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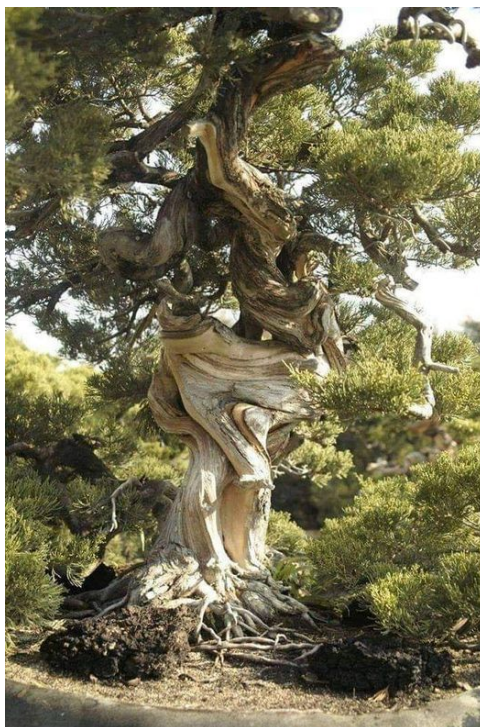
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Our Environment by the Numbers



“The twisted tree lives its life, while the straight tree ends up in planks.” - Chinese proverb



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[A white whale has been spotted off the Victorian coast, but we don't know if it's 'rock star'](#)

[Migaloo yet](#)

[Humpbacks have started their journey from Antarctica to Queensland's 'whale disco' early, with perhaps the species' most famous member, Migaloo, and his mate Milo among them.](#)



[Cyndi James](#)

You have already encountered them when lifting a brick or a damp object, you may even have felt disgust, and even wondered what nature was wanting in creating them.

Well, **omniscids**, are a suborder of terrestrial isopod crustaceans, whose function in evolution is to eliminate heavy metals such as mercury, cadmium and lead, which are extremely harmful to humans, contributing to the cleaning of soil and groundwater. (Don't kill them, don't crush them, pass this along)

Bancada Ecosystema Adaptado : By Nando Goulart

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[Census To Release 1st Results That Shift Electoral College, House Seats](#)

[The Census Bureau is set to announce state population counts from its 2020 tally at a 3 p.m. ET press conference. The counts are used to determine representation in Congress and the Electoral College.](#)



"We were told that we would see America come and go. In a sense America is dying, from within, because they forgot the instructions of how to live on earth. It's the Hopi belief, it's our belief, that if you are not spiritually connected to the earth, and understand the spiritual reality of how to live on earth, it's likely that you will not make it.

Everything is spiritual, everything has a spirit, everything was brought here by the creator, the one creator. Some people call him God, some people call him Buddha, some people call him Allah, some people call him other names. We call him Tunkaschila... Grandfather.

We are here on earth only a few winters, then we go to the spirit world. The spirit world is more real than most of us believe.

The spirit world is everything. Over 95% of our body is water. In order to stay healthy you've got to drink good water. ... Water is sacred, air is sacred.

Our DNA is made out of the same DNA as the tree, the tree breaths what we exhale, we need what the tree exhales. So we have a common destiny with the tree.

We are all from the earth, and when earth, the water, the atmosphere is corrupted, then it will create its own reaction. The mother is reacting.

In the Hopi prophecy they say the storms and floods will become greater. To me it's not a negative thing to know that there will be great changes. It's not negative, it's evolution. When you look at it as evolution, it's time, nothing stays the same. You should learn how to plant something. That is the first connection.

You should treat all things as spirit, realize that we are one family. It's never something like the end. It's like life, there is no end to life."

-Floyd Red Crow Westerman

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[**Erdogan threatens to recognise US genocide of Native Americans in response to Armenia ruling**](#)

[**'It is a shameful moment in US history,' says Turkish president**](#)

GrantStation

W.K. Kellogg Foundation

In 2020, community was more important than ever.

