Western Regional Partnership

**January 2022 Updates**

WRP sends out monthly updates on agency efforts relevant to the WRP Mission. This includes publicly available information from WRP Partners and agency news releases, etc. to assist to create greater awareness of current WRP Partner actions. If you have any updates you would like to share, please email that information to amyduffy@westernregionalpartnership.org.

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# WRP Updates

Deep-dive calls, in support of current **WRP Priority on Building Resilience**, are being held with subject matter experts on resilient energy infrastructure, resiliency of airspace, disaster mitigation and water security. Other webinar and Committee calls are in process of being confirmed; details forthcoming. Upcoming WRP Activities (please contact amyduffy@westernregionalpartnership.org for more information):

* February 9: WRP SC call focused on Infrastructure Bill
* February 14: WRP Resilient Energy Infrastructure Deep-Dive Call
* February 16: WRP Disaster Mitigation Deep-Dive Call
* February 22: WRP Resiliency of Airspace call (full team)
* February 25: WRP Tribal Engagement Temporary Working Group Call
	+ **10:00 to 11:30 am Pacific**.Featured presentations include: **Tribal Energy and Mineral Development Grant Opportunities** by Jennifer Reimann, Branch Chief, Renewable and Distributed Generation, Division of Energy and Mineral Development, BIA; and **Current and future impacts of a changing climate in agriculture, forests and water resources of the Southwestern United States** by Dr. Emile Elias, Director, USDA Southwest Climate Hub and Dr. Steven Ostoja, Director, USDA California Climate Hub.
	+ If you havent yet, please click [here](https://wrpinfo.org/rsvp/?meetingId=63636) to RSVP.
* March 8: WRP Water Security Deep-Dive
* March 24: WRP SC Call with Committee Co-Chairs and GIS Liaisons
* March 25: WRP Tribal Engagement Temporary Working Group Call

Past WRP Webinars:

* [**October 26: WRP’s October 26th webinar on Groundwater-Surface Water Interface**](https://wrpinfo.org/meetings/wrp-s-october-26th-webinar-on-groundwater-surface-water-interface/)**:**  <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/peajshddahqt/>
* **September 16: WRP Energy Committee Webinar on Black Sky/Black Start:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/pu42y2go4il3/>
* **February 4th Water Resource Management Strategies Webinar:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/paaydnqwd88p/>
* **December 14: Water Security Policy Planning and Implementation Webinar:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/p40giu27h4yq/>
* **December 8: Western Regional Partnership (WRP) webinar featuring Tribal Resilient Energy Infrastructure**
* **Oct 15:Fort Huachuca Sentinel Landscape/Partnership Water Efforts Webinar:**<https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/pghxl2u51kw2/>
* **Oct 22:Collaborative Tools for Resolving Water Disputes Webinar:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/p2xo9dnevhuc/>
* **June 11: Resiliency of Airspace Webinar:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/pu2gu1ldj21e/>
* **June 12: WRP’s June 12th webinar on Disaster Mitigation:** <https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/pq9huy66zgwm/>

# Energy

## **Federal Updates**

* [Congress Concerned Over Crypto's 'Massive' Energy Needs](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26448090.34268/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vZW1lcmdpbmctdGVjaC8yMDIyLzAxL2NvbmdyZXNzLWNvbmNlcm5lZC1vdmVyLWNyeXB0b3MtbWFzc2l2ZS1lbmVyZ3ktbmVlZHMvMzYxMDA4Lz9vcmVmPW5leHRnb3ZfdG9kYXlfbmw/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B59d1cba9)
* [FACT SHEET: Biden-⁠Harris Administration races to deploy clean energy that creates jobs and lowers costs](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTQuNTE4MzU2ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy53aGl0ZWhvdXNlLmdvdi9icmllZmluZy1yb29tL3N0YXRlbWVudHMtcmVsZWFzZXMvMjAyMi8wMS8xMi9mYWN0LXNoZWV0LWJpZGVuLWhhcnJpcy1hZG1pbmlzdHJhdGlvbi1yYWNlcy10by1kZXBsb3ktY2xlYW4tZW5lcmd5LXRoYXQtY3JlYXRlcy1qb2JzLWFuZC1sb3dlcnMtY29zdHMvIn0.n8dIoSIHz3NGiF6bGlHLgWzbYVt5p2GVKH5nb8VZNcM/s/854461416/br/125046644282-l)

**DOE**

* [Chapter 2: Geothermal Takes the Stage](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDEuNTI3Mjg1NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvYXJ0aWNsZXMvY2hhcHRlci0yLWdlb3RoZXJtYWwtdGFrZXMtc3RhZ2UifQ.2vlpzf9ryizZpXrHT7Yt5ye2em16C3PnKKSxRXXumns/s/1420386858/br/125977686736-l). Catch up by reading [Chapter 1](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDEuNTI3Mjg1NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2Ntcy5kb2UuZ292L2VlcmUvYXJ0aWNsZXMvZ2VvdGhlcm1hbC1yZW5ld2FibGUtZW5lcmd5cy1yaXNpbmctc3RhciJ9.PXyY24SdYhdvTwHjRVVbVL6wwjZV7IMRpl3ju8DuzVs/s/1420386858/br/125977686736-l)! Among numerous highlights in the National Renewable Energy Laboratory’s recently published [Geothermal Power Production and District Heating Market Report](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDEuNTI3Mjg1NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2Ntcy5kb2UuZ292L2VlcmUvYXJ0aWNsZXMvbnJlbC0yMDIxLXVzLWdlb3RoZXJtYWwtbWFya2V0LXJlcG9ydC1yZWxlYXNlZCJ9.e0QvKhNmgALyrgOyoiCmCqjmnVxaXezxarjmuZ1AIuA/s/1420386858/br/125977686736-l), one in particular stands out: since 2019, 11 new geothermal power purchase agreements have been signed across four states.
* [Biden Official Endorses Effort to Move Pipeline Cybersecurity Regulation to DOE](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26419294.36268/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vY3liZXJzZWN1cml0eS8yMDIyLzAxL2JpZGVuLW9mZmljaWFsLWVuZG9yc2VzLWVmZm9ydC1tb3ZlLXBpcGVsaW5lLWN5YmVyc2VjdXJpdHktcmVndWxhdGlvbi1kb2UvMzYwOTE1Lz9vcmVmPW5leHRnb3ZfdG9kYXlfbmw/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B41dd1891)
* DOE released the third edition of “[Solar Power in Your Community](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTkuNTIwNDQxNTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvc29sYXIvbG9jYWwtZ292ZXJubWVudC1ndWlkZS1zb2xhci1kZXBsb3ltZW50In0.v79ZtONKd0bxmcpL1juuNtPyNTdbpasyjnnuY6YD8dk/s/1420386858/br/125318060060-l)”
* [DOE Releases Report on Strategies to Expand U.S. Offshore Wind](#expand)
* [WINDExchange Webinar Highlights Offshore Wind Technology Above the Water](#above)
* Among numerous highlights in the National Renewable Energy Laboratory’s recently published [Geothermal Power Production and District Heating Market Report](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTguNTE5NzY5ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvYXJ0aWNsZXMvbnJlbC0yMDIxLXVzLWdlb3RoZXJtYWwtbWFya2V0LXJlcG9ydC1yZWxlYXNlZCJ9.H6aPFrA38V__iIi-hix47dnPwiRVQstsmfyONWVLnmw/s/187069501/br/125259723451-l), one in particular stands out: since 2019, 11 new geothermal power purchase agreements have been signed across four states.
* [Department of Energy Launches New Program To Overhaul US Electrical Grid](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26345849.14373/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjIvMDEvZW5lcmd5LWxhdW5jaGVzLW5ldy1wcm9ncmFtLW92ZXJoYXVsLXVzLWVsZWN0cmljYWwtZ3JpZC8zNjA2OTEvP29yZWY9cmYtdG9kYXktbmw/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Be2386137)
* DOE’s [Energy Transitions Initiative Partnership Project](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODM2NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvZW5lcmd5LXRyYW5zaXRpb25zLWluaXRpYXRpdmUtcGFydG5lcnNoaXAtcHJvamVjdC1jb21tdW5pdGllcyJ9.v_7hgrca15pzssvmxfulLdm4SuZ0eNl4ib5t63zI4X0/s/1420386858/br/124713657377-l) (ETIPP) [has announced](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODM2NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvYXJ0aWNsZXMvZG9lLW9wZW5zLWFwcGxpY2F0aW9ucy1yZW1vdGUtaXNsYW5kLWFuZC1pc2xhbmRlZC1jb21tdW5pdGllcy1zZWVraW5nLXRlY2huaWNhbCJ9.rd7yt7nI-0qv55uEZGlKiYBmA1DXyy7RaO9AwRhh-24/s/1420386858/br/124713657377-l) a [competitive solicitation](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODM2NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ucmVsLmdvdi9zdGF0ZS1sb2NhbC10cmliYWwvZXRpcHAtdGVjaG5pY2FsLWFzc2lzdGFuY2UuaHRtbCJ9.1Lztbyky19pAqF99Lq71AmWMiOQNZcQxhBBZYjPecXY/s/1420386858/br/124713657377-l) to help island, remote, and islanded communities with in-kind technical assistance on energy analysis, planning and implementation, guidance, and education. Applications are open through April 15.
* The National Renewable Energy Laboratory [has released](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODM2NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2VlcmUvd2luZC9hcnRpY2xlcy9yZXBvcnQtZGV0YWlscy1wcm9qZWN0LWVuYWJsZS1sYXJnZS13aW5kLXR1cmJpbmUtYmxhZGVzIn0.lqVzxCKR0nvTirJXBApTlU0ndxr_0F4xusRlsG9v-Zo/s/1420386858/br/124713657377-l) [phase I findings](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODM2NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ucmVsLmdvdi9kb2NzL2Z5MjJvc3RpLzc5ODU1LnBkZiJ9.nKBvBd1t4IyLxdSruAIYjKugDU43DbHtxZKZAoHRKVM/s/1420386858/br/124713657377-l) for the WETO-funded Big Adaptive Rotor (BAR) project, which identifies technologies that can enable large (up to 100 m) blades for low-specific-power land-based wind turbines.
* DOE announced the release of a [report](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTIuNTE2ODEwNjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L3NpdGVzL2RlZmF1bHQvZmlsZXMvMjAyMi0wMS9vZmZzaG9yZS13aW5kLWVuZXJneS1zdHJhdGVnaWVzLXJlcG9ydC1qYW51YXJ5LTIwMjIucGRmIn0.PD1EUEbyv5ckznm6ksIFYKvKo1AI_GNUa7BT0Z0eFLU/s/1420386858/br/124716006724-l) that outlines regional and national strategies to accelerate U.S. offshore wind deployment and operation.
* [Aligning Utilities and Electric Vehicles, for the Greater Grid](https://nrel.us14.list-manage.com/track/click?u=cfb46c07f566f9a82b5fa0488&id=3600cb5698&e=0351f58cce)
* Generators plan to retire 12.6 gigawatts of coal-fired generation capacity in 2022, according to Energy Information Administration [figures](http://click1.trk-washingtonexaminer.com/bbzldnsgffzybzdfyjsgjysmkgynjctckvgkzsjbljcfl_oklzkjfrlzzdtlkzffqqqw.html?a=Daily+on+Energy+011222&b=01%2F12%2F2022&c=WEX_Daily+on+Energy&d=24307622&e=acc29f3c176ce66d97d74ade2fdba05b9e3c1d9e6214b0774d1c5a4f05579b94). That amounts to 85% of the total 14.6 gigawatts of planned retirements across generation sources this year and 6% of the coal capacity that was operating at the end of last year.
* Nearly half of new electricity generation capacity planned to be added to the grid this year will come from solar power, the EIA says. Based on surveys of project developers and power generators, EIA [estimates](http://click1.trk-washingtonexaminer.com/nffywbcdffknjkwfntcdtncmhdnbtrzrhgdhkctjyyyrk_fjysbhqgnsswdnbdrhrhjy.html?a=Daily+on+Energy+%2801102022%29&b=01%2F10%2F2022&c=WEX_Daily+on+Energy&d=24307622&e=acc29f3c176ce66d97d74ade2fdba05b9e3c1d9e6214b0774d1c5a4f05579b94) that 21.5, or 46%, of the 46.1 gigawatts of new capacity planned for 2022 will be utility-scale solar projects, compared with the 15.5 gigawatts added last year.

**DOI**

* [Biden-Harris Administration to accelerate reviews of clean energy proposals on public lands](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTQuNTE4MzU2ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvYmlkZW4taGFycmlzLWFkbWluaXN0cmF0aW9uLWFjY2VsZXJhdGUtcmV2aWV3cy1jbGVhbi1lbmVyZ3ktcHJvcG9zYWxzLXB1YmxpYy1sYW5kcyJ9.krwdw0IqpKsEHVPVxUKobYeDrWDlf1Ju3re7iiy0W_I/s/854461416/br/125046644282-l)
* [Interior Department advances three solar projects in California, marking significant progress to develop a clean energy economy](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMDcuNTE0NjIwNDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvaW50ZXJpb3ItZGVwYXJ0bWVudC1hZHZhbmNlcy10aHJlZS1zb2xhci1wcm9qZWN0cy1jYWxpZm9ybmlhLW1hcmtpbmctc2lnbmlmaWNhbnQifQ.tXa8AvLyPCp4sBEhA4-4eB52GYPi1FoY60fPVeRb_Yg/s/854461416/br/124361934978-l)

**DOI-BLM**

* [BLM approves Oberon Solar Project](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTQuNTE4MzU2ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ibG0uZ292L3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvYmxtLWFwcHJvdmVzLW9iZXJvbi1zb2xhci1wcm9qZWN0In0.SEiz0Sv-Q3mVrzE_64CviYCTI7Y2dKP8pK8H4iBkhTw/s/854461416/br/125046644282-l)
* [The BLM approves Arica and Victory Pass solar projects](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMDcuNTE0NjIwNDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ibG0uZ292L3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvYmxtLWFwcHJvdmVzLWFyaWNhLWFuZC12aWN0b3J5LXBhc3Mtc29sYXItcHJvamVjdHMifQ.qgDE-o_nE1fV9BSfAF-AEd-cioMHMbhVC2gaoaPh2cI/s/854461416/br/124361934978-l)
* [BLM Seeks Public Input on Proposed Guidance for Renewable Energy on BLM Public Lands](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMDcuNTE0NjIwNDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ibG0uZ292L3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvYmxtLXNlZWtzLXB1YmxpYy1pbnB1dC1wcm9wb3NlZC1ndWlkYW5jZS1yZW5ld2FibGUtZW5lcmd5LWJsbS1wdWJsaWMtbGFuZHMifQ.Ta1J77CbsvoLTyfWJS8AVKGr8GzQKMaGbCCzPitcn0s/s/854461416/br/124361934978-l)

## **State Updates**

**AZ**

* [Arizona regulators reject new clean-energy rules after years of debate](https://tucson.com/business/arizona-regulators-reject-new-clean-energy-rules-after-years-of-debate/article_44e39fb8-7ed6-11ec-a674-ab67a701fab9.html)
* [Outdoor recreation enthusiasts are encouraged to participate in the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) by taking the public survey conducted by Arizona State Parks and Trails](https://track.robly.com/1c27c366-58e5-4465-b5d5-3c21c21b7cddb1ea6ad7133164bd4a5d52c2f33658b6)

**CA:** The next expert panel briefing from the [California Council on Science and Technology](https://ccst.us/) will focus on how [climate change affects renewable energy production](https://ccst.us/how-climate-change-impacts-renewable-energy-production/). Cloud cover, smoke plumes, and wind speeds are some of the factors that can influence production. The briefing will be Monday, Feb. 7.

**UT:**

* [Energy Innovation Strategic Plan](https://utah.us3.list-manage.com/track/click?u=b30c59e5be675ebd8ad8a11fb&id=ee883b149a&e=042a2081c1)
* [One Utah Summit](https://utah.us3.list-manage.com/track/click?u=b30c59e5be675ebd8ad8a11fb&id=5addcc3791&e=042a2081c1)

## **Tribal Updates**

* February 14: 2022 NCAI Executive Council Winter Session Goes Virtual. See the NCAI Executive Council Winter Session [event page](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDEuNTI3MDE2NzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL25jYWkub3JnL2V2ZW50cy8yMDIyLzAyLzEzLzIwMjItZXhlY3V0aXZlLWNvdW5jaWwtd2ludGVyLXNlc3Npb24ifQ.7zRtFfh33kGi8xf5a0EfpHdsUYlMh4SvWSFP9CLpr0s/s/112186182/br/125951680869-l)for further details.
* February 22–24: 4th Annual Renewable Energy and Sustainability Conference. [Register now](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjUuNTIzMzg5NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2luZGlhbmVuZXJneS9ldmVudHMvNHRoLWFubnVhbC1yZW5ld2FibGUtZW5lcmd5LWFuZC1zdXN0YWluYWJpbGl0eS1jb25mZXJlbmNlIn0.8UwaVjKedtDKw3FffSr22H2e6rsS4ZeQNFrZneIay5E/s/112186182/br/125615806617-l)
* To keep abreast of the many other upcoming events of relevance to tribal communities, including the [Reservation Economic Summit (RES) 2022](To%20keep%20abreast%20of%20the%20many%20other%20upcoming%20events%20of%20relevance%20to%20tribal%20communities%2C%20including%20the%20Reservation%20Economic%20Summit%20%28RES%29%202022%20beginning%20on%20May%2023%20in%20Las%20Vegas%2C%20be%20sure%20to%20check%20the%20Office%20of%20Indian%20Energy%20Events%20page%20regularly.) beginning on May 23 in Las Vegas, be sure to check the [Office of Indian Energy Events page](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjUuNTIzMzg5NTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292L2luZGlhbmVuZXJneS9ldmVudHMifQ.m4SKe1dcxYwGW9kZVtLw9ZaXenUh_0kLULh4yXz09kc/s/112186182/br/125615806617-l) regularly.

