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people received either degree . Way to go Lake (2) Tyler Sumpter get his name. So proud of these young people!

**Jeanette Allen**

I was a proud Numu mogone today. Haskell Indian Nations University graduation today and 4 Numu young an Associates degree and Bachelors Walker River (1) Tashina Jim, Pyramid and Mariah Hicks, Bridgeport (1) I didn't

*Other Graduates in other Places: Autumn Harry, Loni Romo, Zach Shaw, Stephen Hunkup*

## Quality Control Time

*Long-time readers know that an “OO” Journal means that I ask (beg, plead, conjole) you to acknowledge receipt of this Journal by emailing something (even “boo” back). That way I know your email address is correct and your server letting issues through. You can/should indicate if content is helpful, pleasing, worthy of “pass on”, boring, off-topic, etc.*

*This also the time to get off the list shall you so choose; as well as to suggest others (send emails) that you think should receive it.*

*At this point, I am also interested in knowing if your community has a 1) renewable resource plan, 2) food stability plan, or a 3) sovereignty plan. (Please advise)*

*I regret to report that California Indian Education is no longer archiving Journals on line but I can provide prior issue. The have also disassembled the search engine. Stay tuned.*

*And I would be remiss if I failed to thank all of you that (some prodigious; others occasional) that send articles, ideas and information you want shared. Thanks; it is appreciated. sdc*

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## **Dakota Access Pipeline: The Land Beneath the Lake**

**[Try watching this video on www.youtube.com](#), or enable JavaScript if it is disabled in your browser. [Watch The Center for Investigative Reporting Video at BuzzFlash](#)**

## **But Wait, US Bank Has Not Stopped Funding Pipelines**

**Members of Mazaska Talks, YES! Magazine:** US Bank is behind many oil giants, including Enbridge, Energy Transfer Partners, Phillips 66 and Marathon, all of which own major stakes in the Dakota Access pipeline. So while they may not be providing project-level loans, US Bank is certainly responsible for the continuing construction of thousands of pipelines. [Read the Article](#)

## **Civil case against Archambault dismissed by federal judge**

A federal judge dismissed the civil suit filed by Dakota Access against the Standing Rock tribal chairman and four other defendants. [bismarcktribune.com](#)

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## **Recovering Voices - About Us**

**Recovering Voices** is a collaborative initiative of the [National Museum of Natural History](#), the [National Museum of the American Indian](#), and the [Center for Folklife and Cultural Heritage](#).

## **Our Mission**

The Recovering Voices mission is to collaborate with communities worldwide to sustain and celebrate linguistic and cultural diversity.

Recovering Voices will achieve this mission through the following four activities:

- **Methodology:** Recovering Voices develops, refines, adapts and shares a [research methodology](#) that links communities, collections and experts.

- **Community Collaboration:** Recovering Voices collaborates with communities to identify, share, and return cultural heritage and knowledge held by the Smithsonian and other institutions.
- **Outreach:** Recovering Voices transforms public understanding and discourse around the value of language, knowledge, and culture.
- **Capacity and Alignment:** Recovering Voices reflects upon and refines our process and interactions with our partners to optimize our resources, capacity, and relationships and thereby maximize our impact.

Want to know more? [Download our Brochure.](#)

*“In the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma, our language is being reintroduced to the community using written documentation collected a century or more ago. Language revitalization goes hand-in-hand with cultural revitalization, strengthening traditional ways of thinking about our people, place, and relationships.”* Tim McCoy, Citizen, Miami Tribe of Ok/Smithsonian Geologist.

### Resources & Support

The Smithsonian offers a diverse set of resources to encourage language and knowledge research, documentation and revitalization. These include our extensive internal collections and archives, with online catalogs accessible from [Smithsonian Collections](#). We are also compiling additional information on other archives, training & research, conferences and funding on our [external resources page](#). There are a number of [programs](#) and [fellowships](#) available to support research at the Smithsonian.