Mr. Kellogg described “community” as “cooperative planning, intelligent study and group action.” Last year, WKKF grantees lived that legacy. Learn how their work built relationships and shared purpose to create tangible change on the ground in communities across the country.

<http://wkkf.co/AR-Community>

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

Applications Due May 18, 2021: Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants

Applications Due June 9, 2021: Digital Projects for the Public

Applications Due July 15, 2021: Humanities Collections and Reference Resources

National Historical Publications and Records Commission

Final Deadline: June 9, 2021: Archives Collaboratives

For projects to plan and develop a working collaborative designed to enhance the capacity of small and diverse organizations with historical records collections.

Preliminary Proposal Deadline: February 25, 2021

Final Deadline: July 13, 2021 Access to Historical Records: Major Initiatives

For projects that will significantly improve public discovery and use of major historical records collections. This program has two phases. You must submit a Preliminary Proposal. Selected applicants will then be invited to submit a Final Proposal.

Final Deadline: June 9, 2021: State Board Programming Grants

For projects that strengthen the nation’s archival network through activities undertaken by state historical records advisory boards.

May 11: Native Hawaiian Library Services This program is designed to assist Native Hawaiian libraries in improving core library services for their communities

May 11: Native American Library Services: Enhancement Grants This program is designed to assist Native American tribes in improving core library services for their communities

FY 2021 Native Hawaiian Library Services Grants Program Applicant Webinar

View the FY 2021 Native Hawaiian Library Services Grants New Applicant recorded webinar to learn more about the program

FY 2021 Native American Library Services Enhancement Grants Applicant Webinar

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National Opportunities

Support for Impactful Mental Health Solutions for Youth

The Morgan Stanley Alliance for Children's Mental Health Innovation Awards program aims to fund mental healthcare solutions for children and young adults across the United States.

Citizen Education and Voter Participation Efforts Funded

The Herb Block Foundation is committed to defending the basic freedoms guaranteed all Americans, combating all forms of discrimination and prejudice, and improving the conditions of the poor and underprivileged.

Grants Focus on Increasing Police Accountability and Transparency

The Communities Transforming Policing Fund works to resource local communities impacted by deadly and discriminatory policing practices to build power, increase police accountability and transparency, and redefine safety.

Awards for Excellence in Skilled Trades Education

Harbor Freight Tools for Schools, a program of The Smidt Foundation, is dedicated to the advancement of skilled trades education in America.

Regional Opportunities

Social and Economic Justice Initiatives in the Southeast U.S. Supported

The Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation partners with organizations and networks working to alleviate poverty and increase social and economic justice in eleven Southeastern states.

Youth, Sports, and Education Programs in Arizona Funded

The mission of Fiesta Bowl Charities is to enhance the lives of Arizonans through youth, sports, and education.

Grants Foster Statewide Quality of Life in Oklahoma

The mission of the Sarkeys Foundation is to improve the quality of life in Oklahoma.

Support for Grassroots Black-Led Organizations in California

The purpose of the California Black Freedom Fund is to invest in the power and capacity of nonprofit organizations to support structural policy changes that will improve the health, safety, and economic well-being of Black communities in California.

Federal Opportunities

Program Seeks to Improve Senior Nutrition

The Innovations in Nutrition Programs and Services—Community Research initiative supports research and documentation of innovative and promising practices that have the potential to enhance the quality, effectiveness, and proven outcomes of nutrition services programs within the aging services network.

[Local Terrorism Prevention Activities Funded](#)

The Targeted Violence and Terrorism Prevention Grant Program provides funding to implement local prevention frameworks and explore innovative prevention approaches

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[Vilcek Prizes for Creative Promise](#)

The Vilcek Prizes for Creative Promise honor foreign-born individuals living in the United States who have demonstrated outstanding early achievement in their careers. For 2021, awards of \$50,000 each will be made in Biomedical Science and Dance. [Learn more](#) about the award guidelines and application process.