## **Regional Updates**

* [Natural Gas Bans Are New Front in Effort to Curb Emissions](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26282477.17372/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2hlYWx0aC1odW1hbi1zZXJ2aWNlcy8yMDIyLzAxL25hdHVyYWwtZ2FzLWJhbnMtYXJlLW5ldy1mcm9udC1lZmZvcnQtY3VyYi1lbWlzc2lvbnMvMzYwNDQxLz9vcmVmPXJmLXRvZGF5LW5s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B17e675e7)
* High export volumes drove the United States to become the world’s top liquefied natural gas exporter for the first time last month, and a new [report](http://click1.trk-washingtonexaminer.com/bpbldnsgffzybzdfyjsgjysmkgynjctckvgkzsjbpbgdf_rrwrknjtvrrpcvkcklctjk.html?a=Daily+on+Energy+%2801062022%29&b=01%2F06%2F2022&c=WEX_Daily+on+Energy&d=24307622&e=acc29f3c176ce66d97d74ade2fdba05b9e3c1d9e6214b0774d1c5a4f05579b94) estimates the U.S. will maintain that rank all year long.

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## **Federal Updates**

* [Biden-⁠Harris Administration Celebrates Expansion of Locally-Led Conservation Efforts in First Year of “America the Beautiful” Initiative](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTkuNTIwMzA0MDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy53aGl0ZWhvdXNlLmdvdi9icmllZmluZy1yb29tL3N0YXRlbWVudHMtcmVsZWFzZXMvMjAyMS8xMi8yMC9mYWN0LXNoZWV0LWJpZGVuLWhhcnJpcy1hZG1pbmlzdHJhdGlvbi1jZWxlYnJhdGVzLWV4cGFuc2lvbi1vZi1sb2NhbGx5LWxlZC1jb25zZXJ2YXRpb24tZWZmb3J0cy1pbi1maXJzdC15ZWFyLW9mLWFtZXJpY2EtdGhlLWJlYXV0aWZ1bC1pbml0aWF0aXZlLyJ9._ux9o1nj8V1zd4WlLLcGMwiB2KjYZFE8MdXl6kOvnbg/s/1420386651/br/125305948525-l)
* Supreme Court to Hear WOTUS Case. [Read More](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1GKta8-2ZqTLf1nVjThc0D7oZiSzvi1SVPXwMtWtkAYmzl5BfOcS2jxUTMHn1R9pDN3F-4MnXm2tq21KVwPBe9c2VUhGi_AR9whLzV_r0hf_P-32tx7cA8-PUrsfzgk9SC&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==)
* [US Environmental Protection Agency and Army Corps of Engineers New Proposed Rule for Waters Protected Under CWA – Public Comments Deadline](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ZA6toZTesm2UQhKFfYJY0dXI7uRknOdBMFxuxE9LQvE6kZqFXMJBkuYGjNzGkVLr8Z9_onJRNb6etb6FvDnR2juKmqieLpym_RK5KZ2meVbcNbQ0qSGbbcfRWP1GZLkpn4A9coXIs-7RfzKRM_0KgGvQJHNltGhPoKTS89f8bR4Xr5aAHEFVZxla9_Iy5r7sFGufM5Op0D4eNsZPAI-aNSV4QYi3HZ2gIW53UMne0Vs-u2mn6p9gyjTenJKBzQHGTsCBqp-hiaXxNseSKJ_teA==&c=1B3nfaUzEbJX1nrbXOyxjT8PdtSauLtpwDTH0No1jukZkW7ohavu9g==&ch=mfDFCpnaONi9-DY7Zx18FODPBFIBczhEnGKNCyFTk6yCeeq7D09P4Q==)
* The National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF) released a Mojave Desert Tortoise Recovery Partnership 2022 Request for Proposals on January 26, 2022 ([https://www.nfwf.org/mojave-desert-tortoise-recovery-partnership-2022-request-proposals](https://www.nfwf.org/mojave-desert-tortoise-recovery-partnership-2022-request-proposals%20)). Proposals are due on March 3, 2022. Recording of the Jan 26th NFWF Mojave Desert Tortoise Recovery Partnership Applicant Webinar: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/7127831937840328719>

**DOI**

* The Department of the Interior is accepting comments through March 4 on the American Conservation and Stewardship Atlas, a new tool that will be used to reflect baseline information on the lands and waters that are conserved or restored. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0qEQc3paIR1f6T4jaHyxDkrWTnCynkqWdVt9Kzp2Xq3NjKj03fswoixlvLmUdJoXoPRgFWv4aa7759ZCv5181PRJn-ig9K5TTm23yDlzLysHjRY_oE-x81MKf2oCyDqNjf8RWGw9OVPoiPe0bUv3GynXZobYskTXBmnQhA6ZQVV1TufCFInHmA2CNQ13kQRAtzqwI-HeTw0GMa7bYRyuouaGoW7t4Uu63&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)
* [In California visit, Assistant Secretary Trujillo highlights Infrastructure Law Investments in Water Management and Drought Mitigation](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMzUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1NDc2MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvY2FsaWZvcm5pYS12aXNpdC1hc3Npc3RhbnQtc2VjcmV0YXJ5LXRydWppbGxvLWhpZ2hsaWdodHMtaW5mcmFzdHJ1Y3R1cmUtbGF3In0.vq7iBgPbOWyyWjhA3b8Roh0KUwWBuTbNvYCb30UW6Mc/s/854461416/br/125826510783-l)
* [Interior Department calls for nominations to serve on committee coordinating federal actions on invasive species](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMzMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1NDc2MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvaW50ZXJpb3ItZGVwYXJ0bWVudC1jYWxscy1ub21pbmF0aW9ucy1zZXJ2ZS1jb21taXR0ZWUtY29vcmRpbmF0aW5nLWZlZGVyYWwtYWN0aW9ucyJ9.gxzItKnRRfE9BNQkY9L9Pg892b5qwoQargGelOmB1UE/s/854461416/br/125826510783-l)
* [Interior Department announces historic launch of the Foundation for America’s Public Lands](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1NDc2MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvaW50ZXJpb3ItZGVwYXJ0bWVudC1hbm5vdW5jZXMtaGlzdG9yaWMtbGF1bmNoLWZvdW5kYXRpb24tYW1lcmljYXMtcHVibGljLWxhbmRzIn0.o0_1n4hDwrJGZk5SgqxgnvdVuec_f-Zm1_Yqsr0WkqM/s/854461416/br/125826510783-l)
* [Interior Department extends abandoned mine land program through 2034](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTQuNTE4MzU2ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L3ByZXNzcmVsZWFzZXMvaW50ZXJpb3ItZGVwYXJ0bWVudC1leHRlbmRzLWFiYW5kb25lZC1taW5lLWxhbmQtcHJvZ3JhbS10aHJvdWdoLTIwMzQifQ.QrTAw_oynlpE-rHJxoSswN0Y1aRQqjdyIp5KMWIzYdY/s/854461416/br/125046644282-l)

**DOI-BLM**

* BLM Headquarters Rangeland Resource Management. Due: March 28, 2022. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X_RZVLetR1rt7e1XrDJqFXp7jOdJULMF_s314MlC4NWYdDJOptRRnT0IdcCLfBenPLfWDJZ1_5erT9NAMadU0U3GpNfSjBQivOxhYtMntanm0qQNu-HhuxCzhcEA_qXWsBWOqeoJviqyKG-x5lxX8lRZc6_r1c24gDEKJ7hYG6rwr3ejxDshvF3xXX0R2ZrCGGjziBDwt0cKFq0ctW6PKQ==&c=x8ULKYuCYOtmAa8a3VsMHby8PhJ0ffASjLlcT6LqM3iDatvIAved1w==&ch=_lC-ScsuKykeNb8REUQNQ49_JpEAA7YbXH4Kl3LeuniPABlrhXorhw==)
* BLM Headquarters Threatened and Endangered Species.. Due: March 28, 2022. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X_RZVLetR1rt7e1XrDJqFXp7jOdJULMF_s314MlC4NWYdDJOptRRnT0IdcCLfBenvac8pTkNG4K7Jtx1mokmTKR1v7MNrERP1HwaxIHRY05lDVugfGTU9b1ROGb3kHEVAeiMTgqIPVn9-bYoEu8sRbPGFIp11WGxZTQxZPG2_gWiHJ9ksWrCYpxzbdiA5be8m1HD-Yc96kYg4w6yeI6clg==&c=x8ULKYuCYOtmAa8a3VsMHby8PhJ0ffASjLlcT6LqM3iDatvIAved1w==&ch=_lC-ScsuKykeNb8REUQNQ49_JpEAA7YbXH4Kl3LeuniPABlrhXorhw==)
* BLM California Threatened and Endangered Species. Due: March 24, 2022. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X_RZVLetR1rt7e1XrDJqFXp7jOdJULMF_s314MlC4NWYdDJOptRRnT0IdcCLfBen6CfgS5iejKd9DKBoycm2GIG4eKxhwE0CINoN4VuAfyURkG5GD6sdc4eJpsEtut8aHvBS3QtiolR8YgcPQxxjRiYTS4RlY-4Jhh9SEmwqNcKgGEmL0S-WLDnqt_IiANVMGAX0tXpDMOgqb52FQbtGmA==&c=x8ULKYuCYOtmAa8a3VsMHby8PhJ0ffASjLlcT6LqM3iDatvIAved1w==&ch=_lC-ScsuKykeNb8REUQNQ49_JpEAA7YbXH4Kl3LeuniPABlrhXorhw==)
* [BLM enhances protections in wild horse and burro Adoption Incentive Program](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMzIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1NDc2MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ibG0uZ292L3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvYmxtLWVuaGFuY2VzLXByb3RlY3Rpb25zLXdpbGQtaG9yc2UtYW5kLWJ1cnJvLWFkb3B0aW9uLWluY2VudGl2ZS1wcm9ncmFtIn0.nv_n9bxD_EvgwH1ElGz7lA5-Z50VwopxrtEDMgrjKz4/s/854461416/br/125826510783-l)
* [BLM California Desert District to host Desert Advisory Council virtual public meeting](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1NDc2MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5ibG0uZ292L3ByZXNzLXJlbGVhc2UvYmxtLWNhbGlmb3JuaWEtZGVzZXJ0LWRpc3RyaWN0LWhvc3QtdmlydHVhbC1wdWJsaWMtbWVldGluZyJ9.eVYHtAgwLW0iXWzz1r8Vt6cRRDW1y0XeC3QcbCmr188/s/854461416/br/125826510783-l)

**DOI-USFWS**

* U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service and the Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies partnered in launching a new Landscape Conservation Task Force. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0ufkdU6LdQBsEZipxA-jEvjlembDJzlNlb7FtUXVMY8nsxQ2C3nX13USRqVE7Chzc392e0kUFt089kA6Mxy3Y9rdkSl0fRpcYa-YE9RAkTkjmbdqAbOgzsQ==&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)
* Cactus Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl. FWS has issued a proposed rule to list the cactus ferruginous pygmy-owl ([*Glaucidium brasilianum cactorum*](https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1225)) as a threatened species under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) ([86 FR 72547](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/12/22/2021-27516/endangered-and-threatened-wildlife-and-plants-threatened-species-status-with-section-4d-rule-for)). The owl is a subspecies found in Mexico, southern Arizona, and southern Texas. FWS has also determined that the designation of critical habitat is also warranted, but the proposed rule does not address it. Comments are due 22 FEB 22
* Foothill Yellow-Legged Frog. FWS has issued a proposed rule to list four of six distinct population segments (DPS) of the foothill yellow-legged frog ([*Rana boylii*](https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5133)) under ESA ([86 FR 73914](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/12/28/2021-27512/endangered-and-threatened-wildlife-and-plants-foothill-yellow-legged-frog-threatened-status-with)). The frog is a stream dwelling amphibian from Oregon and California. The rule proposes to list the South Sierra and South Coast DPS as endangered and the North Feather and Central Coast DPS as threatened. The designation of critical habitat for these four DPS is currently not determinable. FWS has also determined that the North Coast DPS and the North Sierra DPS do not warrant listing at this time. Comments are due 28 FEB 22.

**DOI-BuRec:** WaterSMART Cooperative Watershed Management Program Phase I Grants. Due: March 31, 2022. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X_RZVLetR1rt7e1XrDJqFXp7jOdJULMF_s314MlC4NWYdDJOptRRnT0IdcCLfBenfHkbhWXiRIW-VzRAfo02pC_1ywcS57_5a3auMlvc9BAwjOQnpewfxwhM3-_QWYuOXXHSOvKvKl-2AwQl9LAeJEsI_h-xUbGdRo76oyAqTkyh-XhRliZOxdBzgkY4F6y1cm_QntHhDj7mSMZ8XyqGDA==&c=x8ULKYuCYOtmAa8a3VsMHby8PhJ0ffASjLlcT6LqM3iDatvIAved1w==&ch=_lC-ScsuKykeNb8REUQNQ49_JpEAA7YbXH4Kl3LeuniPABlrhXorhw==)

**EPA**

* New [water infrastructure funding](https://www.epa.gov/newsreleases/epa-announces-water-infrastructure-funding-states-through-bipartisan-infrastructure) for states has been announced by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Nationwide, approximately $50 billion will be made available over the next five years. The EPA is encouraging states to give priority to water infrastructure projects in historically underserved communities.
* [EPA says a new WOTUS definition is coming this year](https://www.eenews.net/articles/epa-new-wotus-definition-coming-later-this-year/)

**USDA**

* [USDA Offers Expanded Conservation Program Opportunities to Support Climate-Smart Agriculture in 2022](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ag_-SgsxpJcfP0b93Qr3wgA_xIJS3DrIAsG2S1yUfN1HhrA1b1Xjd5WeRbZ9-xfMsNCqrdKnO_zaxI-9Q0lU4mp9OoGMbSvDo14qmUkgkCPza_2wBQ6IHZQR38VCGyeFB26D3WHbWlZcJGQ3nTUUwfhZ8l5SQ3i6B0MNR6lc5ONVT4bm-4NHfalhUS527oWYcXVZOTn8tiuflKRJAiNICg==&c=_f082hXvlsPebmJjiL3U6hz1dU5Oo70aJhpeeZRDLgpsM3f2s_O3Pw==&ch=rZTl-ZbYARq6gM0kB5o-R4HX5z-E7hLe4LlEYmyXxTHfm5P-WnUPWw==)
* [USDA Accepting Applications for the Conservation Stewardship Program in Arizona](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ag_-SgsxpJcfP0b93Qr3wgA_xIJS3DrIAsG2S1yUfN1HhrA1b1Xjd5WeRbZ9-xfMwK-pmYEzfxtconsqMR1VZrr7LYs4hr-lG14B-htk-pVdV___lQSaaVO2T73ZU_8halOeKj_uDRmqEutRYZ7anZudspWXxllinG7cgKWWplvpXId9QDdNyR0eeaarc4isPfX62nIy4HIEBGhdqCvl3A==&c=_f082hXvlsPebmJjiL3U6hz1dU5Oo70aJhpeeZRDLgpsM3f2s_O3Pw==&ch=rZTl-ZbYARq6gM0kB5o-R4HX5z-E7hLe4LlEYmyXxTHfm5P-WnUPWw==)

**USDA-USFS**

* In January the U.S. Forest Service released a 10-year strategy to confront the wildfire crisis, outlining a plan to work with partners to focus fuels and forest health treatments more strategically and at the scale of the problem. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0PkO0TFHobb2G7Uc8aTfovOCugoBBNBYrwUyXKZ6ksP4paaT2Gny_mr-8RGQiUKEGb992AqM3TLF3n2PNLLhApol4Ah-UTx_BmvO2zUpqtxYnRBlhu8_4X9UIk6G-Wdfm&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)
* [New USFS Research & Development fact she](https://stateforesters.us11.list-manage.com/track/click?u=06c384d90c91720901353e8bf&id=42c646bf13&e=be712403a1)et

**USDA-NRCS**

* NRCS’s Regional Conservation Partnership Program. To co-invest with partners to implement projects that demonstrate innovative solutions to conservation challenges and provide measurable improvements and outcomes tied to the resource concerns they seek to address. Due: April 13, 2022. [Learn more](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X1Is2eB-K4xXlOF9B1Gc3T5SZHTgFkondDkxnMUHhOh05fkjjPZs39ZxqF6hGPDxyybseL1ItKbKibC7x2fmRx4ixo80FlG2yA4TMJKTkV-SErtKFWLg2X4yK2Wpr8ssMhD-jhB94-gSHg5v5JQ2pOsIMC_HpXwHu4fBVVo6G8pXeXGdlKsvre9PqCz_W5KPj9P9jLcFjWuEY3Fzgy_Osg==&c=UY6o3sHFGlsd0b6qxUWP_kwghYSaAPuSIMrlxuzNGIQDQ8W6we-zvQ==&ch=KW9eUMz3qfr5IIXt1WsVFgli0wOi3t5C98yOB5qulHk7jODJeu3BHA==) [Program website and webinar (1/20)](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001X1Is2eB-K4xXlOF9B1Gc3T5SZHTgFkondDkxnMUHhOh05fkjjPZs3z1Fwd6db409OnwD_x23WvmRuSHiSFJkeIUqn51igSp9a_l5kCz6FEfHTPK_08ZGDw4e7a8M3MpLFSFBZ5S6dn1H1QSKuT9E8tmaJX1r52xHf62SKqJttPuFmZw9kcsxmwhjJKvnFkM9RjwJvAokf7iln2Yr30__RgNAFM0p9aKbbVTgDXA7rSOhCHlZKA-FGuZccLQq4dxtf-EFWf8XFBsJUrQ0XbWX-g==&c=UY6o3sHFGlsd0b6qxUWP_kwghYSaAPuSIMrlxuzNGIQDQ8W6we-zvQ==&ch=KW9eUMz3qfr5IIXt1WsVFgli0wOi3t5C98yOB5qulHk7jODJeu3BHA==)
* [USDA to Invest up to $225 Million in Partner-Driven Conservation on Agricultural and Forest Land](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ag_-SgsxpJcfP0b93Qr3wgA_xIJS3DrIAsG2S1yUfN1HhrA1b1Xjd5WeRbZ9-xfMuDMDEB3QsZoAn7j7LVILUnFi5EkJTMLi-d8aqONvH07D6l1_nxRcn-OElC4YvXGtGoptm7jgI3sXbmPPB_gcdvhiKItsQBRzZ8M6SajEAgxN-j9AL3fxGZH1c1bY00KpS5TDpnNW5MI1FwhOV9fcg_d7affJqLUIDQmIOfR1BSE9fjGnbmbla5ZDsGQdxJf_NWNYXZ5uNTw=&c=_f082hXvlsPebmJjiL3U6hz1dU5Oo70aJhpeeZRDLgpsM3f2s_O3Pw==&ch=rZTl-ZbYARq6gM0kB5o-R4HX5z-E7hLe4LlEYmyXxTHfm5P-WnUPWw==)