To learn more about the work we do, you can view photos, recordings, or video of presentations, symposia, and other related events on our [Multimedia](#) page, and visit [Press](#) to check out what’s been happening in the news with Recovering Voices. <http://recoveringvoices.si.edu/index.htm>

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### California to be at 50% Renewable Energy by 2030

By John Addison

In addition to meeting traditional electricity needs for homes and buildings, demand for electricity is growing with increased population, economic growth, water pumping, recycling and desalination, and millions traveling in electric cars, buses and rail. Although California has only 13 percent of the nation’s population, it has half the nation’s solar power, half the grid storage, and half the electric vehicles. California is on track to use 50 percent renewables in 12 years. Today, California is coal free and nuke free, generating 40 percent of electricity from solar, wind, geothermal, and hydropower. Wind and solar power are being added, often for less than four cents per kilowatt-hour. Renewables, energy efficiency, energy storage, microgrids, and software are enablers of the transition from fossil fuels to clean energy. [Continue Reading](#)

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### News from Meeting of the Minds:

- **CityMinded.org is now MeetingoftheMinds.org.** All of the great content from CityMinded.org has been moved to our new website and domain, [MeetingoftheMinds.org](#).
- Our **June webinar** is on June 14 at 10am PDT and features presenters from Oracle and the Cordoba Corporation. Join us for [Automation and Coordination Tools for More Effective City Project Delivery](#).

- **Scholarships for low- or no-cost registrations to our Annual Summit are available.** Public sector and non-profit leaders, entrepreneurs, women and minorities are encouraged to apply. [Please complete the application at this link.](#)

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## News from the Roundhouse

The Roundhouse is ecstatic about the upcoming release of two California Indian titles. The first is the 35th anniversary edition of the Heyday classic [The Way We Lived](#). This edition features a brand new foreword by Michael Connolly Miskwish of the Campo Kumeyaay Nation. It is currently available for preorder and will be available to ship out on June 1. The next title is [How a Mountain Was Made](#) authored by Greg Sarris, Chairman for the Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria. This book, which features stories of Sonoma Mountain in Northern California, will ship on October 10. See the full California Indian list [here](#).

The Fall 2017 issue of *News from Native California* is starting to come together. We have been gathering submissions from tribal people across the state who are giving voice to the impacts their ancestors faced during the time of the California Gold Rush. You can look for this issue in July. Order a subscription today at [NewsfromNativeCalifornia.com](#).

If you're in Tuolumne for the 15th annual California Indian Market on Saturday, May 20, please stop by the Roundhouse table. We will have Heyday titles and copies of the 30th anniversary (Spring 2017) issue of *News* available for sale.

Finally, a retrospective exhibit featuring highlights of 30 years of cover art from *News from Native California* will be up at the Maidu Museum & Historic Site until August 15. Find more information [here](#).

[How a Mountain Was Made](#), a new book of stories by acclaimed author Greg Sarris ( *Grand Avenue* and *Mabel McKay: Weaving the Dream*).

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## [Reports: Climate is shrinking West water supply](#) [The Journal](#)

The Colorado River and other crucial sources of water in the West are declining, thanks ... Arizona, California and Nevada have been negotiating to reduce

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## [Controversial California Water Project Has New Life In Trump Era](#) [HuffPost](#)

Cadiz Inc., which has long sought the federal government's green light to pump groundwater from the Mojave Desert and pipe it to Southern California, has seen the project's prospects brighten under the Trump administration. ... Read the full story

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## **TMWA Board Debates Wastewater To Tahoe Reno Industrial Center**

May 18, 2017

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**By Carla O'Day** | The Truckee Meadows Water Authority board voted Wednesday to move forward with an agreement to allow an industrial facility in Storey County to use effluent from a reclamation plant, which utility officials say will keep undesirable water out of the river.

The Tahoe Reno Industrial General Improvement District plans to use treated liquid waste from the Truckee Meadows Water Reclamation Facility for industrial purposes.