[Indigenous Data Sovereignty and Breaking the Cycle of History](#)

by Sid Davis



Eighty percent of U.S. adults are concerned about how companies use their digital data. Now imagine that what's been mined was not your data, but your blood, and it was done without any consent at all. We discuss the emerging concept of Indigenous Data Sovereignty with Raymond Foxworth and Cheryl Ellenwood.

Judge Halts Trump Era Mining Project in Cabinet Mountains Wilderness

Matthew Brown, The Idaho Statesman

Brown writes: "A judge has struck down the government's approval of the first phase of a long-stalled copper and silver mine that an Idaho company would construct beneath a northwestern Montana wilderness."

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Scholarships (K-O) with May 15-31 Deadlines

Kantner Foundation Scholarship	\$3,000	05/31/2021
Larry F. Ball Memorial Scholarship	\$4,000	05/31/2021
LGBTQA+ Fashion Scholarship	\$1,000	05/30/2021
Lisa Michelle Memorial Fund	\$1,000	05/31/2021
LiveLikeLyly Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	05/31/2021
Maine Grocers & Food Producers Association Scholarship	\$1,000	05/23/2021
Mary "Alane" Marks Memorial Scholarship	\$2,000	05/28/2021
Mary Rita Batesole Environmental Education Scholarship	\$1,000	05/31/2021
May C. Randazzo Memorial Scholarship	\$2,000	05/31/2021
Mercatus Joseph Schumpeter Fellowship	\$1,000	05/31/2021
Merchants Exchange of Portland Scholarship Fund	\$2,000	05/31/2021
Mhari Saito Scholarship	Varies	05/31/2021
Miss Utility Scholarship Program	\$1,008	05/28/2021
NAAMLP Land Reclamation Scholarship	\$2,500	05/31/2021
NACIS Student Scholarship in Cartography	\$1,000	05/31/2021
National Aviation Explorer Scholarships	\$10,000	05/31/2021
National Ocean Scholar Program	Varies	05/25/2021
Navajo Generating Station Navajo Scholarship	Varies	05/22/2021
NBCUniversal Tony Coelho Media Scholarship	\$5,625	05/21/2021
NCJW LA Scholarship Program	\$5,000	05/26/2021
Nebraska Logistics Council Scholarship	\$500	05/17/2021
NEWH Sunshine Scholarship	Varies	05/28/2021
NPG Essay Scholarship Contest	\$2,500	05/16/2021
Ofield Dukes Multicultural Student Award	\$1,000	05/31/2021
Oregon Music Hall of Fame Scholarship	\$2,500	05/21/2021

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[Distinctly Montana](#)

"Many Indian men turned to art as a means to chronicle this complicated and complex time in their tribes' histories. The pictorial art of the last nomadic warriors of the western plains is known as Ledger Art."



How to Live a Zero-Waste Life, According to Three Experts

<https://katiecouric.com/news/how-to-live-a-zero-waste-life-according-to-three-experts/?fbclid=IwAR3O-BGz0AzmtsevelAbK61NIU-VfWra2m8PvoW-MOUU3pCtt2jRITbaeV0>

Zero-waste living means reducing your waste, but also not wasting your life away. Plastic is mother nature's non-renewable resource, and time is ours. Let's not waste either one.

[US West prepares for possible 1st water shortage declaration](#) [ABC News, 4/19/21](#)

The man-made lakes that store water supplying millions of people in the U.S. West and Mexico are projected to shrink to historic lows in the coming months, dropping to levels that could trigger the federal government's first-ever official shortage declaration and prompt cuts in Arizona and Nevada.