## **State Updates**

**AZ:**

* Saving our Saguaros from Buffelgrass Friday February 25 - 4:00 PM MST Perry Grissom, Restoration Ecologist at Saguaro National Park. Advanced registration via [this link](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001JPOGnXzln6kHPShD-8nmORgsW8_FdMmy90PBtWUnK47yUMpHkwhl_JObKo9nwKa8LpwlmVlFOm2fOZzUq567nW2ictH7yiG6E4VRpjZ-C6ZxmuDXsKtdjmt_YinJoK3kstX3VgfHOqdFn2QbqustoSPHbZ5R8WVS-cP_ZC3MMMMrvCtwugbEyllTLdy73P5QAZRrE05kK5_aAFkvXSnptilbRI128CGPbMIUsvs9qIwDjgKD1u3JKNEnVeDYG6BWnPHv7vEifO9vQdrgH2HDUQ==&c=dWMijziiuipjGBV7QTfnGxgPPsNalZ3faEaSNdvp64pT33Db3-qgrQ==&ch=JDm6Id91aBtBCvkPNnb9LCoHMDAUwImwfgEPY4rPWinC0_Mgsdn-1A==) is required
* ADEQ makes use of a robust public engagement process in rulemaking and reporting - agency is inviting interested community members to comment on the five-year review of ADEQ’s administration rules, as published in the AZ Administrative Code. [ADEQ Survey](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1GqT5QHvCB8AS5KMHSvXwv8RzXTq0Nfk2TF7okiaP2ZJ_P9r72gpPKh4LT5vQw_Y2yfZRohQy_WPID6tcVIEXulqtGi96OlV7uL9OyB0LSud4=&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==) [2022 Clean Water Act Assessment](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1G-EyUqgDMHqXZzw9nIplJmaTExW1puWZbnlEqrDMTfKsGOER6Zcrm3ozLV0ptkPhQlKhXlWczkkfPtKwU3-VJYTQEJ1sDGTi7L7Jbm3yDOEBd0Kq-QxrPoQ==&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==)
* ADWR Releases 2021 Arizona Drought Preparedness Report. [View the Report](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001IdiKgbzftX1tR0eSSenKcZQMLBPFHoIDuoXJWQ866vfzFmcWpCFnaEL6DLdBlHkAhQWl8iKE1a3se_Rtyyd48-E-E8iZWHb0lrmR-2519kPTEbrU1Ovqskgt3HMPQ_ddAdOgEGYZCtbLYLzl9Ptb1xCLH3hvYz-Av6Oi7ogSpf1z24iLdy8tA_0EVQ2cEuTUhjxaNdcStpqp5h5DOGFL3Q==&c=aOizfxGPjrcIPe1RuUTAGkTMhU8RVoMAKS8sjA8Eia2bE4p0ZfkmGQ==&ch=G8v_LFJuhM6LL-zIjL_WhICVv7ppzn5g2WNgmD0nNFiYAE7ArsoHGg==)
* [Funding Opportunity - Water Supply Development Fund, WIFA](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ag_-SgsxpJcfP0b93Qr3wgA_xIJS3DrIAsG2S1yUfN1HhrA1b1Xjd5WeRbZ9-xfMpZgaYTmEQVUvyjKXl2lo13YKF5zgJx1Vtn7n5FxXJjUvlNJSRgES-EewARSGRELe5n0fng-epYHNp-u2JJ_XVHhByUqOHRahwCqkmqCL99fSXoga-FaHig==&c=_f082hXvlsPebmJjiL3U6hz1dU5Oo70aJhpeeZRDLgpsM3f2s_O3Pw==&ch=rZTl-ZbYARq6gM0kB5o-R4HX5z-E7hLe4LlEYmyXxTHfm5P-WnUPWw==)
* [What you should know about desalination, proposed by Gov. Doug Ducey as a solution to Arizona's water crisis](https://www.fox10phoenix.com/news/what-you-should-know-about-desalination-proposed-by-gov-doug-ducey-as-a-solution-to-arizonas-water-crisis)
* [Arizona Gov wants to invest big in water infrastructure](https://www.azcentral.com/story/news/local/arizona-environment/2022/01/10/gov-doug-ducey-proposes-spending-1-billion-water-infrastructure/9164946002/)
* [ConserveAZ Magazine Winter 2022](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001K5qQgK42kEdL9AUSZvo5jngMp2r167YfCZwavWDkSnVgI1PovlhBXRUMLRkcFifZ7QgoAY7j-qlHRK2nZt47RTI6dL8S0ENphP1-K-MO-aRjwmRAStCoYuUcn1vpDn3rRydNxKX8wI-u0kFdLRobMeb2yDfBJEnujHEnJ0YsPja3lHrqKu6szA==&c=tcFKtgjC-5e78LBfEu4RnEqoDJfWhCp7-1ktKNdBBi-1nsluNx57Ig==&ch=KwpmM8ioFLLYRGytdLeMbogNFGI9j-75gY_-c73df8DFZoxC-oeJBw==)

**CA:**

* DWR will be hosting three virtual public workshops to discuss the draft [guidelines](https://water.ca.gov/-/media/DWR-Website/Web-Pages/Work-With-Us/Grants-And-Loans/IRWM-Grants/Files/Prop-1-Implementation/Round-2/Accessible-Clean-Integrated-Regional-Water-Management-Grant-Program-Guidelines.pdf) and [proposal solicitation package](https://water.ca.gov/-/media/DWR-Website/Web-Pages/Work-With-Us/Grants-And-Loans/IRWM-Grants/Files/Prop-1-Implementation/Round-2/Accessible-Clean-Implementation-Grant-Proposal-Solicitation-Package.pdf) for [Round 2 of the Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) Implementation Grant Program](https://water.ca.gov/Work-With-Us/Grants-And-Loans/IRWM-Grant-Programs/Proposition-1/Implementation-Grants).
* DWR has unveiled the new webpage for [California Water Plan Update 2023](https://water.ca.gov/Programs/California-Water-Plan/Update-2023). The California Water Plan is updated every five years. Additional details are available in a recently released [Update 2023 brochure](https://water.ca.gov/-/media/DWR-Website/Web-Pages/Programs/California-Water-Plan/Docs/Update2023/PrePRD/CWP-Update-2023-Brochure.pdf). Questions about Update 2023 can be sent to the California Water Plan Team.
* A [draft Extreme Heat Action Plan](https://resources.ca.gov/-/media/CNRA-Website/Files/Initiatives/Climate-Resilience/Draft-Extreme-Heat-Action-Plan-ADA.pdf?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery) outlining a set of actions to adapt and build resilience to extreme heat has been released by the California Natural Resources Agency and Governor’s Office of Planning and Research.
* The California State Coastal Conservancy has announced it has [$9 million in funding](https://scc.ca.gov/2022/01/06/2022-explore-the-coast-grants-application-period-now-open/) available through its Explore the Coast Grant Program.
* The progress that has been made on implementing California’s [Water Resilience Portfolio](https://resources.ca.gov/Initiatives/Building-Water-Resilience/portfolio?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery) is detailed in a [new report](https://resources.ca.gov/-/media/CNRA-Website/Files/Initiatives/Water-Resilience/CA-WRP-Progress-Report.pdf?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery) from the State. The portfolio was released 18 months ago by Governor Newsom as a water policy blueprint to build climate resilience.
* [California’s Drought Reckoning Could Offer Lessons for the West](https://click.pewtrusts.org/?qs=816dcc472c08b86005548b497d8bf2345e3244687042a51f655bdcfc552afb85cd3e273562ef692e83d8100b6aad94b566281cac8f993350)
* A new project from the State Water Resources Control Board is designed to improve the way the state manages water rights data. [Updating Water Rights Data for California](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/upward/) (UPWARD California) will maintain water rights data, including information on water use and demand.

**NM:** [New Mexico Wildlife Corridors Plan – Review and Comment](https://www.wildlife.state.nm.us/wildlife-corridors-action-plan-request-for-statewide-public-input/)

## **Tribal Updates**

* The Greater Chaco Landscape in New Mexico has been the center of Native American culture for centuries. A [new White House plan](https://click.pewtrusts.org/?qs=38cb82150e96a1bf0708fb05797e5b58b1b9d1d03910036ad4a486a7d5bb8497faa430279b5096418d5e156e2f95556a6e954fe9ba8a047d) proposes a ban on oil and gas leasing to protect the area's natural and historic heritage.
* [Public Meetings regarding Chaco Canyon](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001JbAD6ZsXrXlcornp08AaRcArRICNd4l1-SYtnFyDYry05sWmJkkbcTqoe2Aur68GjyeTJpXW1pqjJrRv7F2YJ5UQ4_uZEKn7aIAjPgoV1zn2QH4LoPDntEQKbSmsNWaubeRaBRyGj3J8IuZ6WD9my0uLx7gakn6fwAIoOrHzS84M2csqR-VKAAsz01sFtc3JZKH96A9RijQq5se39T7rQTC00OiHpdljXTtc4GIoIYvnCq95QJGPJ6uz7q8yw67cAfag02U17LPW0lqn8d_d0pt7fP6MigW9RW6CsLIOakY=&c=3FKbSsM32cnEFm84xT6u1heYuBoS4UT5LpGuW-q12p3x-IivrrajjA==&ch=OARfJuWj9mLhoVeRnenv3CFcR3JXCUTDi7eHoUkCEb8_i2J9qJh61A==) The Secretary of the Interior proposes withdrawing certain federal lands surrounding the Chaco Culture National Historical Park from entry under the United States mining laws and from leasing under the mineral leasing laws. Comments and public meeting requests must be received by April 6, 2022.
* [Native American Issues](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDIuNTI3ODg2OTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nYW8uZ292L3Byb2R1Y3RzL2dhby0yMi0xMDU2ODU_dXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPXVzZ2FvX2VtYWlsJnV0bV9jb250ZW50PXRvcGljX25hdHVyYWxyZXNvdXJjZXMmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.y_wmq1I7T9SRV5qZqBCzzYxNvDepXkgeCMOML5yrZE0/s/571607519/br/126031303687-l): [Federal Agency Efforts and Challenges Repatriating Cultural Items](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDIuNTI3ODg2OTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nYW8uZ292L3Byb2R1Y3RzL2dhby0yMi0xMDU2ODU_dXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPXVzZ2FvX2VtYWlsJnV0bV9jb250ZW50PXRvcGljX25hdHVyYWxyZXNvdXJjZXMmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.7uXpILx-3Bc61Vh9Q_pY26u9QyWCIwZUAtZVwtYFfS8/s/571607519/br/126031303687-l), Statement of Anna Maria Ortiz, Director, Natural Resources and Environment GAO-22-105685
* NPS Grants Useful to Tribes - Open Opportunities. A number of NPS competitive grants have open and extended deadlines, including some useful to Tribes. Listed below, click through for more info on eligibility requirements and program objectives.
	+ [Underrepresented Community Grant Program](https://nationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com/ap/r/2b0f1c75457e440abd82a51e1907b347) deadline Feb. 8
	+ [Tribal Heritage Grants](https://nationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com/ap/r/c6ea8d5296834139be8d62ade23332a3): deadline March 1
	+ [Save America’s Treasures](https://nationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com/ap/r/0ae884c4f90e43dd93e0a64a126340d5): deadline March 10
	+ [NAGPRA Consultation/Documentation Grants](https://nationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com/ap/r/ec5618627e78439faf6b15b1bc304c24): deadline March 14
	+ [NAGPRA Repatriation Grants](https://nationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com/ap/r/ec5618627e78439faf6b15b1bc304c24): deadline May 13
* L.A. Times article highlights how Tribes in the Colorado River watershed are playing an increasingly large role in managing the scarce water resources. [Read the article](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0dtmBg_2K4pCaGZS5E_4L70VgiUhiTtz2uYrAwIAGc_p1GNlL4MvQBRKO3AB1P52yiebmhaXevsU5KovFj-vS7Ut_znLMgBp_Un18-TNSN9uMEYFSik1gucWd4N3hovOjScWryzPL7HHDWl6X2_-hsonbks9e5--WKog_S3McgSs=&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)

## **Regional Updates**

# IoW Webinar: Lessons from the Field: Stakeholder Engagement for Sustainable Outcomes With Ashley Ward, February 24, 2022 | 1PM - 2PM ET [Sign up Today](IoW%20Webinar%3A%20Lessons%20from%20the%20Field%3A%20Stakeholder%20Engagement%20for%20Sustainable%20Outcomes)!

# [Governing Ecological Connectivity in Cross-Scale Dependent Systems](https://consbio.us9.list-manage.com/track/click?u=3dea159e4cbe0a0ff3b43eadd&id=93afdc153e&e=c5455c0952)

# OCTO webinar with Allison Catalano on her [research on learning from conservation failure](https://octogroup.org/never-let-a-good-failure-go-to-waste-learning-from-conservation-failure/)

# Land Trust Alliance released the results of its 2020 National Land Trust Census, which documents more than 61 million acres of land voluntarily conserved nation-wide. [Explore the report](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0JT2hc2TudycRW_9-FQQc7YdQQYF1CbebeyGQ2z8ExVhh2mGLHDGxU2eOXK_QQa0yDHyL_LbgBF9jMbAZZXJ38I-cty_ZwKmoS5riR3Q7p-DKRREXrRe0IkR49MK5jcqC&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)

# [Understanding the landscape conservation implications of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0xVrLHzw-gFMKy1ZVvFm4JOFg5Wr12CiLBycpRr0GcgmX1-beDxRoUhYrBm3lYSmJTwmFnpK6fBu1NXx7FFTqiM5UJrNPwxjYC-yPagb0VAGSdO02PBo-BwWOCw4dh9n8TopnZBjaxD4G-3ja3qZktvWM_Cnn_u90NGjSb9V81H_z_jckwV_uqy5N27JW7YgZuSuMaj7enQoP5m6aqgJWyg==&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)

# Network for Landscape Conservation was pleased to partner with the USFWS, USGS, the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies, and the Native American Fish and Wildlife Society to convene a national forum on the [“Future of Conservation.”](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001jxh1Qw7MBoHCtlP22O64UEcF2LalCP6wuKYOq1iozyutpg0cn0YGkW0lZ6QzT2r0GdNCyNbJw4-5Sm0j4uRYDrX88FfQERqs0U4kyQoJR-5C0cZhQcJgzJFrz9MOOY2DGW_G6bpXM2GNN9nm7DjGsqbEpBZZldBGCMYeJNv7IDvK-Ie4rDLGDA==&c=7ophDgIhK7JOkNh0NaV3nKYzRHBDh2f2Z1Ax_Pl2nxX3s2mntgB4lA==&ch=J__yBGrhGsDhsYzYdNFM5qgXzL-FLOKSrGBGwCLiq531Y6ExKFjliw==)

# The [search for an equitable solution in sharing water from the Colorado River](https://www.watereducation.org/western-water/colorado-river-shrinks-can-basin-find-equitable-solution-sharing-rivers-waters) is examined in a report from Western Water.

# The [Lincoln Institute of Land Policy](https://www.lincolninst.edu/) has released a new report, Integrating Land Use and Water Management.

# [Western Monarchs Rebound but Still Below Historic Population](https://www.usnews.com/news/us/articles/2022-01-25/western-monarchs-rebound-but-still-below-historic-population)

# [Monarch butterfly conservation efforts improve. Are they enough?](https://www.eenews.net/articles/monarch-butterfly-conservation-efforts-improve-are-they-enough/)

# [Mountain West News #270 – Orphaned oil wells, wildlife and highways](http://click.revue.email/ss/c/XN2t88CAhalHja1RClwc6nfV-nStt3kVsgZH5NOVlm1hZ6SLKi_OsU1gN3Wajoc3d8zTx1utEhk33bofABT3--yiOv40dD8G0NAm91U5NSX4VkUdupQj0dzzQsGVWNm6Ez_P2CQg3zKBdXXW8i5PlAi8kMYrUsufulrsVLFxZIq8UEUkUId6e4Usj8i_ShdQT2QyidWuXVnerdygCUzjZ_0LDM8Hj3zeCqyxHPhy_yQ/3iv/IY9hs4iHSIuWAlTr30elYQ/h1/zwAtyht7ezmgrtcV5KcXhD9mqGNg2-QTEjQTinDT_CM)

# [Mountain West News #269 – Wolves, Wildlife, Coal and the urban interface](http://click.revue.email/ss/c/XN2t88CAhalHja1RClwc6nfV-nStt3kVsgZH5NOVlm1hZ6SLKi_OsU1gN3Wajoc346ZSlFRjqA0CMPyWjR6qSXvqQuiFO3F0KrfVe5yWAJEwKuuAitPgON8Cgx3KwVRWbrIxoxjjBRa1lc3nVP3LCnTlIC_A2oVVGnT1JYHbAY6LTfmAf7fhZYsJWTDNDuid127MDvVyqrlMvMsF29em8PIpkrc1ErNc2UW2OLc-U5k/3it/YiT8lpllTqqjHHkEl81tvA/h1/sO0ja8OxKBYn0hf3aVdBPsR2pjxmMd9eKHHPDTuh_N0)

# [New Science to Better Protect This Iconic U.S. Bird](https://click.pewtrusts.org/?qs=282ae45cceb20c2264f4fe262adde53526e51dae33a428bf9dcd80e4cc0ad754b5825a533643b561057b85d4bd9b741c7d26d7ddd4ab87a9)

# [World's Largest Wildlife Crossing Is Finally Underway in Los Angeles](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0019By7n9MO1vpCaPgOo3M2coo-jse4rn899t4j3_O-TLarpFZtGfPrULFwYY__ip3TTOGY67jXDmw5uiBfBf7VX-lj7SXM9eBHIZCegOAq6mNNjhZcm1dk6DpAbjWaRdLvKYNpBdxvv5zpOqU994P7qvBDR__bNh5IddJM7GT4fggiXT_k33d0r3e2v0y-z4BMppodWwmxHSBEDxLdk9wFt8IzOgAkptNANv7vGGiwPxXLq5t2MghN-kFsFHLj9Xip&c=JuRpZlVD0jeJ_28cflZFlkjl3vByC4zvTRjUEkTZZd-kHfr2LtVaow==&ch=0nd203i7HaXy9v7jj8HzdH7RuBYRX6qWV9Zn34s8OHZ8X0-VOwgSag==)

# [Wet December aids Colorado River flows](https://www.azcentral.com/story/news/local/arizona-environment/2022/01/07/colorado-river-could-see-normal-flows-into-lake-powell-spring-2022/9136535002/)