**“When tax packages for abatements were put together out there, nothing was done for Reno and supporting communities.” [READ MORE](#)**

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### **Four Not-So-Easy Ways to Dismantle Racism in the Food System**

**Leah Penniman, YES! Magazine:** As we work toward a racially just food system, abandoning the "colonizer" mentality that first created the problems is crucial. The communities at the front lines of food justice are composed of Black, Latino and Indigenous people, refugees and immigrants, and people criminalized by the penal system. We need to follow the lead of those directly affected by the issues. [Read the Article](#)

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### **Trump Plans to Slash Renewable Energy Budget by 70%**

*Andrea Germanos, Common Dreams*

Germanos writes: "The Trump administration is planning to put the U.S. Department of Energy's budget for its renewable energy and energy efficiency program on the chopping block with a proposal to slash it by 70 percent." [READ MORE](#)

### **Thanks to global warming, Antarctica is starting to turn green**

The Washington Post

It could be the start of a march 'backward in geologic time,' scientists say, to an era in which the icy continent actually featured trees. [Read the full story](#)

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### **Lorenzo Quinn <https://www.instagram.com/p/BUM7h7qFu14/?taken-by=lorenzoquinnartist>**

A vital message has risen up from the Grand Canal in Venice. Two, 5,000 pound hands appear to be gripping the walls of the historic Ca' Sagredo Hotel echoing the [warning](#) of experts that say "The Floating City" could sink in as little as 100 years.

Internationally renowned Italian artist Lorenzo Quinn [unveiled](#) his new sculpture, *Support*, to serve as a call to "protect our planet" and "our national heritage sites."

"Venice is a floating art city that has inspired cultures for centuries, but to continue to do so it needs the support of our generation and future ones, because it is threatened by [climate change](#) and time decay," Quinn said.

Experts say Venice and much of Italy's Adriatic coastline is at risk of disappearing from [sea level rise](#). According to scientists from Italy and France, the Mediterranean will rise by up to five feet (140cm) before 2100, putting Venice and many other areas at risk.

The sculpture is in the shape of two childlike hands, modeled after his son's hands. Quinn hopes his installation will "speak to the people in a clear, simple and direct way through the innocent hands of a child" and send a powerful message that "united we can make a stand to curb climate change."

Quinn explained that he used hands to "symbolize tools that can both destroy the world, but also have the capacity to save it." The hands appear to be holding up the building, which draws

attention to the fragile nature of the infrastructure and the impact climate change can have on the city.

*Support* was unveiled on May 13 and will be on view until Nov. 26.

[lorenzoquinnartist Ca' Sagredo Hotel](#)

A big thank you to all for your comments and likes. It's been overwhelming. I wish I could thank each and everyone of you individually. This sculpture 'Support' placed in Venice at Ca' Sagredo, coinciding with the opening of the Venice Biennale, wants to speak to the people in a clear, simple and direct way through the innocent hands of a child and it evokes a powerful message which is that united we can make a stand to curb the climate change that affects us all. We must all collectively think of how we can protect our planet and by doing that we can protect our national heritage sites... Support our planet support our heritage! A warm hug, Lorenzo THE INSTALLATION WILL BE AT CA' SAGREDO UNTIL NOVEMBER 26th  
May. 17, 2017 03:49PM EST

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[Residents Sue to Block 3.6 Million Pounds of Highly Radioactive Nuclear Waste From Being Stored Near California Beach](#)

Environmental activists in California are fighting plans to store 3.6 million pounds of highly radioactive [nuclear](#) waste on a popular beach in San Diego County.

In 2012, a [radioactive leak](#) at the San Onofre nuclear power plant forced an emergency shutdown. The plant was fully closed by June 2013. Now residents are fighting the permit issued by the California Coastal Commission to store the millions of pounds of nuclear waste in thin, stainless steel canisters, within 100 feet of the ocean.