Using "native american" or "Indian" as search terms, check out <https://www.smithsonianmag.com/search/?q=native%20american>



Join us at the upcoming virtual launch event for the **Northern California Apprentice Network** on **Thursday, April 29** from 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. For years, the Bay Area Council and our partners across the region have been working to expand apprenticeships to meet Governor Newsom's goal of reaching 500,000 apprentices in California by 2029. Apprenticeships are a time-tested model that open the door to a more diverse and equitable workforce, leveraging business as a central player in the training process. As we face an immense need to retrain the workforce, it is an opportunity for business to lead the way. Will you join us?

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Alright detectives, we need your help! We have some old family photos that were never picked up. We have some that are as old as the 1950s, and we have some from the early 2000s, and we

have everything in between. Come and see if you recognize any names or faces so we can return them to their rightful owners! 🦋🦋

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An office building in Grand Junction is currently the headquarters for the U.S. Bureau of Land Management. Other tenants in the building include Chevron and the...See More



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[In exchange with Lee, Haaland noncommittal on BLM HQ | Nevada Current](#)

[In her first congressional hearing as the leader of the Interior Department, Secretary Deb Haaland fielded questions from members of a U.S. House spending panel Tuesday on the major conservation and energy initiatives that President Joe Biden has outlined. She was noncommittal about some contentious...](#)

[Truckee Meadows Regional Planning Agency](#)

TMRPA is issuing a Request for Qualifications for consulting services to assist in the development of a Natural Resources Plan. TMRPA is inviting consultants to respond to this RFQ. For more information and further details please visit: <http://tmrpa.org/rfq/>

We are excited to get started on this process to develop a Natural Resources Plan that will further inform future planning decisions. TMRPA will facilitate a cooperative approach to developing a plan that addresses natural resources regionally. As part of this effort a map will be created identifying various natural resource areas that should be protected as well as the development of conservation policies to incorporate in our Truckee Meadows land use planning.

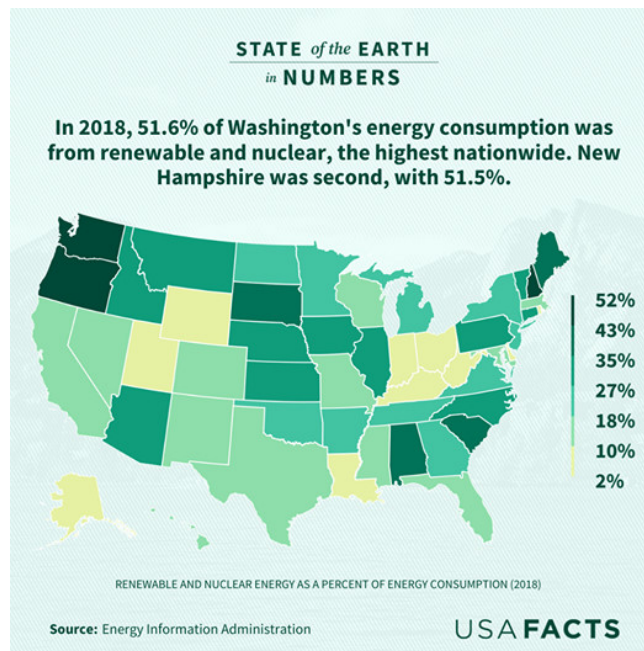
[‘Everyone Loses’: The Government Is Rationing Water at the California-Oregon Border](#)

[Madeleine Gregory, Vice, 4/26/21](#)

Along the Oregon-California border, the Klamath River Basin is a crucial water source for Indigenous tribes, endangered species, and farmers. This year, though, there is simply not enough to go around. The Western US is enduring another [major drought](#), and the Klamath River Basin is at a historic low. This resulted in different groups being forced to compete and make their case for why water, now precious and scarce, should be diverted to their needs. It's a stark reminder of the tough, no-win decisions that citizens will continue to face amid the worsening climate crisis.

[Victory Logistics District breaks ground on a 4,300 acre master-planned, rail-served industrial district in Northern Nevada.](#)

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