# [Upcoming Webinar: The Sentinel Landscapes Partnership](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001NSpCJFQON6m3LVf48wEm82VI8qV1Ni94KWzqMad-HuNh_Bj9KqN-HPGETtY_3K4vJ_pvZjjJILCv2bVzCBDBwRipr3ZlFe19sjUfa00X6s1s6KKbCteYuN0yywFCucJeAyQP_uweASJ7izwJjs_GdCfq_0MEfckVwwitp1rw-ZDWUDlQ09o_DTmBDRR1860G9PPr_iAwyT0=&c=jj2gg0t9fwwkgtxOnXmLzeMc9YA7zShmIpgebmmiKR_jKzA80HL_cw==&ch=dQUYqgMPv0MA9lHrE3vgrmj9iG58RLvcULMj6XFWYjvIWG6pcs7RoA==) Thursday, February 17th at 1 pm ET. *Please visit our* [*Landscape in Action Webinar Series website*](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001NSpCJFQON6m3LVf48wEm82VI8qV1Ni94KWzqMad-HuNh_Bj9KqN-HPGETtY_3K4vT5dPXl9f9ccFeayyYqrMd3_rxmCFFqO0dJoFqH2hfYTT77LWTDcaSqE_EZkoJV_VYCf9El2EuI7-tZr_thsp6S5VTenBfbgwWDKcWV0YlsBwZgfnftgSJNmwRRk_RWYa_yT1ZH81UIVlDR9L3Bp_DPbnj2QsvHrWRhdHOAmI23FT33v8Rkprhg8teMMgm-P4RKvfmZFfpqa-WGruh56_SgjnXeTL47MzpuuUJ5YcsaL4yejU50ZY4ve3VQED9UgH1wu1QOd7P6vdgpFu2SkaQ5iUa6s4kGRD-p-E2jAuGmEx80qsXwwRV5hTWxeKh5KC&c=jj2gg0t9fwwkgtxOnXmLzeMc9YA7zShmIpgebmmiKR_jKzA80HL_cw==&ch=dQUYqgMPv0MA9lHrE3vgrmj9iG58RLvcULMj6XFWYjvIWG6pcs7RoA==)

# [Recording Available](https://awwi.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=5d3d92cd3e2023b7014cc4e16&id=21038285c0&e=514925af40). Public Webinar on Bat Behavior and Interactions with Wind Turbines

# WestFast: January Newsletter: U.S. saw its 4th-warmest year on record, fueled by a record-warm December - Nation struck with 20 separate billion-dollar disasters in 2021, Secretary Vilsack Announces New 10 Year Strategy to Confront the Wildfire Crisis, EPA Announces Action Plan to Accelerate Cyber-Resilience for the Water Sector, Reclamation approves $20.5 million to build drought resiliency in five states, and more. read it [here](https://westernstateswater.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/JANUARY-2022-WestFAST-Newsletter.pdf)

**WRRC**

* WRRC and Partners Engage Rural Leaders About Post-Fire Watershed Recovery [After the Fire Video Series](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001gXe8rbD_osfgesjJxwBnjgx9fTxA6SEAwGPGxeTh8bJDBiDbFaDyMoaI9z4gDa01WTe3-rEJY-FG-orQQAiHU6L0lumLMwDWvt0iVN2nnHyCd13HBzOZOYyddEz9py7tCDhP097gI4Z3gu6Yjifxb_RqTXRRMWRRuHmSulacORHambz7DKkvEw==&c=RtTo2BvNfjeba2Z5tX5nq5rFI3NAisr32LzVUrJGVgr0JoEFwO7l6Q==&ch=V1ZJ3RpnmBmpr59Lk3EkptZUnYz1Utex9hfQQqWi4Z2X1m_EbkufWA==)
* The Central Arizona Project released [CAP Allocations Map](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001SVZxE1C9zys85BAfzS3MfEMgx8EUiD5p06VKy2pZjwEeKtRLUzSMsriNtlpXtBXUmarv3niRVhE_p_84MEG5dtMZQNWD65onmyvPd9R_gw9bv2_vmeLM0LrxrAvRi5lsI32U8rnq8W9kQZcD4Q8q-kzTEEJQDDS_T2-Bvsn9LUw5kAAgrlxxZ0LtB-Dven3-03ZE8CZhWRfY5Y9QwG4fKRDxSiOeEUz3tLWm2o9Gt5EmD_NIScg5lA==&c=usjS2kSA-98wGNqPVMNyB-eOC_NwDh3g5g9I1u5Ouhl2Tvgq0WUkag==&ch=5H4fQFm8jlisRIf80Ix2T5R_jtev2cxo3LfiqAXPFRAz6_LpucXhRw==)
* [WRRC Weekly Water – January 28th, 2022](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1GtrPoeTUiHeptCcXv6shXQZDEYTitrWKZX5z6ge07RgbaeWQCnfDBRXqc7LfQhbe9DxnUYjx5nvLeyXRrxuVDxg==&c=eGrMjk8efyxuw41bcfVAv5pzVwyuch1QgQw1WpxThIdySXZQ7EqPlQ==&ch=1O_noOeZIitysh-EVwxhoVjwMF8zKzbb3N9fBVVKoBiLPpXEpi5Hhg==)
* New Publication Assesses Sustainable Groundwater Withdrawal. [View the Article](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1GDEUQSQzP9sdB7FXa_GmA7zMDKPFGBcarC-NLgvklNH4z6lXEkCm1OU7S79cvsL0Uaa41HIi9PD2Ay9qRh8qOfp3I0OU3g7gU1WJIuRN_6A0=&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==)  [Special Issue](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHC6C8GYrlr3O-BBkM7Iu8QvbGtGLMO-9_jg0pYUNasbczMP26W2G_mbE_8IjwVE_Jtyx4-V7juQ6YELGhtFQcznfw9s3IaH3ZDuMoJoW9m2MVb49_3rsi-H2htxi8gVdvR-jY3sI5quHaK5dGmj9tSTHvWWQk9KEYg==&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==)
* Feb 15. Time: 12:00-1:15 pm Arizona Time: [Brown Bag Webinar: All In: Confronting Southern Nevada’s New Water Reality](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001wbq5mzfIrZHWer3m5O-Rr8g6e-y3lpIoJccd5U1cMqCa_bPWv0WPHIFNl43dRf1GKi8xIcogQuEstuRWz-y_WJS7XzurWIgKAT9Z30l86Cb6JcINjJp2HDPLlEZF4hSyrPO-V7ITAhXe5Wn7nL6dH8KmISPW49Py9-aGuaIGsZPKtow3s45S5i6uErzrAHmAX3CdlB9x81AHsuJ-nNW4IjBTVDxpQQ8yaGQye6UYkjMX4uAqBtkzaFFVvGM17bgGUWoC0a0bTu0=&c=f0641H5JNptCaDa0rk60ee9abPDrGXtNfKPH5ggL0lyo91arhk951Q==&ch=MpfC9IX4uzIqzPdCE962vnFtBPAAbCl_LFUOW3ZV5izKmFnnf9bLwg==); Colby Pellegrino, Deputy General Manager, Resources, Southern Nevada Water Authority, [Register Here](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001SVZxE1C9zys85BAfzS3MfEMgx8EUiD5p06VKy2pZjwEeKtRLUzSMsriNtlpXtBXUev_Tn0PG9DLEsqIbLbpOe0Azm7sj6n38LIFPdVtcmq9q6UMInKwyJf6_thrk0WnyItbAVIjmjcCRyVADZ6wAxX0fj9OYsugi&c=usjS2kSA-98wGNqPVMNyB-eOC_NwDh3g5g9I1u5Ouhl2Tvgq0WUkag==&ch=5H4fQFm8jlisRIf80Ix2T5R_jtev2cxo3LfiqAXPFRAz6_LpucXhRw==) [More Info](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001SVZxE1C9zys85BAfzS3MfEMgx8EUiD5p06VKy2pZjwEeKtRLUzSMsvm6iVuEYhFc9wXcDSm0hTkWwGQnDyDf-usWrwYZs1Uf7Tr0OFZUzNFcP_AAf146sXZt0zYn71b4f60wflAc9MAy0iS4PvfTEUChqWJ8NFH_O1VNpSN8GUnnFFp0h-8Glz-Jf3k_LG6435SEdRKvZWx3YFillKH12-aBEpygaEbSHbVXoRDkexH65IorIKiQF-27NXBF08yNq0CynEeEStk=&c=usjS2kSA-98wGNqPVMNyB-eOC_NwDh3g5g9I1u5Ouhl2Tvgq0WUkag==&ch=5H4fQFm8jlisRIf80Ix2T5R_jtev2cxo3LfiqAXPFRAz6_LpucXhRw==)
* [Reflections: On Connecting Land Planning and Water Planning](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ZA6toZTesm2UQhKFfYJY0dXI7uRknOdBMFxuxE9LQvE6kZqFXMJBktsXNoZWtxY3Nz67Vo1mcGezIZNuaxFk8TA76pDRiVXTS4c9ud0mu4Ib-6vnhB8awTY71f_tyaoroDqtke52pMFF3NIv2M3azq3GL_zvfJkf4Nk2E0xlAw4DR9FteWpA83LJUNa8dujzQCzP0Yr9SVOwQwS90r1CvjkduPmRssuY&c=1B3nfaUzEbJX1nrbXOyxjT8PdtSauLtpwDTH0No1jukZkW7ohavu9g==&ch=mfDFCpnaONi9-DY7Zx18FODPBFIBczhEnGKNCyFTk6yCeeq7D09P4Q==)
* [WRRC Weekly Wave – January 14, 2022](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001IdiKgbzftX1tR0eSSenKcZQMLBPFHoIDuoXJWQ866vfzFmcWpCFnaEL6DLdBlHkAE6B6eDAnr6TnWwwOOgTD_A_7ki6bvGPaBHAO8pUZ2UURH_SOJNRPGjInSSe0KM9JaUe4JH9fbYai6JPatnKvdg==&c=bwP3h9szNjFKlbjb-EswsNv8HBG_LRG1JzUlYIkRrDlVKftbLeclyw==&ch=Hu2gLzgKLGnccqqBWC-NMQx-l_MBxjU8EGOkFkoJVCFDj6NGA44Ntg==)
* [WRRC Weekly Wave – Jan 7, 2022](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001gXe8rbD_osfgesjJxwBnjgx9fTxA6SEAwGPGxeTh8bJDBiDbFaDyMoaI9z4gDa01Ksudg_p_6K0mkqNDugtwOEPZF-5jwHupi691BoTkwXoJfmIcPM_Ya14eJsDEiO1ai6lAW-QAyuBSa_MKWHycxA==&c=KlDYu6elgoO5Bz0lUz-ukufpSv3jYBJgef8YArsRThIkdJljTKufXg==&ch=MjNkT53lHQZpeVBis2EMOmDkXgTa1RXYHCaLz0agl7MF4971_2Oxyw==)
* As 2021 ended, the Lower Colorado River Basin states, their partners, and the US Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) reached an agreement to take additional steps to protect the water level in Lake Mead. Referred to as the “500+ Plan,” the agreement aims to leave an additional 500,000 acre-feet of water (per year) in the reservoir above the 2019 Drought Contingency Plan commitments for 2022 and 2023. [500+ Plan Factsheet](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001gXe8rbD_osfgesjJxwBnjgx9fTxA6SEAwGPGxeTh8bJDBiDbFaDyMoaI9z4gDa01xcscapv0I9A_Ail1g1hMmIYGJEZkfG9sViHPtoE_51Foyda8Mei_4TR10y1Wk4Ox5O599PLiDz8qD9RjawunUH-KBqjkt4sAGLEfO_A5-rnfWVbCSNZ1cC65pXGNw6088dPkyuhE9kTBgQxJvoRDoOwh88R3tuP3bJdEvtS-Z-MRCBdK1NRYGJdb32lnxIAS&c=RtTo2BvNfjeba2Z5tX5nq5rFI3NAisr32LzVUrJGVgr0JoEFwO7l6Q==&ch=V1ZJ3RpnmBmpr59Lk3EkptZUnYz1Utex9hfQQqWi4Z2X1m_EbkufWA==)  [ADWR News Release](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001gXe8rbD_osfgesjJxwBnjgx9fTxA6SEAwGPGxeTh8bJDBiDbFaDyMoaI9z4gDa01FcECqeuwmE0H5Mp-0Zan0YabVZes9xCfAMo_q14HDG_LzSDF3h_Q3QRnoIP5Dgnzq9NdgFuU4KXl32yxlDC0IvaW6LwfW2yDQsOCnvSpe-tld-Tse6npGQ==&c=RtTo2BvNfjeba2Z5tX5nq5rFI3NAisr32LzVUrJGVgr0JoEFwO7l6Q==&ch=V1ZJ3RpnmBmpr59Lk3EkptZUnYz1Utex9hfQQqWi4Z2X1m_EbkufWA==)

# Military Readiness, Homeland Security,

# Disaster Preparedness and Aviation

## **Military Readiness**

**DoD**

* [Pentagon Report: Air Force should work with Army, Navy on hypersonic best practices](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26542688.113430/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL3BlbnRhZ29uLXJlcG9ydC1haXItZm9yY2UtYXJteS1uYXZ5LWh5cGVyc29uaWMtYmVzdC1wcmFjdGljZXMv/57588738498e574579743a61Bf4d2ad2f)
* [New 5G challenge to incentivize open architecture solutions](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26542688.113430/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL3Ntci81Zy8yMDIyLzAxLzI4L25ldy01Zy1jaGFsbGVuZ2UtdG8taW5jZW50aXZpemUtb3Blbi1hcmNoaXRlY3R1cmUtc29sdXRpb25zLw/57588738498e574579743a61Bc8980f2f)
* [Democratic Lawmakers Press DOD on Climate Rule Adherence](https://defensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7&id=df3eea1518&e=822f95e226)
* [SecDef Austin Summons Hypersonics CEOs](https://link.defenseone.com/click/26509817.6243/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vdGVjaG5vbG9neS8yMDIyLzAxL3NlY2RlZi1hdXN0aW4tc3VtbW9ucy1oeXBlcnNvbmljcy1jZW9zLzM2MTIyOS8_b3JlZj1kMV9hcm15X25s/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4B3860b3b0)
* [Marines, Navy would cut flying hours, cancel weapon purchases under full-year CR](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26489182.114301/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL25hdmFsLzIwMjIvMDEvMjUvbmF2eS1tYXJpbmVzLXdvdWxkLWN1dC1mbHlpbmctaG91cnMtY2FuY2VsLXdlYXBvbi1wdXJjaGFzZXMtdW5kZXItZnVsbC15ZWFyLWNyLw/57588738498e574579743a61B1b9a5e0c)
* [Who's in Charge of US Space Policy?](https://link.defenseone.com/click/26299213.92315/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vcG9saWN5LzIwMjIvMDEvd2hvcy1jaGFyZ2UtdXMtc3BhY2UtcG9saWN5LzM2MDUyOC8_b3JlZj1kZWZlbnNlX29uZV9icmVha2luZ19ubA/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4Bbd29e41c)
* [ADC Live: Robert Hale and John Conger on Continuing Resolutions](https://defensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7&id=3c8e6d8699&e=822f95e226)
* [New in 2022: Can the Air Force find a smarter way to deploy?](https://link.airforcetimes.com/click/26271414.100877/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2V0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLWFpci1mb3JjZS8yMDIyLzAxLzA1L25ldy1pbi0yMDIyLWNhbi10aGUtYWlyLWZvcmNlLWZpbmQtYS1zbWFydGVyLXdheS10by1kZXBsb3kv/57588738498e574579743a61Bf169be18)
* ESTCP Solicitation for FY 2023 Funding: Environmental and Installation Energy Technologies. Pre-proposals are due March 10, 2022, prior to 2:00 p.m. (ET) Link:  [FY23 ESTCP BAA Topic B7 Biological Control of Non-indigenous Invasive Species Affecting the Military Testing and Training Activities (serdp-estcp.org)](https://www.serdp-estcp.org/Funding-Opportunities/ESTCP-Solicitations/BAA-Proposal-Instructions/FY23-ESTCP-BAA-Topic-B7-Biological-Control-of-Non-indigenous-Invasive-Species-Affecting-the-Military-Testing-and-Training-Activities)
* Project Wingspan Pollinator Habitat Technical Training Workshop Series.
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	+ Workshop 3: Restoration Project Planning, Native Plant Materials, and Site Preparation Pollinator Habitat Restoration. [Register For Free On Demand Viewing Of Workshop 3](https://form.jotform.com/220103486466150)
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* [REPI Monthly Newsletter - January 2022 Edition](%5Bhttps%3A/repiprogram.createsend1.com/t/d-e-akijtlk-l-r/%5D)
* [*2021 Report on REPI Program Outcomes and Benefits to Military Mission Capabilities*](https://www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Metrics_Reports/2021_REPI_MetricsReport_FINAL_LOWRES_11JAN22v1.pdf) report summarizes over 16 years of planning and execution data submitted by the Military Services to quantify the extent of known or potential land use conflicts, solutions to address those conflicts, and overall investments in and benefits to military capabilities.
* The REPI office and Sentinel Landscapes Partnership are thrilled to release the [2022 webinar series schedule](https://www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Webinars/2022%20REPI%20Webinar%20Schedule%20011322_v2.pdf). The webinar series will start on Wednesday, February 16, at 1:00 PM ET, with the *Engineering with Nature to Reduce Flood Risk* webinar.  All webinars begin at 1:00 PM ET and recordings will be posted to the REPI website afterward if you are unable to attend.  For detailed webinar descriptions and connection instructions, visit the REPI website [<http://www.REPI.mil/Resources/Webinars/>