We speak to Ray Lutz, founder of [Citizens' Oversight](#), which has filed a lawsuit challenging the expansion of the nuclear waste storage facility.

Watch the interview below:

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Center for Biological Diversity

[Trump's Wall Threatens 93 Endangered Species](#)

President Trump's [border wall](#) threatens 93 endangered and threatened species, including jaguars, ocelots, Mexican gray wolves and cactus ferruginous pygmy owls, according to a [new study](#) by the [Center for Biological Diversity](#)

"Here's to Richard Oakes, for his unwavering dedication to his community and social justice," [Google writes.](#)

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**PowWow Calendar** (Just click on title or “information”)

- May 25 - 28, 2017**    [2017 Four Bears Pow Wow](#)    [More Information »](#)
- June 2 - 4, 2017**    [2nd Annual Fargo Moorhead Crossroads Pow Wow](#) [More Information](#)
- June 16 - 18, 2017**    [Twin Buttes Celebration](#)    [More Information »](#)
- June 2 - 4, 2017**    [Saa Gii Ba Gaa Traditional Powwow](#)
- June 2 - 4, 2017**    [Taylorville Blackhorse Pow Wow](#)
- June 3 - 4, 2017**    [14th Peace River Pow Wow & 22nd Aboriginal Gathering](#)
- June 3 - June 4**    [Delaware River Bears Circle Inter Tribal Festival Pow Wow](#)  
[Margaretville, NY](#)    [Find More Information »](#)
- June 3 - June 4**    [36th Annual Yuba-Sutter Pow Wow](#) [Yuba City, CA](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 3 - June 4**    [Rumbles Of Thunder Pow Wow](#)    [Osceola, IN](#)  
[Thunderbolt Chickamauga Indian Nation – All Nations Welcome!](#) [Find More Information](#)
- June 4**    [Drums Along the Hudson: A Native American & Multicultural Celebration](#) [NYC, NY](#)    [Find More Information »](#)
- June 8**    [8th Annual Seven Oaks Traditional Graduation Pow Wow](#)  
[Winnipeg, Manitoba](#)    [Find More Information »](#)
- June 10 - 11**    [Gathering of Great Lakes Nations Pow Wow](#)    [Portland, IN](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 10 - June 11**    [Mother Earth 17th Annual Indian Festival](#)    [Whitney Point, NY](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 10 - June 11**    [Spirit of the people gathering](#) [Peebles, OH](#) [Find More Information »](#)
- June 10 - June 11**    [1st Annual Four Directions Strawberry Moon Pow Wow](#) [Union City, GA](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 10 - June 11**    [43rd ANNUAL NATIVE AMERICAN POWWOW AND CRAFT FAIR](#)    [Attleboro, MA](#)    [Find More Information »](#)
- June 10**    [9th Annual Colorado Springs Powwow](#)    [Colorado Springs, CO](#)  
All proceeds are used by One Nation to provide for the daily needs of Native Americans on Reservations in an 8 state area.  
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- June 10 - June 11** [Nanticoke Leni-Lenape 38th Annual Pow-Wow](#) [Woodstown, NJ](#)  
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- June 11 - June 12** [San Luis Rey Inter Tribal Pow Wow](#) Oceanside, CA  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [26th Annual Grand Hinckley Celebration Pow Wow](#) [Hinckley, MN](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [Chief Joseph & Warriors Memorial](#) [Lapwai, ID](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [4th Annual Veterans Pow Wow](#) [Mt. Airy, NC](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [Honoring Our Ancestors 13th Annual Intertribal Powwow](#)  
Wayne Township, OH  
The Powwow is being sponsored by the United Eastern Lenape Nation.  
We are a Traditional Non-competition Powwow. There will be Drumming,  
Singing, Dancing and Specialty... [Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [Soaring Spirit](#) [Hamilton, ON](#) [Find More Information »](#)
- June 16 - June 18** [Twin Buttes Celebration](#) [Twin Buttes,ND](#) [More Information »](#)
- June 17 - June 19** [Osage River Pow Wow](#) [Tuscumbia, MO](#) [Find More Information »](#)
- June 17 - June 18** [Stephenson 5th Annual Family Pow Wow](#) [Anadarko, OK](#)  
[Find More Information »](#)
- June 17 - June 18** [Baby Bison Days 2017](#) [Cadiz, OH](#) [Find More Information »](#)
- June 17 - June 18** [36th Annual Plains Indian Museum Pow Wow](#) [Cody, WY](#)  
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- June 17 - June 18** [36th Annual Plains Indian Museum Powwow](#) [Cody, WY](#)  
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- June 18 - June 19** [Raritan Native American Heritage Celebration And Pow Wow](#)  
East Brunswick, NJ  
Raritan Native American Heritage Celebration & Pow Wow is a full  
contest Pow Wow attracting over 500 Native American artists, educators,  
singers, dancers... [Find More Information »](#)
- June 23 - June** [8th Annual Traditional Pow Wow](#) [Thief River Falls, MN](#)  
<http://www.sevenclanscasino.com/warroad-calendar/8th-annual-traditional-powwow>  
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**Reno, Nev. May 19, 2017.** The Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District (TMFPD), firefighters from Local 3895, and Washoe County Regional Parks would like to remind residents there is one week left to enroll for the fourth annual **Kids' Fire Camp**. The three day kids' camp is open to adventurous boys and girls ages 11-14 who are interested in the fire service.

