjoyed 50 years of marriage. That same year Joe started working for Stewart Indian School. On June 14, 1967 he was drafted into the Army. He served in Vietnam and was honorably discharged. He returned to Stewart Indian School as the supervisor of the boy's dormitory department.

While at Stewart he became a baseball coach. He would go on to coach until the school closed in 1980. Joe then moved his family back to Reno. For a brief time he worked for the University of Nevada Reno as an equipment manager. He then became a supervisor at the Department of Motor Vehicles and retired from there in June of 2006.

Joe was very active in the Reno Sparks Indian Colony Community. He served on the Tribal Council December 19, 1987 through December 12, 2007. He had several hobbies which included hunting, fishing, golfing, pow-wow-ing, coaching, mentoring, traveling, and attending any/all youth extracurricular activities.

He is survived by his wife, Emily Abbie, son Anthony Abbie and daughter-in-law Willett Y. Smith, daughter Amanda Abbie-Hall and his son-in-law Tyree Hall. Granddaughters Vanessa Williams, Charisse Abbie, Troy Anna Foster, Allieghfaye Abbie. Grandsons Lelorrren "JoJo" Sammaripa, Alex Abbie. Great-granddaughters Briallen Williams and Annaleigh Sammaripa, great-grandson Colvin Williams. Brothers Michael, Robert "Lou", Ronald "Diz", Kevin O'Daye, and Everett Smith. Sisters Carol "Noonie" Wyatt, Corry Racine, Cathy Yazzie, Valerie "KDot" Smith. Numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

He is preceded in death by grandparents Tommy and Minnie Smith, father Stressler O'Daye, and brother Kenneth "Hoss" O'Daye.

Joe had a great sense of humor, loved joking and teasing, and loved everything about holidays. He will be greatly missed at family functions and gatherings.

A visitation and viewing is scheduled from 4pm until 7pm, Friday, April 28, 2017 at Walton's - O'Brien-Rogers & Crosby Funeral Home, 600 W. 2nd Street, Reno. A funeral service is scheduled for 10am, Saturday, April 29th at the Reno/Sparks Indian Colony Gym with burial to follow at Nixon Cemetery, Nixon, NV.

- See more at: <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/rgj/obituary.aspx?n=joseph-abbie&pid=185215587&fhid=15281#sthash.eAnGFmC6.dpuf>