**USAF**

* [Kendall: Air Force still digging itself out of ‘readiness hole’](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26554541.103626/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL2tlbmRhbGwtYWlyLWZvcmNlLXN0aWxsLWRpZ2dpbmctaXRzZWxmLW91dC1vZi1yZWFkaW5lc3MtaG9sZS8/57588738498e574579743a61B8ed71313)
* [Deadly aircraft accidents declined in 2021, Air Force says](https://link.airforcetimes.com/click/26554541.103626/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2V0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLWFpci1mb3JjZS8yMDIyLzAxLzMxL2RlYWRseS1haXJjcmFmdC1hY2NpZGVudHMtZGVjbGluZWQtaW4tMjAyMS1haXItZm9yY2Utc2F5cy8/57588738498e574579743a61Bb4defc63)
* [March ARB is Air Force’s top choice for new tanker planes — and could get protection against closure](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26489182.114301/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuc3RyaXBlcy5jb20vYnJhbmNoZXMvYWlyX2ZvcmNlLzIwMjItMDEtMjUvbWFyY2gtYWlyLXJlc2VydmUtYmFzZS1haXItZm9yY2UtdG9wLWNob2ljZS1wZWdhc3VzLTQ0MTEyMzkuaHRtbA/57588738498e574579743a61B85373afc)
* [Air Combat Command designates five ‘lead wings’](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26439093.110339/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL2Fpci1jb21iYXQtY29tbWFuZC1kZXNpZ25hdGVzLWZpdmUtbGVhZC13aW5ncy8/57588738498e574579743a61Bb85c9ec9)
* [Kendall Reiterates Urgency of Modernizing Air and Space Forces](https://defensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7&id=5805d1504f&e=822f95e226)
* A year-long continuing resolution would [cost the Air Force](https://link.defenseone.com/click/26373436.7945/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vcG9saWN5LzIwMjIvMDEvbWlsaXRhcnktY2hpZWZzLXNvdW5kLWFsYXJtLXByb3Bvc2FsLWhvbGQtMjAyMi1zcGVuZGluZy1sYXN0LXllYXJzLWxldmVsLzM2MDY5Ni8/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4Be61cdba1) $3.5 billion and cost the Space Force $2 billion, the chiefs of those services testified to Congress last week. The cuts would freeze 78 "new start" programs, including the new [Ground Based Strategic Deterrent](https://link.govexec.com/click/26373436.7945/aHR0cHM6Ly9zZ3AuZmFzLm9yZy9jcnMvbmF0c2VjL0lGMTE2ODEucGRm/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4B0f6d7667) ICBM, which would be delayed past its planned 2029 start. The B-21 new strategic bomber would also be delayed by up to a year.
* [USAF aircraft availability on long downward trend, CBO says](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26326083.106500/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL3VzYWYtYWlyY3JhZnQtYXZhaWxhYmlsaXR5LW9uLWxvbmctZG93bndhcmQtdHJlbmQtY2JvLXNheXMv/57588738498e574579743a61Ba41e0e35)

* [Air Force’s major accidents trending down slightly](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26411498.115226/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL2Fpci1mb3JjZS1tYWpvci1hY2NpZGVudHMtdHJlbmRpbmctZG93bi1zbGlnaHRseS8/57588738498e574579743a61Bd43b6da0%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
* [University of New Mexico tapped for Air Force space program](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26411498.115226/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWJxam91cm5hbC5jb20vMjQ2MjA2OS91bm0tdGFwcGVkLWZvci1haXItZm9yY2Utc3BhY2UtcHJvZ3JhbS5odG1s/57588738498e574579743a61B3da85987)

**Army**

* [US Army’s tactical network must overcome several challenges, says Pentagon weapons tester](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26542688.113430/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL2JhdHRsZWZpZWxkLXRlY2gvaXQtbmV0d29ya3MvMjAyMi8wMS8yOC91cy1hcm15cy10YWN0aWNhbC1uZXR3b3JrLW11c3Qtb3ZlcmNvbWUtc2V2ZXJhbC1jaGFsbGVuZ2VzLXNheXMtcGVudGFnb24td2VhcG9ucy10ZXN0ZXIv/57588738498e574579743a61B4790bb58)
* [The Army is putting lasers on Strykers powerful enough to shoot down drones and helicopters](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26502182.106397/aHR0cHM6Ly90YXNrYW5kcHVycG9zZS5jb20vbWlsaXRhcnktdGVjaC9hcm15LXN0cnlrZXItbGFzZXItd2VhcG9ucy1zeXN0ZW0tc2hvcmFkLw/57588738498e574579743a61Bfd3027eb)
* [US Army plans to make big advances in cloud initiatives this year](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26364556.113055/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL2l0LW5ldHdvcmtzLzIwMjIvMDEvMTMvdXMtYXJteS1wbGFucy10by1tYWtlLWJpZy1hZHZhbmNlcy1pbi1jbG91ZC1pbml0aWF0aXZlcy10aGlzLXllYXIv/57588738498e574579743a61Bd87d99e1)
* [The Army is turning robotic combat vehicles into tank hunters](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26338703.101473/aHR0cHM6Ly9uYXRpb25hbGludGVyZXN0Lm9yZy9ibG9nL2J1enovYXJteS10dXJuaW5nLXJvYm90aWMtY29tYmF0LXZlaGljbGVzLXRhbmstaHVudGVycy0xOTkxNDQ/57588738498e574579743a61Beda2f546)
* [Explosion video shows drone obliterating another drone in test for US Army](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26338703.101473/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV3c3dlZWsuY29tL2V4cGxvc2lvbi12aWRlby1kcm9uZS1vYmxpdGVyYXRlLXVzLWFybXktdGVzdC1yYXl0aGVvbi1jb3lvdGUtMTY2Nzk0NA/57588738498e574579743a61Bc49383d5)
* [The US Army put experimentation and prototyping at the core of its modernization initiative. Is it working?](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26326083.106500/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL2xhbmQvMjAyMi8wMS8xMC90aGUtdXMtYXJteS1wdXQtZXhwZXJpbWVudGF0aW9uLWFuZC1wcm90b3R5cGluZy1hdC10aGUtY29yZS1vZi1pdHMtbW9kZXJuaXphdGlvbi1pbml0aWF0aXZlLWlzLWl0LXdvcmtpbmcv/57588738498e574579743a61B2cf2c109)

**Navy**

* [US Navy adopts new strategy prioritizing ‘the building blocks’ of unmanned tech](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26542688.113430/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL25hdmFsLzIwMjIvMDEvMjgvdXMtbmF2eS1hZG9wdHMtbmV3LXN0cmF0ZWd5LXByaW9yaXRpemluZy10aGUtYnVpbGRpbmctYmxvY2tzLW9mLXVubWFubmVkLXRlY2gv/57588738498e574579743a61De9252e1d)
* [The Navy's new train car has all the firepower and tech you need for nuclear security](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26515738.114096/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWlsaXRhcnkuY29tL2RhaWx5LW5ld3MvMjAyMi8wMS8yNy9uYXZ5cy1uZXctdHJhaW4tY2FyLWhhcy1hbGwtZmlyZXBvd2VyLWFuZC10ZWNoLXlvdS1uZWVkLW51Y2xlYXItc2VjdXJpdHkuaHRtbA/57588738498e574579743a61Bc34bdc42)
* [Inflation, unpredictable funding straining Navy readiness says top officer](https://link.navytimes.com/click/26399121.116526/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmF2eXRpbWVzLmNvbS9uZXdzL3lvdXItbmF2eS8yMDIyLzAxLzE0L2luZmxhdGlvbi11bnByZWRpY3RhYmxlLWZ1bmRpbmctc3RyYWluaW5nLW5hdnktcmVhZGluZXNzLXNheXMtdG9wLW9mZmljZXIv/57588738498e574579743a61Becf1f7e0)
* [Navy unveils latest concept for future destroyer, DDG(X)](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26364556.113055/aHR0cHM6Ly9icmVha2luZ2RlZmVuc2UuY29tLzIwMjIvMDEvbmF2eS11bnZlaWxzLWxhdGVzdC1jb25jZXB0LWZvci1mdXR1cmUtZGVzdHJveWVyLWRkZ3gv/57588738498e574579743a61B852e587e)
* [US Navy works to speed up damage assessments, ship repairs](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26364556.113055/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL25hdmFsLzIwMjIvMDEvMTMvdXMtbmF2eS13b3Jrcy10by1zcGVlZC11cC1kYW1hZ2UtYXNzZXNzbWVudHMtc2hpcC1yZXBhaXJzLw/57588738498e574579743a61Bd9c5409c)

**USMC**

* [The Marine Corps is officially flying its ‘most powerful’ helicopter ever](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26439093.110339/aHR0cHM6Ly90YXNrYW5kcHVycG9zZS5jb20vbmV3cy9tYXJpbmUtY29ycHMtZmllbGRpbmctY2g1M2stbW9zdC1wb3dlcmZ1bC1oZWxpY29wdGVyLw/57588738498e574579743a61B65e5eef7)
* [First Marine F-35C squadron deploys on an aircraft carrier](https://link.marinecorpstimes.com/click/26364556.113055/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWFyaW5lY29ycHN0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLW1hcmluZS1jb3Jwcy8yMDIyLzAxLzEzL2ZpcnN0LW1hcmluZS1mLTM1Yy1kZXBsb3lzLW9uLWFpcmNyYWZ0LWNhcnJpZXIv/57588738498e574579743a61B145a87c2)
* [New in 2022: Marine Corps light armored reconnaissance is at a crossroad](https://link.marinecorpstimes.com/click/26338703.101473/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWFyaW5lY29ycHN0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLW1hcmluZS1jb3Jwcy8yMDIyLzAxLzExL25ldy1pbi0yMDIyLW1hcmluZS1jb3Jwcy1saWdodC1hcm1vcmVkLXJlY29ubmFpc3NhbmNlLWlzLWF0LWEtY3Jvc3Nyb2FkLw/57588738498e574579743a61Bf8f3f417)
* [Marine Amphibious Combat Vehicles Returning to the Water](https://link.govexec.com/click/26321850.69373/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZ292ZXhlYy5jb20vZGVmZW5zZS8yMDIyLzAxL21hcmluZS1hbXBoaWJpb3VzLWNvbWJhdC12ZWhpY2xlcy1yZXR1cm5pbmctd2F0ZXIvMzYwNTg5Lz9vcmVmPWdvdmV4ZWNfdG9kYXlfcG1fbmw/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B51ea3673)
* [New in 2022: These cannon-cockers are testing the Corps’ new ship-sinking missile](https://link.marinecorpstimes.com/click/26248576.98409/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWFyaW5lY29ycHN0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLW1hcmluZS1jb3Jwcy8yMDIyLzAxLzAzL25ldy1pbi0yMDIyLXRoZXNlLWNhbm5vbi1jb2NrZXJzLWFyZS10ZXN0aW5nLXRoZS1jb3Jwcy1uZXctc2hpcC1zaW5raW5nLW1pc3NpbGUv/57588738498e574579743a61B49b11c87)

**Space Force**

* [Pentagon’s new space acquisition arm to take shape in 2022](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26542688.113430/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL3BlbnRhZ29ucy1uZXctc3BhY2UtYWNxdWlzaXRpb24tYXJtLXRvLXRha2Utc2hhcGUtaW4tMjAyMi8/57588738498e574579743a61B221bb7f2)
* [What will the US Space Force be able to do with its new GPS III variant?](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26326083.106500/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL2JhdHRsZWZpZWxkLXRlY2gvc3BhY2UvMjAyMi8wMS8wOS93aGF0LXdpbGwtdGhlLXVzLXNwYWNlLWZvcmNlLWJlLWFibGUtdG8tZG8td2l0aC1pdHMtbmV3LWdwcy1paWktdmFyaWFudC8/57588738498e574579743a61Bd0d9d3c8)
* [Fighting comes into focus for the Space Force in 2022](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26248576.98409/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2VtYWcuY29tL2ZpZ2h0aW5nLWNvbWVzLWludG8tZm9jdXMtZm9yLXRoZS1zcGFjZS1mb3JjZS1pbi0yMDIyLw/57588738498e574579743a61B735c4b63)

## **Homeland Security/Disaster Preparedness**

* [USDA Forest Service Awards $600 Million for Recovery Efforts in California](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001874DWf2fRG4DVdg4n0yxqaKO05DPk69TmV-pEEQpg7BzncNAdKoinobBbpd21pHgYNxjnX_VVKDmdqSKZwo4aHzRkgX5aTJQjzPsFHaKi0OvQXHa5NmvJDNqNeEecAu7-ObRfofjaehJ4tr2zlWf6ftDnw7eeoG_VCNcj2aa-JklTxfw_yN-fmxYBjy95JLrthVvn_FjUfJy5e-oW7zZzHOyExpFvgt2r90zsQF9FaslWog8k57eCZnlaKffgjpPBeCCsmeGluc=&c=8E-oe0iH_Wwj7VxQtU2Ke0Po5mL7IHq3z4Wcxv1rmJkbbzzN0vtsGw==&ch=efqVSc2ajvuOicd8iJDVUbmjT8vB-Bz-kvzGqNgk23XiWl3lYYZ25g==)
* [Pipeline Safety](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTMuNTE3NjI3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nYW8uZ292L3Byb2R1Y3RzL2dhby0yMi0xMDQ4MTc_dXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPXVzZ2FvX2VtYWlsJnV0bV9jb250ZW50PXRvcGljX25hdHVyYWxyZXNvdXJjZXMmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.sPTggcgoGFn2E5pFrG95sA1Nq_3m1UY-ULlDewnt7V0/s/571607519/br/124889483865-l): [Operators of Natural Gas and Hazardous Liquid Gathering Lines Face Data Collection Challenges](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTMuNTE3NjI3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nYW8uZ292L3Byb2R1Y3RzL2dhby0yMi0xMDQ4MTc_dXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPXVzZ2FvX2VtYWlsJnV0bV9jb250ZW50PXRvcGljX25hdHVyYWxyZXNvdXJjZXMmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.piO81U7q_7_v8U2PUQFXUhOraRPv-I0IHTzjMuwsuAs/s/571607519/br/124889483865-l), GAO-22-104817, January 13
* A [mapping tool](https://www.noaa.gov/news-release/new-noaa-tool-pinpoints-natural-disaster-risk-down-to-county-level) that provides information on natural disaster hazards across the United States has been released by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.
* [The Billion Dollar Weather Disasters That Struck the US Last Year](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26334662.12373/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL3B1YmxpYy1zYWZldHkvMjAyMi8wMS9wbGFjZXMtYmlsbGlvbi1kb2xsYXItZGlzYXN0ZXJzLXN0cnVjay1sYXN0LXllYXIvMzYwNjI2Lz9vcmVmPXJmLXRvZGF5LW5s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Cd98d732d)
* [California Hazard Mitigation Grant Program](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001LSxZaUCcSIA2yWIdPt--1PGnFd6sgnv86HEpEOk0MJTmjGUWACilyI3tbd7-wcCSsdJTRKALsogC5NB1urb_6KXb_Pi5_-x7ffYN7pDJKAsgpfmyvyoB74LwKA1Re5eIx2YnpDOX8sHbsfI3Dn0iF9f-T_5RkFoL-G2kFXLZk-uouFbiPmLZW9egZ4qhuFoD5jZNpbsgNoJ0Ax6Bn8rt8pOKl-B0Ovttp8oswu7pIcE=&c=ly9WnZ4DpXikA8LcvxexmsMO8LPmZYhbxB7dsZtUVO9aKby-6qT64A==&ch=YCULCi-ul4VXAIPN_gBr9JfIsKwgDnyzeL3GuCSo2yv3KbgwI6eVhw==)
* [U.S. Flood Policies Improved in 2021](https://click.pewtrusts.org/?qs=610b920614a6784773d94a4bce4f191cdbebe237fb97f029bc47b52a5016af3f0432af68c95d2c0bb966f97a2640e2d06391f6e4b80b98f4)
* [Devastating Colorado Fires Cap a Year of Climate Disasters, With One Side of the Country Too Wet, the Other Dangerously Dry](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26243956.25375/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL3B1YmxpYy1zYWZldHkvMjAyMi8wMS9kZXZhc3RhdGluZy1jb2xvcmFkby1maXJlcy1jYXAteWVhci1jbGltYXRlLWRpc2FzdGVycy0yMDIxLW9uZS1zaWRlLWNvdW50cnktdG9vLXdldC1vdGhlci1kYW5nZXJvdXNseS1kcnkvMzYwMjc3Lz9vcmVmPXJmLXRvZGF5LW5s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Ba7c13a6d)

**FEMA**

* FEMA is announcing a partnership with the [U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service](https://www.fws.gov/endangered/laws-policies/) and the [National Marine Fisheries Service](http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/pr/laws/esa/) (the Services) and developed the National Flood Insurance Program’s Endangered Species Act Section 7(a)(1) [Conservation Action Program](https://www.fema.gov/floodplain-management/wildlife-conservation). The program includes new [Community Rating System](https://www.fema.gov/floodplain-management/community-rating-system) activities for communities to earn credits for their species conservation efforts.
* [FEMA Resources for Climate Resilience](https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema_resources-climate-resilience.pdf)

**Cyber**

* [White House Expands Effort to Secure Water Systems Against Cyberattacks](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26418930.11372/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjIvMDEvZXBhLWxlYWRpbmctd2hpdGUtaG91c2UtZWZmb3J0LXNlY3VyZS13YXRlci1zZWN0b3ItYWdhaW5zdC1jeWJlcmF0dGFja3MvMzYxMjczLz9vcmVmPXJmLXRvZGF5LW5s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Bd8f55abc)
* [Biden Executive Order Reinforces Agency Cyber Priorities](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26483517.43265/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vY3liZXJzZWN1cml0eS8yMDIyLzAxL2JpZGVuLWV4ZWN1dGl2ZS1vcmRlci1yZWluZm9yY2VzLWFnZW5jeS1jeWJlci1wcmlvcml0aWVzLzM2MTE2Mi8_b3JlZj1uZXh0Z292X3RvZGF5X25s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B81f4865a)
* [Understanding and Mitigating Russian State-Sponsored Cyber Threats to U.S. Critical Infrastructure | CISA](https://www.cisa.gov/uscert/ncas/alerts/aa22-011a)
* [Top Public Sector Cybersecurity Threat No Longer is Employees](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26108710.23372/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL3RlY2gtZGF0YS8yMDIyLzAxL2dvdmVybm1lbnRzLWFyZS1tb3JlLWNvbmNlcm5lZC1hYm91dC1jeWJlcnNlY3VyaXR5LXRocmVhdHMtZXh0ZXJuYWwtc291cmNlcy1lbXBsb3llZXMtcmVwb3J0LXNob3dzLzM2MDcyMy8_b3JlZj1yZi10b2RheS1ubA/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B01149080)
* [Cyber innovation and partnerships are key to future deterrence](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26350982.113070/aHR0cHM6Ly9taWxpdGFyeXRpbWVzLmNvbS9vcGluaW9uL2NvbW1lbnRhcnkvMjAyMi8wMS8xMi9jeWJlci1pbm5vdmF0aW9uLWFuZC1wYXJ0bmVyc2hpcHMtYXJlLWtleS10by1mdXR1cmUtZGV0ZXJyZW5jZS8/57588738498e574579743a61B75e7fe3d)
* [A Look Inside The TSA's New Cybersecurity Regime For Pipelines And Railroads](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001WX2OOXQdasJLmUJg-twnOYzVr9dnIMTI13ZEPzsfyIXcRCdL09ql3rhs6N7ASVS12OHJtOXxgvCTHzFDQ9LRxuy78cuuPRCTwbyDP4xAUrY998Gxpzl6xBMyR5Ro8aZeY1qh6tq_Sy0rsKLIZLfCnN6OhxkCEG6FdjlDVIo9C-UFTFxQaT77huiRQxDxyWOKUQH14wU99VHCiXvsmZXe7cnUW0iQfhhNPf4L1D2mgOwlgW-rVVK0qqXHIdZ88G5IfWLuFSFyJEgQeQD7MWSYIXsh_wnSA52mNNY8TqvSQ0WVtZKdmauMecEVhbDe-iXj&c=VqDx4cf8QgQ1fQmEGN-FaR2fTqZqSwszEUzx-6et3zcg69BwNPrr0w==&ch=LWDFVHUAk7blYCwPuMcTSv_1bLaN-1lkpWiEGBOx00UFkDGie7qUvA==)
* [Cyberspace Solarium Commission to Reboot as a Non-Profit](https://link.defenseone.com/click/26268110.40569/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vcG9saWN5LzIwMjIvMDEvbGVnYWN5LWN5YmVyc3BhY2Utc29sYXJpdW0tY29tbWlzc2lvbi8zNjAzNTcvP29yZWY9ZF9icmllZl9ubA/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4Bd723fa98)
* [Feds Step Up Cybersecurity Support for State Governments](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26256148.7373/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL3RlY2gtZGF0YS8yMDIyLzAxL2ZlZHMtc3RlcC1jeWJlcnNlY3VyaXR5LXN1cHBvcnQtc3RhdGUtZ292ZXJubWVudHMvMzYwMzI2Lz9vcmVmPXJmLXRvZGF5LW5s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Ba0a4b6d9)
* [Arizona launches cyber command center to protect government and business](https://chamberbusinessnews.com/2022/01/04/arizona-launches-cyber-command-center-to-protect-government-and-business/)