Interested individuals are encouraged to submit an application no later than Friday, May 26, 2017. For more information about Kids' Fire Camp 2017 or application questions, visit [www.tmfpd.us](http://www.tmfpd.us) or contact Camp Coordinator Maureen O'Brien at [mobrien@tmfpd.us](mailto:mobrien@tmfpd.us) or (775) 328-3605.

The Kids' Fire Camp will be held at Camp WeChMe at Galena Creek Park, June 13-15, 2017. The kids will stay overnight June 13 & 14.

**Who:** Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District, Local 3895 & Washoe County Regional Parks presents Kids' Fire Camp.

**What:** Kids ages 11-14 will learn about back country survival, firefighting, rescue techniques, water safety and CPR awareness.

**Where:** Camp WeChMe at Galena Creek Park, 18350 Mt. Rose Highway.

**When:** June 13-15, 2017.

**Cost:** \$99 per child; scholarships are available, space is limited.

**How to submit an application by May 26, 2017:** Visit our [website](http://www.tmfpd.us) or call (775) 328-3605.

**Information about the camp:** Attendees will learn CPR awareness, water safety, back country survival, firefighting and rescue techniques, as well as participate in daily physical fitness activities. All activities will take place in a safe, friendly, fast-paced and competitive atmosphere and all instruction will be provided by active duty fire personnel from TMFPD. [Watch a video from last year's kid camp here.](#)

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**“Summer”**

**Pic from Laurel Weaver**



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**How Unprofessional Development Inspires Creativity, Collaboration and Community Service in Classrooms**

**Cat Johnson, Shareable:** In 2015, teacher Christina Jenkins joined designer Emily Pilloton to create Unprofessional Development, a program that teaches educators how to bring purposeful design, building and community engagement to their own teaching practice. In this interview, Jenkins discusses the vision for the project. [Read the Interview](#)



We at the Southwest Energy Efficiency Project (SWEEP) and the Clean Energy Project are promoting **zero-emission school transportation at the Nevada Legislature this upcoming Monday, May 22**, and the morning of May 23. Funding for electric school bussess may be available through the funds derived from the settlment with VW. School administrators, school teachers, PTAs, others concerned with air quality are all encouraged to come check it out. The electric school bus will be parked in front of the southwest side of the legislative building on the Nevada Assembly side. We're doing photos and media from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., but the bus and information will be there all day. Thanks

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**Hilarious Winners of the First Annual ‘Comedy Wildlife Photography Awards’**

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