**Wildfire**

* The Nature Conservancy Wildfire Risk Reduction. The report, [Quantifying Insurance Benefits of a Nature-based Approach to Reducing Risk: Wildfire Risk Reduction Buffers](https://consbio.us9.list-manage.com/track/click?u=3dea159e4cbe0a0ff3b43eadd&id=1dbf36f787&e=c5455c0952), shows that community-encircling wildfire buffers of land managed for fire risk, such as parks, playing fields, orchards, or other natural infrastructure projects, can help increase access to fire insurance in areas currently viewed as uninsurable by reducing the risk of property loss due to wildfire.
* [Exploring the Interagency Fuel Treatment Decision Support System](https://eepurl.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=5f6de7b069a57255f980944b4&id=1c157c9826&e=34607e62b5) (IFTDSS). February 16, 10:00-11:00 MT
* [U.S. forests grew denser over the past 20 years](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=45e3049620&e=e56d7a4004)
* [Department of Interior outlines changes enabled by Infrastructure Bill](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=06656a4e74&e=e56d7a4004)
* [Forest Service to spend Billions on thinning to reduce wildfire](https://www.azcentral.com/story/news/local/arizona-environment/2022/01/19/biden-administration-announces-plan-boost-fight-against-megafires/6531946001/)
* [Forest Service promises massive, long-range and much needed support to protect America's forests and communities from wildfire](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=45c98bf743&e=e56d7a4004)
* [Federal officials unveil 10-year strategy to mitigate wildfires in Arizona, other states](https://ktar.com/story/4847456/federal-officials-unveil-10-year-strategy-to-mitigate-wildfires-in-arizona-other-states/)
* The [Northwest Fire Science Consortium](https://eepurl.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=5f6de7b069a57255f980944b4&id=eb25c10fc7&e=34607e62b5), in partnership with the [University of Oregon Center for Science Communication](https://eepurl.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=5f6de7b069a57255f980944b4&id=bcca0e66b5&e=34607e62b5) has created several short videos to accessibly explain some basic fire facts and offer insight that can help communities be better prepared for fire seasons.
* [Once-in-a-generation investment in infrastructure will bolster wildland fire management](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMDcuNTE0NjIwNDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2NvbnRlbnQuZ292ZGVsaXZlcnkuY29tL2FjY291bnRzL1VTRE9JL2J1bGxldGlucy8yZmYyODM1In0.IUISOPXRETuh6NhPpbKlpQEI6iH7SRyM9LQopZQgU9w/s/854461416/br/124361934978-l)
* **USFS:** The federal government has released a 10-year strategy for improving protection from wildfires. [*Confronting the Wildfire Crisis: A New Strategy for Protecting Communities and Improving Resilience in America’s Forests*](https://www.fs.usda.gov/sites/default/files/Confronting-Wildfire-Crisis.pdf) was developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service. The strategy includes plans for improving overgrown and unhealthy forests, and it calls for a collaborative effort among agencies to restore fire-adapted ecosystems.
* **NASF:** [NASF releases encouraging 2020 numbers for state forestry operations](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=d5242f24fb&e=e56d7a4004). The [latest survey](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=c0c8e6fe8d&e=e56d7a4004) by NASF finds that state forestry agencies continue to play key roles in protecting and enhancing America’s forested landscapes even in the face of modern challenges, including COVID-19, catastrophic wildfire, and economic uncertainty.

**AZ**

* [Federal infrastructure funds go to Coconino National Forest wildfire and flooding mitigation](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=644eb4ea0c&e=e56d7a4004)
* [From Arizona: After a wildfire, how does a town rebuild?](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=cf0edf3dec&e=e56d7a4004)

**CA**

* [CAL FIRE identifies cause of rare, wind-whipped Big Sur blaze](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=43c6170e9d&e=e56d7a4004)
* [California to pay for wildfire retrofits up to $40,000 per home, starting in rural San Diego](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=dcdb185b0f&e=e56d7a4004)
* [California’s most flammable forests targeted by Biden wildfire plan. Here’s how they will change](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=51fde65f46&e=e56d7a4004)
* Approximately $120 million in CAL FIRE funding is available for projects that [improve the health of California’s forests](https://www.fire.ca.gov/grants/forest-health-grants/). The [application deadline](https://www.fire.ca.gov/grants/forest-health-grants/forest-health-grantee-resources/) is Friday, March 4.
* [PG&E blamed for massive Northern California wildfire](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=b6363f7a4b&e=e56d7a4004)

**CO**

* [USDA forester details Colorado's role in federal wildfire fight](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=c406fdf197&e=e56d7a4004)
* [Webinar - Residents' perspectives on Colorado's 2020 Cameron Peak Fire](https://us2.campaign-archive.com/?u=5f6de7b069a57255f980944b4)
* [Colorado wildfire destruction was caused by embers flung for miles](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=7be5e0e680&e=e56d7a4004)
* [From Colorado: ‘I have absolutely nothing’: After a massive winter fire, what is left?](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=0b5f3dedbd&e=e56d7a4004)

**NM**

* [New Mexico wildfires caused by hot ashes threaten multiple homes](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=b0116bc671&e=e56d7a4004)
* [Fighting the fires: New Mexico takes action on worsening wildfire risk, rebuilding forests](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=2674a5fe04&e=e56d7a4004)

**UT:** [Utah fire officials grateful for over 900 fewer human-caused wildfires in 2021, crediting ‘Fire Sense’](https://stateforesters.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521&id=81488423df&e=e56d7a4004)

## **Aviation**

* [NTSB's proposal to investigate spaceflight crashes sparks a row with the FAA and concern from the commercial space industry](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001qMs8CdrZxBddBJMWFp0tqMv1C0WDd5FpYKOQElE62DkamIdqpHjkdeV_0sHWq6fcF42JWdJepcex1iVevXCo0VXbo7xfWthg2Q5lu5qzIgyVY3gulkQ12fduE3LLZ4c1wOjn9KWcNoDJL9lm3n_Y8QbiYiMUcyQGOegNET0BtQzcfCgH5gK62JNhKettao7JTihoS3A3kDZhIyeQXgF7A-OnJ2wwpW--qBVClWV-Wczej8KbbtYntEPQuVxgwoSZl1eZ-BPbmHktvbcEjPDVpQ==&c=jUBEgaX2aeqbL0aDYvF_BA2cqsfi4vn8Agfjyy6o19OePJNKxjqOUQ==&ch=TwpX5BXt4DzskojPM7oNCQMw2CngbuCPMY2IiQESg-TYhCrr2YP8MA==)
* [NASA tests quiet sonic boom tech in wind tunnel](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIxVDKbjoctOlWocfDlgfMfCSmmG?format=multipart)
* [Advanced Air Mobility Takes Flight With New Partnership](https://nrel.us14.list-manage.com/track/click?u=cfb46c07f566f9a82b5fa0488&id=468a9a6d71&e=0351f58cce)
* [65 cities targeted for air-taxi vertiports](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIhcDKbjoctOaOaIfDlgfMfCDcfh?format=multipart)
* [registration](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001kkm7EZotWTj13L5Tt6uBB9-ziA8STh1t_uvCVLcmRtwgE48qWhaXykB2DM4AnbLPukCzYEO2wjvO1GVe9q-a_KhDus3UzCA_BL6EedkTK4H-KQrQ3H7zkgNEOSSJvuvALZh4a97AGt0z5ScanQqG4dURh228YvG00s504tO5ZbgYa8ydWjnmzUZuBYI02c29ViE9aii8TCY=&c=KCbFSoAJS6WDtqhEQ4iFJBQS4um4s0ocpJT2l8QxMB_Nq72RH2boNw==&ch=o9g9PQqJCZ1Nf_1UBgj0ICzCcaXAr4HluKERMCuFQLfQu8z_RvQxVw==) for NASAO's March 2-4 2022 [virtual Washington Conference](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001kkm7EZotWTj13L5Tt6uBB9-ziA8STh1t_uvCVLcmRtwgE48qWhaXyh7nt9EIajUB3P95lEmjQymz2Td-9gQ94xfuktSIOuSqnXP3qR8-381CcaPsA0j-IMqKnixQMSOg4iFmE6CJgHJEhlCz1jZYwhDiK7ze07rU3qSyi4DKmO57TkO3KCNw3heTGdV1PS9V&c=KCbFSoAJS6WDtqhEQ4iFJBQS4um4s0ocpJT2l8QxMB_Nq72RH2boNw==&ch=o9g9PQqJCZ1Nf_1UBgj0ICzCcaXAr4HluKERMCuFQLfQu8z_RvQxVw==) is now open.
* [Proposed NTSB commercial space regulation criticized by industry and FAA](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001m9ubCCFwm6Vfyilc0sarhCHjMcnIbVbos274kPXiUU-iXs2mHBtU0dO7gB80kHA6ALE2wcfKj8FpIoeA7hXJOTTB9cshO6Mmac3kDTHrYr3zk5ClDqCgW2bEhGOV9AXqE4tOnbCvqVKKCKMnauF0CTcsZXkYuPVZ4Ed6HsSgmnA00IMOL8hAA-cLK8YBKfQrFA_RhXkImoLSEV55xcqrohPgwsYI3QRyTtlKjJK-8sOiUxZzCZqj7MyVwBvzss1olFIZfCroMiI=&c=-guyr3S3qq-KIKEnBMmUwXJgyvVSib9_oGjB2x1sGrGSiCHAMKAHKA==&ch=oboDoS-QR143e_JwS1jg3jqHK2xdtcofNbUGe9lgIqI_El6sv-jKLQ==)
* Global launch attempts reached a [record 145 launches](https://link.govexec.com/click/26373436.7945/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cudGhlc3BhY2VyZXBvcnQub3JnLw/60881a23aa72246f8b29b0e4Be34c1fc2) in 2021, exceeding the previous record of 143 in 1967, Space Foundation's Space Report 2021 reported today. Launches supporting SpaceX's Starlink and OneWeb constellations accounted for much of the increase. Another notable—there were more space tourists last year, 14 total, than all other years combined.
* [In-person aviation gatherings return in 2022](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oHbdDKbjoctNgLvwfDlgfMfCEKSa?format=multipart)
* [How Better Airline Technology Could Minimize Flight Disruptions](https://link.govexec.com/click/26373143.88765/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZ292ZXhlYy5jb20vb3ZlcnNpZ2h0LzIwMjIvMDEvaG93LWJldHRlci1haXJsaW5lLXRlY2hub2xvZ3ktY291bGQtbWluaW1pemUtZmxpZ2h0LWRpc3J1cHRpb25zLzM2MDY4NC8_b3JlZj1nb3ZleGVjX3RvZGF5X25s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B32aa03d2)
* [EPA studying health risks of leaded aviation fuel](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oGwVDKbjoctNdpmIfDlgfMfCIGan?format=multipart)
* [Lockheed, NASA plan 2022 flight test for X-59](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oGfODKbjoctMtThEfDlgfMfCkWpr?format=multipart)
* [Flights Briefly Grounded at West Coast Airports Over Suspected North Korean Missile Test](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001hYJZFey-8_folVTpSH5-gfShDzI3ajMIXtkJj0c3Vn24huulWuSkSrhu0q93wu5QmlK4zPZAw35hgGx90M5hQZRhTPQXh7u_t2jYyV3F4VJCpC0FkKeCNCmqwt0Hw2s1bZQjwq0dXbOHDTvxwFX7w15I_xshV9f3RP8U5X5HaF9PcJd2yLCcUTcXqHJOVO3JEMq5jy2H6K1iFtcPRYTeo6g_loBC11a7QpbgwzXMmQeLq2uPsK4fHq6KEFw81207atFZaNUmnd7axhKw8BRCWset6Lie-DABOA2NR-miIgM=&c=cEX6T7V-TYkj1DL4nNd9Wx0IHDTL7EOkeN4mYXPjUT4mGO083Zj0KA==&ch=EcG3MaofMP1233ODe_B_8ZuN4zHRkyqZJbsCKYxn9Uz9BktwzJzhXQ==)
* [U.S. air travel still down as working adults curtail trips](https://www.upi.com/Top_News/US/2022/01/06/flights-Gallup-air-travel/3221641500754/)

**Aviation-Spectrum**

* FAA has launched a “[5G Dashboard](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001CyvNvh3Zg5xH-It3ZDuIkZzs2OjkI9e5IYK1P0R_IrIqewjIVDboJuEZsAcjwHsofiW2G6KfTflhTqoOX-TajXc6Gt9fOMP-_S_ZI2FTSFemK6O3MZBSQjk8T8-EYJ5kFjSMkuk_zaE=&c=GHbqod2KS6_abuI3uJtT7imNZ4ZcGZ_S2wiDO77uNeitjMnY324GvA==&ch=2bCzhQgB2NVBpvIcojFNyEWbBHnY6r0BoFPtZpWDyZvWXZNkNz63_Q==)” with a new, interactive map to provide operators with live, up-to-the-minute information for 87 airports where the deployment of 5G network transmitters may affect landings in instrument meteorological conditions.
* [FAA's Dickson discusses 5G at hearing](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oJshDKbjoctOAezgfDlgfMfCxFxx?format=multipart)
* [Aviation Official: 5G and Air Travel Can 'Safely Coexist'](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26589695.89325/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vZW1lcmdpbmctdGVjaC8yMDIyLzAyL2F2aWF0aW9uLW9mZmljaWFsLTVnLWFuZC1haXItdHJhdmVsLWNhbi1zYWZlbHktY29leGlzdC8zNjE2MTkvP29yZWY9Z292ZXhlY190b2RheV9wbV9ubA/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B8a3f065a)
* [Lawmakers blast federal agencies over 5G standoff](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001qvlDCMTnsxUMrYul09gm0IgjZ3BjYenfbN9SoJJaBGVcgFJVbCZAf5FGgP6l0CpVqsdByD4Te8CLRSSZYXuPuBTxG_n0J6LbuTvd4NkAes3WaLLRVLGsZ-H5uR6yyWdaBbmXobY3m8LpiyhdGC0z79zaS-BKZiL0nh9FsxHgc2UeDZXGhCsfATN4Y2eCZehJc60WI10pSXDN9HGK4eXktZt1gIJ4LstpkncuohOzdcTd2acjkiB0bmMajsin6tQxI2E2aZYJHgg6HDQ-UPk4YcRq4vYYPUbEbaJY4YuQ-x_3TiIdgI1JGA==&c=zsJb7I5fnDCbsX5AXoX2p51vwYqecxvcPSuXRigfoej0IcSMJHO-Ww==&ch=zSHYYHJLM9ly7Mjpdil-KFb_iq-uGqAhMyQfTH5Wbn4lwNVdLcvOCw==)
* [FAA: 45% of commercial airplanes can fly after 5G rollout](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ckePl0hluz0Zrxnyw6WNZ6JxDpX04ag__S8KszSgY741Yclb4N-IP7b-yBpi44W9FzXFz2fIshyVR_u4JVpTzLrandyVgJqndPrRC2RiTA--NWwAAIDqwMTxS2gZlmPLsh-oqNy0qxfuDsjHoXr8yzYx37BWtc6NLEQ7b7ySNI1lOtDYGfAiJSTP9k_QvC0YEgcXtZ1WY_fV3jLh-0_Mrwl0jtaKuArbcUa8oFKgYuPFtLXlRCZttgkJCz9n4NMNgJ-BPbHfgFYMRjz7N6_NeVlj9A4x1C9M&c=Rnyoh9gwjHXPZwPWkmDP2sTlKkXvjMewVXOXDdOhsrmVtTl36phQLA==&ch=Qa3JSDPgSk79tVQDNBpTDF-iHdvZY8_LKecWFNKlpsr3CKd2bj-oyg==)
* [5G C-band notams affect hundreds of airports, procedures](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oGwVDKbjoctNdplYfDlgfMfCpPFU?format=multipart)
* [FAA Sets Rules For Some Boeing 787 Landings Near 5G Service](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ckePl0hluz0Zrxnyw6WNZ6JxDpX04ag__S8KszSgY741Yclb4N-IP7b-yBpi44W9jZ7pRhmK6gEfBqd79iPDmZF4GtHTtuH5ddl6QT5m1BKrvvNx2XwVE8Tl-23cTPzG9I8XJT_EQX121OQOGafezXqDWua2ME5lj72cauTL9RmJX1wns1mAZ7iTVMdJIL1tehD_XNv32SUPXXNCocrvoQ==&c=Rnyoh9gwjHXPZwPWkmDP2sTlKkXvjMewVXOXDdOhsrmVtTl36phQLA==&ch=Qa3JSDPgSk79tVQDNBpTDF-iHdvZY8_LKecWFNKlpsr3CKd2bj-oyg==)
* [FAA Bars Auto-Landings At More Than 100 US Airports Starting January 19 In Response To 5G](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001p0bOK4NkeNLp5-fQm8Hk_jjaX2eTzRFzmVay8OtD1geg1CSouYV_QpSFFCAy9zobiUEG7y82JPqjLRKBRTe2Xq7Nhp9D4RvI9qpT8-As_h3A-EM0nQUOD2psMWULIXiTSEuaMwWEdb_cKQSKyo-THpJRSlI2yJa6tltvpCiYN-5bpubyY-5Ncqeqm4FCdaoAjoUlW_mZfTc_R0W2rVoruvUIrvd-vI7ToFiS4JS7va_o6B0745LOUSfLy9-vETDQHDlpXhmpXCzROOrPv4Oh06PbQbIc5hsF9orsRXFQE1eJkDbftV5CEEGKopSuZgDv3JTEi9VKLWc=&c=vwMT7gbyS9ku7HtJM8DMOsQEztFOY0sPz-W0F4jwtL6hKuKCPGyAHQ==&ch=oWPsDnOPGGfJdvJFjkODCnAaQCBK9Mo1Tupw5W10k7Yqwdmi4AYlyw==)

## [How The FAA Went To War Against 5G](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001NKeStp3S3w7habvkq5rWHVY1S007aubT82Z7tioQyt1Espkaz4O253Umd-qGKICmb9tkQprnFUBOBpcXPZhIIEDnotsozX958GyyPjca4SiHGzKTs2GBwjSeunJ8gnxqXA5DZY6MMLEib8Sff99Q3kJ4xQ_3Eg3ihomX2pbbI1rtTXRxbtuElzfxY5rguOlAhk7DNLLa4i7UYaaSCwcrRKraEqjjJ-OQX0e-hp-8MQ-7xKjcdrpNLQ==&c=tENqQUTxMs5-j9BwOKOf1U8Tf4E_2eXNM4KGB-02cSWzvLJ4rvfyeg==&ch=fjcHkX07IWuX0gP-OSt9Uh7nMamZ-6WMQq39qR1SSfDABTM5FgA-XQ==)

* [The F.A.A. announces progress in expanding 5G service at airports.](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001NKeStp3S3w7habvkq5rWHVY1S007aubT82Z7tioQyt1Espkaz4O253Umd-qGKICmBk28zX4E3HZb9SF6vqOElQUc-ymOAGYDqYByeqr2o04MsWkkHJeP86xAs1JVCo5fETaFK7cYkTq4hWMKak9n5nyRkvkfBmGaCq5t4uS4LREjoXci5WzzeHDXi7fRnvomStMPMSUuREZHzO_-V6NzmTZd31fjfObSu6cQEfp1nPIwArMB969f2w==&c=tENqQUTxMs5-j9BwOKOf1U8Tf4E_2eXNM4KGB-02cSWzvLJ4rvfyeg==&ch=fjcHkX07IWuX0gP-OSt9Uh7nMamZ-6WMQq39qR1SSfDABTM5FgA-XQ==)
* [FAA approves 90% of planes for low-visibility landings near 5G airports](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0011lAn-zeVBvPOONbTBC0AO4rgkJA0BPzn1A9DDF0fYIg94Xsztd9F_1m3k7g66eVPvTrFbzAH8Uhe2iQ_IecdLADXopF_FIraMXcqvFkASZy_eqYZ_3QBECmH0WVdgJ7IxZg-88BuzAzWUEcVYY5w2lnu8sv6ewxGsZPVM5sxWoYKRwTI5ZegBLgRK9Jtuv2XBgEsk--RUBj_cEzYaD6BYHJxDTlNu7nblIHd5U-n7Xw=&c=fjW9UKkhuISSCiZ9aSRx3oFBsSnv6cRTxgGASXeHGcTwHyj7OjebRA==&ch=FvUrsYX3EQccxo1jja3jbBZaDm6kLIEVj_v98mqNFd0vLWKLNu6EHw==)
* [Major airlines say the 5G doomsday scenario is over](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001g7yNCLitTeAfMkcG1hEapyA_ogg2T4o14OY1XpP-5bM_pARjTiHQqUaDmtBUQ81_5YKY_eJXtqqjUdwfXfSX2AZUqMTLuaXd4Hth_NjOUF_rNLIrVecCBUY3mGiVKVDRzOAGRgHJNJ5uhxh7pWgzbdvcfdH1d3WNWu4yN9JgAP1h7rp8keROglOIakHREuQaXqFhpQoT84bBwmcK7-keZxbiTucnYW7KPRtPO3KnJb111vTWGQeqJOW4Z3unui4KifKDXh7L3g8=&c=EkQyOVJPOl4NFPKSVltJ58is6chhi6w6I-qVBXodZAPl5DQS2vk__Q==&ch=F2Jux2RjYZdSn82U85o1cdNhb_vZhYaW6cmkyW8A3ZFIRqt2XVNy2A==)
* [FAA estimates 78 percent of US planes can now land at airports with 5G C-band](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0010C4dVYSM1YQYInV83ZwfRHDgz8vyighnBxBlrOdXy5FRgp_4BgoIxFt5OvkHOY74sVHCPp6g7JBi-A2yn0pNKaEIWLD5Rz9hSN8UIrOGYJ1rjoRJ-6Qr6FdUMKXHobiNl26Jcy7k7yrmufqQUuwQyW5e0W96lx_UlR94nSIw4bPHmDExHVTF-2pRDAnFHw5DENSFdOik24RixnCBE8JTgutV_bVbQoAds0AAfKbwpBCUYhaIZaDVWu51gXe8Hut-MjK4Mf9Ju_F96BA2eqmSc5kfA_VkY5tR4PoCzKgiBCU=&c=nzo61z65ejG4qxaHQS2mQKhzqFgobm2vyK-Xn6X-Onf6a_E1x54TLg==&ch=UA08xpOYiNvlq6Lv4te_eFLkZJ3OsgVttUp3mPc3k-dejW6cayzW8w==)
* [Airlines cancel, change flights despite 5G rollout delays](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Y6a1NMV9CnjG5E320xjVxn30kJWcDRkr8fQxMQNsTmpkw3croxZ3FJaJ4pbIMWpuU7IuL-rKD3OKL19NVjio12KBvzdL7bJVIOcLN6l4Kp4lX5dycjsW2cKX12NqC37ewa1bUAQX8IEy0XZeuHS7prXQB4705mUYn2p3DIrxFgzGCBt7hzKiMxSNK9oKR0oUvHwcoZ0J6OYEKY1gMlA2LEQclfoqT4PVJ8q129IG4RWkP4cG8RRwysQyULx7D95nlfhbgzAFzCwj4t781-aIERu_dZ5nPSs804q-ikm3ibQ=&c=oVCKa1KWREJg1jldf9q2PHsG1eH1eAKyw36Vf7Nj2K9583KPtp56zA==&ch=asoAcICAr3mhpIP2twUPnonnnfPKSzJl4tbh30zpqVBw9p83G7fAxQ==)
* [FAA clears more aircraft for low-visibility landings at airports with 5G C-band](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Y6a1NMV9CnjG5E320xjVxn30kJWcDRkr8fQxMQNsTmpkw3croxZ3FJaJ4pbIMWpuHcJKtTMla1CzHqRM7komU-6qIDlRQRS98AnPKuBhfmgRDj2JrYjqpcy21RcdY7P5BfhfDn1AeBcmnK7-BHll3shV1wWdzYLMD4sGYAdmBoYKroHYnhrcyzE0iR7uiHQZGJHFhBvMu2nDdxUxPSmcg0j1xUTDQ4zJzjklZZXw-Jgl4cWFENOBRw==&c=oVCKa1KWREJg1jldf9q2PHsG1eH1eAKyw36Vf7Nj2K9583KPtp56zA==&ch=asoAcICAr3mhpIP2twUPnonnnfPKSzJl4tbh30zpqVBw9p83G7fAxQ==)
* [Military Partnering with FAA to Look at Impact of 5G on Its Aircraft](https://defensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com/track/click?u=8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7&id=5546cd1ea7&e=822f95e226)
* [Military may take months to gauge 5G safety risks to aircraft](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26425641.115195/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL2Fpci8yMDIyLzAxLzE5L21pbGl0YXJ5LW1heS10YWtlLW1vbnRocy10by1nYXVnZS01Zy1zYWZldHktcmlza3MtdG8tYWlyY3JhZnQv/57588738498e574579743a61B873997d4)
* [International Airlines Suspend US Flights In Response To 5G Deployment](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001XarbK_xK60OEO6dxiaM7zF3K8OiT_KNuvpwnIiOdil7XZ6Tas_QHDUqC61iKncVtUJWVr4sxM-sn-9VosheDntMQc44UDcxmvKb7JqxUp9rR3FWzYByTuZxMqQ7ybhvgJwPOprjcu1E7-2P2Ar3wDnVe_5scEtIuite3Bzv4hRdKcK8A5topLwL86cqfpApfoef8XOOF74pV6oRBpZprrgp0Ir_vhZIsqx0zBFGS5y5aFxaUACqFsJemtJgjoQjXVtmb5a4zc2T1El54g6L0fKgvwv-82BKUtwd9y0d2x7E=&c=FpOzUDJc27wM4pgj6lbG_9ER8eigyiPl7Et8cyqq8ngvBB6BGqYpMw==&ch=FueKs0Xn9BCbL7mH8SSbezzFh4oS-eXZwemEVpD-7DTBUSBMqzZytA==)
* [Verizon, AT&T Will Limit 5G Around Airports After Airlines Warn Of 'Catastrophic' Disruption](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001XarbK_xK60OEO6dxiaM7zF3K8OiT_KNuvpwnIiOdil7XZ6Tas_QHDUqC61iKncVtud9gyzbx1npKH4LSUOTvM2yOJ7qM_vVh8pzPyGGjGpZgtPaVgSd4ypbHLrPBJ32D4hrkIEBIu1tqjXWz7t3uHf7X3sQ4JroujU3FTkqhwbUHvYzhzvbTzuRXrv5Pt87WROMq-8HcYfQGHRYwydKCMQ2eRN2ZzFHgRIDx62RDqvGtZtlJEd5VqNUoRVdyA8y6dRlLXpqmjIBewK8HTPKuwK53_ZXeih_-&c=FpOzUDJc27wM4pgj6lbG_9ER8eigyiPl7Et8cyqq8ngvBB6BGqYpMw==&ch=FueKs0Xn9BCbL7mH8SSbezzFh4oS-eXZwemEVpD-7DTBUSBMqzZytA==)
* [Flight disruptions inevitable as telecoms launch 5G](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oHbdDKbjoctNgLvIfDlgfMfCQDeD?format=multipart)
* [Let's Talk About 6G Policies, Panel Says](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26373504.34269/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vZW1lcmdpbmctdGVjaC8yMDIyLzAxL2xldHMtdGFsay1hYm91dC02Zy1wb2xpY2llcy1wYW5lbC1zYXlzLzM2MDc4OS8_b3JlZj1uZXh0Z292X3RvZGF5X25s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B16c474d1)
* [FAA issues 5G impact notices](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oGrqDKbjoctMAVtQfDlgfMfCtRCv?format=multipart)
* [FAA Releases List of 50 Airports That Will Have 'Buffer Zones' When AT&T and Verizon Roll Out 5G](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001_ZaG1-LaKYS7SsEcHG3zc3wpBYfjE4a-6Q_XDciI_OHHZpRNFo5aWMG5VZN_DrZP7llI7lyAkOzSH1snlI1Nb1auxruTFJpHNZm-wannErydQPaWRDlSYe3NPzTVMAutr-09AJJuZPxcczDini4T6kf9BtXh-6TZ1aAWl4YeUhZj2xCsSTpaA9XypV2Wy1II1fAMocfXNdfhHWhBJI3wGoAIB3mpEmkoObuGST6bhib24Uer2o9t--D-NR-UWcG7&c=EfIdKzprEnMB2qPU5AqoRYW-enhKq9aKPC7RrN3qDiarH00ck4w_uQ==&ch=-UZ30z4iv0Vqtw4M__d9BFTLXJJ3L5VKIZubyshBToUCT_Hk8Q4OyQ==)
* Please see below a joint letter from the Department of Transportation and the Federal Aviation Administration, to Verizon and AT&T, concerning the impact of 5G C-Band deployment on the national airspace. [DOT and FAA Letter to AT&T and Verizon- PDF](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001u9tP7FVPjME63c0z4RIe5LGWaUm1tsKEsleBcMo7fF2otgY7-xlFJfM3K54S8Wltzw6wM0zIcG4rUAiJ75EGLY6YkP0bRZTNIdFZYua3YIAYqvlwzsTli4FxB55Y6wGQqPIJHfREICbcYflGhV-tkKmf8DGnK8rmFEQOsFbbs2pneHcEifVxnOAuwi1gU6d8qKmfHJb17gweS8B7X8jSTzZzKrSNABbh4Y3b5qc3taAY0PBvrxXk0O7txfLHOsGhhtLWoOmJhlU=&c=jIw03UNRjhjDuIQjHqOeTxAx6tuIrjQP-l14larKNe5rybNX-MNjQw==&ch=DdzIqVytnSGVreUVvbxN5skohTPYpiTLvi2k3l4CVRJHqSKFlYDi0A==)
* [US flights still face risks from new 5G service -FAA](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001WX2OOXQdasJLmUJg-twnOYzVr9dnIMTI13ZEPzsfyIXcRCdL09ql3rhs6N7ASVS1V8nHSiY5zYq7aJ0o1KytSDvAD44tQVez_uIQ4BtKwY8w2LgA0vIVUAxDFSF4kVs5bCorUbHv3EJpWfjtdnnrL6y9Cm1SLL3gjT1MnzVndEz0fuVPIyrZ05DVzP5n-hFcbBSVA-gUpIBWamcXkyq0Ba958TA-GTBP0795a4P7GrFkP2vAv8zZ0EEgrRTqN--4M8T0WJpVxO6izRXX_N6beLze0StBI1JzIMU6C4U7fesH8rcz3BrdpOSvJ4WuxSJW&c=VqDx4cf8QgQ1fQmEGN-FaR2fTqZqSwszEUzx-6et3zcg69BwNPrr0w==&ch=LWDFVHUAk7blYCwPuMcTSv_1bLaN-1lkpWiEGBOx00UFkDGie7qUvA==)
* [Biden Welcomes Verizon, AT&T Agreeing to Delay 5G Deployment to Avert Aviation Standoff](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001tlxDJn3i3CNtdVk50S6yMpP74dAX4RFhWFUVnrU4YR8XYLW0NH36q0nXT08hBICyjEMIElA04jPf3HAvTw5leFpBTRamVGX0YZmmYDbHmWJd90BHokdet4I-Ov9YdxuTTGcK91JGweqXYNePc4WGFFOSDRMbq_dSSnhPgyQNj5oVp2BDuBiHbgeyYQ1B2w4HdPDLUc3ji6o4in61_zHRAiEm4tgEnwPRBElQdJyhVwfK6MaYIG0RdEGYHTqKbZZWAtrAwx1pf-wuZDWcLxJYP60YxeJZ5FMGr0ITrgSRLNJTIMsLhX4o7K5qCyi35LBJt_Su83Xo2Yw-bTK7VwfdTA==&c=qSqCENgDK3uBMziYp7r1FvXle_YF4EOfRxPoUWAHbHtL9g4e-PpuYg==&ch=UCigIMXM9PBaPpCJ-X-23D9Gn_bWBGU5ZrxLJdPCMjeQBOMDf8J2dA==)
* [AT&T and Verizon back down in standoff with FAA, agree to 5G delay](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ZMpwTC6GUC_o-a56H5f09q5OKkKCp5eSsdFALhEGUezn8rhIWDN5JNN9Wf1IA5ESSLC0dyRQX_3YQzkmA42tYt3lvsyjW_gB54uHxywHFIUoxJj3IJjD1sr6Xo1CxqRFuaFds_tqnev95XgJ-QolxXQhGE_sJIlomNIKgNOVw0YxazfiDO_5l3kqGKYwJSISgaJtXb7fhLkVBdJe0ithGr1U9s8eXOCF6irtilYFJf3uRPTE0UQcAGjo32Of3_bLOz5-Ly5-OOKPFOUB1FA9hw==&c=im7A6Ao6FsXAMGC3oaOLBEYxhazrCagYw_LON1tBrfWUBtm83ZrCUw==&ch=5w8ZHhAR_h4jNpjM42scQzoPI3yG4Tuvnyodkk-avLfk28ubXbfLsg==)

**FAA**

* Dangerous laser strikes topped all previous records in 2021. FAA received 9,723 reports from pilots last year, a 41 percent increase over 2020. Please watch our [video](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDQuNTI5MDgwMjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy55b3V0dWJlLmNvbS93YXRjaD92PVhmVW5HVmhLS1ZjIn0.j4GVQRvAGACm6ez6KqTgNjeTd_Tr61mym_WbeJ_8IeE/s/60191143/br/126162902887-l) about the dangers of lasers, visit our [web site](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDQuNTI5MDgwMjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5mYWEuZ292L2Fib3V0L2luaXRpYXRpdmVzL2xhc2Vycy8ifQ.W07-UgxwAfL8YFc59Tj_3wRR3ABuCwZgrWqrC2LNZ4I/s/60191143/br/126162902887-l) and read our [fact sheet](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDQuNTI5MDgwMjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5mYWEuZ292L25ld3Nyb29tL2xhc2Vycy0wP25ld3NJZD0yMzUzNSJ9.C-FO7ZHS9P01Enw44hXDJnbFaNuOn0cnw1nAuIQwKTs/s/60191143/br/126162902887-l) for more information on laser strikes.
* FAA issued its millionth airspace authorization for drone pilots to use busy airspace safely. The [Low Altitude Authorization and Notification Capability](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDQuNTI5MTg1NzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5mYWEuZ292L3Vhcy9wcm9ncmFtc19wYXJ0bmVyc2hpcHMvdWFzX2RhdGFfZXhjaGFuZ2UifQ.Nw4WYatKcKez5JyUswMCJsGLZB65wjLwvfr8cPDYKME/s/60191143/br/126175085940-l) (LAANC) automates the process for drone pilots to quickly gain authorization and provides Air Traffic professionals with awareness of where drones may be operating.
* [FAA rejects FedEx proposal to install missile-defense system on Airbus planes](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001XarbK_xK60OEO6dxiaM7zF3K8OiT_KNuvpwnIiOdil7XZ6Tas_QHDUqC61iKncVtS_CbvSJ7gdmX-kGI9M1BlpNrasWfFQpB5p_FAwzi6gOBQohMKb6A50G80VXMbVm39WEKE8DVcpsmYj3ajjTE-fKCtGjBISpGvoSxd6JacI1RUFmv3-xqPEvdShPodC7oksNv1af0GVwr4__YQUx-lyrpfoZavr_opjWxgssNC7P7rTT305qxIkKpQusrIBNa6eSsTqGdUJXgDRn0SjvHMwBTSMWJUbsOfk_M7ofjUtg=&c=FpOzUDJc27wM4pgj6lbG_9ER8eigyiPl7Et8cyqq8ngvBB6BGqYpMw==&ch=FueKs0Xn9BCbL7mH8SSbezzFh4oS-eXZwemEVpD-7DTBUSBMqzZytA==)
* [FAA Awards $5M in Grants to Develop Next Generation of Pilots](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001p0bOK4NkeNLp5-fQm8Hk_jjaX2eTzRFzmVay8OtD1geg1CSouYV_QpSFFCAy9zobCOCqs2bda5WY7uAz7xQwNaeHuGfrebgioU-KTYUky77cRNLwH_kzwtvgdXq2mLP-G6e1hhikk5ExHOBWzXWLlPg_g5Go8qVozFQwUMj4owlfYjucFAgWa_TyQNsxVImLxAGaEtI-Mqkb5egDmCmtzlOSf_bQspPpponhfgQ0I1p6hOqTJ7NMASw413t2SvVi2_u4Vot0pxmdnj0FY9W8MF2Q8jpThkkq&c=vwMT7gbyS9ku7HtJM8DMOsQEztFOY0sPz-W0F4jwtL6hKuKCPGyAHQ==&ch=oWPsDnOPGGfJdvJFjkODCnAaQCBK9Mo1Tupw5W10k7Yqwdmi4AYlyw==)
* [FAA numbers confirm it -- 2021 was terrible for bad behavior in the skies](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001p0bOK4NkeNLp5-fQm8Hk_jjaX2eTzRFzmVay8OtD1geg1CSouYV_QpSFFCAy9zobIMmcjbTI669ir7K0WAfGiA-EdyAAnMvxpVve-NF70w-mPO7-n3jHGULPby1QJQHQYNUM2ugdXj1eJOAilUdWiJyWsDpG-xfyt8ypFIy5Q1-sn_bzUFHdaQbJ-SFaluShzlVh2msFrPZbByXmJwh5Y2q4W9_Gh-IUlOdDG2A3CgB5Nw-v41hmk0mbQ2MQy1RD&c=vwMT7gbyS9ku7HtJM8DMOsQEztFOY0sPz-W0F4jwtL6hKuKCPGyAHQ==&ch=oWPsDnOPGGfJdvJFjkODCnAaQCBK9Mo1Tupw5W10k7Yqwdmi4AYlyw==)
* Descent procedures that the FAA put in place across the country in the 2021 will save millions of gallons of fuel and reduce CO2 and other emissions by hundreds of thousands of tons. The 42 new [Optimized Profile Descents](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTMuNTE3NDY0NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy55b3V0dWJlLmNvbS93YXRjaD92PU00dnVKS0N3T2R3In0.VNjcgmt1XTE5PwPcK9SXr3EQ8jdXYuaCp7FKgfCvwMQ/s/60191143/br/124839579515-l) (OPDs) allow planes to glide down safely from cruising altitudes into airspace for some of the nation’s largest airports instead of the fuel-consuming stair-step procedure. More information: [Sustainability Gateway Page](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTMuNTE3NDY0NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5mYWEuZ292L3N1c3RhaW5hYmlsaXR5In0.Xti7j-OiMcIJ9lzU_dzAmEHDfjngCL-wbPl_fe46PBk/s/60191143/br/124839579515-l).
* [FAA Seeks Comments on Updates to Airport Noise Control and Compatibility Planning Guidance](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0019By7n9MO1vpCaPgOo3M2coo-jse4rn899t4j3_O-TLarpFZtGfPrULFwYY__ip3T39SvQ7VQNmtj7MtGTVm0-p4SQ8zkW_J2NXjiDmTCFkbWN3yLR3xIzZ0jdY5TMu65PNbENsRVLYDTbL-JKWwsVXK84akiwpUZ-vTYnHUy79zEiiti-f2rR5kRZvMztur4c5CDhIWF9gf0LA94utdpHj7jrCNCMPeWX-KaEYRs4Sq_Hylu-_cqx5Vre3IAxNTTctZyRqDa0oNSebBXbBF31AvDgsPF3H_nT8OgTOoIzSA=&c=JuRpZlVD0jeJ_28cflZFlkjl3vByC4zvTRjUEkTZZd-kHfr2LtVaow==&ch=0nd203i7HaXy9v7jj8HzdH7RuBYRX6qWV9Zn34s8OHZ8X0-VOwgSag==)
* [FAA Releases Latest Issue of Safety Briefing](https://stateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d&id=9804ed3e48&e=6edabe5e85)

**UAV/Drones**

* [Roundup of this year's STOL events](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIhcDKbjoctOaNAYfDlgfMfCsxsj?format=multipart)
* [Joby preps for eVTOL test over San Francisco Bay](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oJbHDKbjoctOppoYfDlgfMfCzgKc?format=multipart)
* NASA Studying Disaster Relief Prospects for Drones
* [NASA, Black Swift building drones to monitor volcanoes](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oJgWDKbjoctOsCqQfDlgfMfCUMJb?format=multipart)
* [Sikorsky sees potential in hybrid eVTOL design](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oJgWDKbjoctOsCpwfDlgfMfCmixy?format=multipart)
* [Elroy Air shows off autonomous delivery drone prototype](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oJbHDKbjoctOpppIfDlgfMfCWgKF?format=multipart)
* [JetPack building 2nd prototype of modular "air utility vehicle"](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIxVDKbjoctOlWlAfDlgfMfCMIsk?format=multipart)
* [Air Force completes flight of eVTOL via remote control](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIsEDKbjoctOiwxMfDlgfMfCVLbf?format=multipart)
* [Slovak Transport Authority certifies AirCar](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oIhcDKbjoctOaObgfDlgfMfCLuUv?format=multipart)
* [Joby test flight reportedly tops 200 mph](http://r.smartbrief.com/resp/oHyhDKbjoctNvCrMfDlgfMfCRfQV?format=multipart)
* [FAA Authorizes 35 Miles of BVLOS Drone Operations for NUAIR](https://stateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d&id=a194e75907&e=6edabe5e85)
* [What the Heck Is An Aerial Mobility Corridor?](https://stateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d&id=c11580b814&e=6edabe5e85)
* [Governor Announces Air Mobility Corridor Development in Michigan and Ontario](https://stateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d&id=ed8dd0c1c8&e=6edabe5e85)
* [The Military’s new challenge: defeating cheap hobbyist drones](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26271414.100877/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cud3NqLmNvbS9hcnRpY2xlcy90aGUtbWlsaXRhcnlzLW5ldy1jaGFsbGVuZ2UtZGVmZWF0aW5nLWNoZWFwLWhvYmJ5aXN0LWRyb25lcy0xMTY0MTQwMTI3MD9tb2Q9aHBfbGVhZF9wb3MxMA/57588738498e574579743a61Ba0457f4b)
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## Notice of NTIA IIJA Broadband Grant Program Webinars: <https://www.ntia.doc.gov/federal-register-notice/2022/notice-ntia-iija-broadband-grant-program-webinars>

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## [AT&T sees progress in Navy’s 5G smart warehouse experiment](https://link.militarytimes.com/click/26567596.100806/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL3Ntci81Zy8yMDIyLzAyLzAxL2F0dC1zZWVzLXByb2dyZXNzLWluLW5hdnlzLTVnLXNtYXJ0LXdhcmVob3VzZS1leHBlcmltZW50Lw/57588738498e574579743a61B83cdaa21)

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## [AASHTO, ITS America Reiterate 5.9 GHz Needs in Court](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001I1jfN5SOu0h_sOz2cIV25ePNg-ICq1A_Ny5xYVgmEp5YtCmgWPjwgGskwmy8PxH8QJdMAEm0WuUar1GPCuYn1ONX73cSDFV5Wpp6GRLTNftaQnZtafWK8NJ0JKKG9HYzgirTvyHGWsoJztlH5wFPzasPL9Pr9lyGLmbkQRG9iJ99exFFDWoSx_wJd2QNkK1GxilFD9Ft5jVkH_K5WXnAj6W9-9wqwQ88pjB8vBAya3GgzL4K12qUyw==&c=UJnsY4Y_m3nsWIY-DPVCEBYpaunE0cgFkNu_z6HXunxel9cXRO5k8Q==&ch=H4bW-q9pKBrPYL_BnSx2r0iNjd-W_yIphYCMd9PLEFGR_bjrmlOUsA==)

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## [4.9 GHz Reply Comments Show Divide Over Different Band Management Proposals](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0011lAn-zeVBvPOONbTBC0AO4rgkJA0BPzn1A9DDF0fYIg94Xsztd9F_1m3k7g66eVPfUv1-1c8nXlk8UQieDGOyETtV2w5801S-l_7mX_3akPr8ty9YvMnohjhYnf4vs977d9ygDMts4UHvlC3C0kfMYdOYbwMzEyyhIqeAg6pfaaqYGLM3kDsiem6H-OgxI1jwzu_fsp3Iuvz9UM8pnosQ0BRr5Or-P80&c=fjW9UKkhuISSCiZ9aSRx3oFBsSnv6cRTxgGASXeHGcTwHyj7OjebRA==&ch=FvUrsYX3EQccxo1jja3jbBZaDm6kLIEVj_v98mqNFd0vLWKLNu6EHw==)

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## [States Allocate over $6.1B in ARPA Funds for Broadband Development](http://go.pardot.com/e/200072/-with-deja-vu-agenda-arpagraph/fh2fgc/855468680?h=TIU3ieqYfo1cGUXM3J8Gcy54j7Jj-CpYB_KlUfSlDPU)

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## [FCC Chair Proposes Updating Data Breach Reporting Requirements](https://link.nextgov.com/click/26345838.41266/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmV4dGdvdi5jb20vY3liZXJzZWN1cml0eS8yMDIyLzAxL2ZjYy1jaGFpci1wcm9wb3Nlcy11cGRhdGluZy1kYXRhLWJyZWFjaC1yZXBvcnRpbmctcmVxdWlyZW1lbnRzLzM2MDY4My8_b3JlZj1uZXh0Z292X3RvZGF5X25s/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B86cb3cd2)

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## [FCC Launches Affordable Connectivity Program](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001LSxZaUCcSIA2yWIdPt--1PGnFd6sgnv86HEpEOk0MJTmjGUWACilyI3tbd7-wcCS-qSdFHMGjat4DBQtE4o4v0vMyTqiDjCtF1SRy1eDEmDEjY_1SHtiqX7w4C3PfAlxVhgD8RKfHPuv8nWP5Bl-xQ==&c=ly9WnZ4DpXikA8LcvxexmsMO8LPmZYhbxB7dsZtUVO9aKby-6qT64A==&ch=YCULCi-ul4VXAIPN_gBr9JfIsKwgDnyzeL3GuCSo2yv3KbgwI6eVhw==)

## [Demand for spectrum pits FCC against other agencies](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001hYJZFey-8_folVTpSH5-gfShDzI3ajMIXtkJj0c3Vn24huulWuSkSrhu0q93wu5Qd1RNiVcKt-m0rbin6br4Xi_DPEtSms84zNWrjehwmuG_yVBWzu2lLL5dpBE_yVH6fOrSbCRRb6tAjbuwxh9tO5TdKkKuXRQAUbiT9at6t2nNC3BDw1eoWMlvBF3wFBhjCE_HFPoxCRMU3UubvZfkPUIqL0S-f_auRGLIGxymJ60EyQnIGdBWV4crkAV5-WzW5PXg5ZGmKCQ=&c=cEX6T7V-TYkj1DL4nNd9Wx0IHDTL7EOkeN4mYXPjUT4mGO083Zj0KA==&ch=EcG3MaofMP1233ODe_B_8ZuN4zHRkyqZJbsCKYxn9Uz9BktwzJzhXQ==)

## [NBAA’s New 5G Rollout Resource Has Real-Time Information, Answers](https://stateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d&id=2b9a36af75&e=6edabe5e85)

## [For DoD, solving spectrum sharing is a matter of national, economic security | Federal News Network](https://www.google.com/url?rct=j&sa=t&url=https://federalnewsnetwork.com/defense-main/2022/01/for-dod-solving-spectrum-sharing-is-a-matter-of-national-economic-security/&ct=ga&cd=CAEYACoTMjM1MDE0NjYzOTc1NTM4NDk3MTIaNGE0OTljYzIzMzk0ZjU2Zjpjb206ZW46VVM&usg=AFQjCNEwaL1D7s5Odd7M-F64ET0GrQS0ug)

## **GIS Information**

* Establishing a data infrastructure that can effectively respond to disasters will be the topic for the next [expert briefing](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/6116433606999/WN_q4u_Dgm6SBafvV1CXYF_dg) presented by the California Council on Science and Technology. Panel members will explain how data infrastructure can help respond to disasters, including pandemics. The briefing will be Friday, Feb. 11.
* The [Sonoma County Wildfire Resilience Decision Support Framework](https://consbio.us9.list-manage.com/track/click?u=3dea159e4cbe0a0ff3b43eadd&id=eb26654017&e=c5455c0952) is part of a county-wide coordinated initiative to manage the impacts of wildfire on the region’s human community, ecosystem services, and biodiversity.
* The U.S. Department of Transportation’s Bureau of Transportation Statistics today released its winter 2022 update to the [National Transportation Atlas Database](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjguNTI1MjM4NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5idHMuZ292L2dlb3NwYXRpYWwvbmF0aW9uYWwtdHJhbnNwb3J0YXRpb24tYXRsYXMtZGF0YWJhc2UifQ.2S9NByM_bKTKdAWnoZGkUSYAz1jp190m5DneVO5djVk/s/188093378/br/125804632067-l) (NTAD), a set of nationwide geographic databases of transportation facilities, networks, and associated infrastructure.

# Miscellaneous

* [President Joseph R. Biden appointed key regional leadership roles](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjUuNTIzNDA1ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy53aGl0ZWhvdXNlLmdvdi9icmllZmluZy1yb29tL3N0YXRlbWVudHMtcmVsZWFzZXMvMjAyMi8wMS8yMC9wcmVzaWRlbnQtYmlkZW4tYW5ub3VuY2VzLWtleS1yZWdpb25hbC1hcHBvaW50bWVudHMtZm9yLXVzZGEtZmVtYS1hbmQtaHVkLyJ9.NjW-xrc0JsCH5A7PBMWk9p0n3aS8ESLx3f-WcOP8mf4/s/10033766/br/125614425384-l) for FEMA Regions 1, 2 and 8
* [Jerry Perez selected as USFS National Director of Fire and Aviation](https://wildfiretoday.com/2022/01/12/jerry-perez-selected-as-usfs-national-director-of-fire-and-aviation/)
* [National Park Service selects Frank Lands as regional director](https://www.nps.gov/orgs/1207/frank-lands-named-regional-director.htm)
* [2022 Executive Council. Winter Session](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001WUDRAkOsEiNOf3S9eyH-lHoRz2E_U5vCKImq_dYIZUZD_70ZM_WVCLbpoLhelJ9e0IzqYTIdEFVdXPic50DTLOsf68nJhLojN892rrC33cVtVwTWylbQ30v-CDCDq5do2Fd7CP_fSHapUGqpALtnmcZvxcDiavxwmelMRCbCSyobYF-pqiyxacg9afS7FPn0Xv4Mx6pL2uMNqsfkLlIasjW0w27ANgQv&c=RwnzdNJLXsJ14WkmRCEHaYhfXuZ5vmMLKW2QLmLZOusZ-KKGnFiOKA==&ch=kVuzlhxle0TPq-3gLxdvwTL5P_a6JmQzfjs0kvbh6waapATeAtry7A==). February 13 - February 2022. The 2022 Executive Council Winter Session is the constitutionally-mandated annual meeting of the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI)’s Executive Council, one of NCAI’s three main governing bodies.

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* [A year of progress: Interior's bold actions](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMDcuNTE0NjIwNDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5kb2kuZ292L2Jsb2cveWVhci1wcm9ncmVzcy1pbnRlcmlvcnMtYm9sZC1hY3Rpb25zIn0.mwgIQEeS6ClW1lyzo56v3-F4GgbMPIuJlEA9ymw8Lo8/s/854461416/br/124361934978-l)
* [Interior Department Announces Historic Launch of the Foundation for America’s Public Lands](https://www.blm.gov/press-release/interior-department-announces-historic-launch-foundation-americas-public-lands)
* Secretary Haaland Delivers Remarks on the Interior Department's Progress on Environmental Justice: [Interior's YouTube page](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTkuNTIwNTMwOTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy55b3V0dWJlLmNvbS93YXRjaD92PVEtT090X2xVeXFJIn0.WH5DV1vxHquIX671frmr5kAMcIks6EpIrkKG-PVxoSo/s/1420386651/br/125333836016-l).
* [DOI to host tribal consultations on Bipartisan Infrastructure Bill](https://www.doi.gov/pressreleases/interior-department-host-tribal-consultations-bipartisan-infrastructure-law)
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* [This Week at Interior - January 21, 2022](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMjAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjEuNTIxODcxMjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy55b3V0dWJlLmNvbS93YXRjaD92PU9JNUREQUhYRDVZIn0.JXa19rK5lm_eHU-V_AtnxBx5N-Pl9cllIwvAXy5bUpA/s/854461416/br/125476617367-l)
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* [White House Releases Guidebook for Infrastructure Law](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26548904.15372/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjIvMDEvd2hpdGUtaG91c2UtcmVsZWFzZXMtZ3VpZGUtaW5mcmFzdHJ1Y3R1cmUtbGF3LzM2MTQwOC8_b3JlZj1yZi10b2RheS1ubA/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B35acd202)
* [AASHTO Comments on FEMA Floodplain Plans](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0014GV5i1ToxeGlN_P-pdegSaPR1VGWMfOR2eeBMxeQr_pAxMYPgLzjLh2T9YqPEzFQ0nvdKaCrkmKsbiTRuKRKYCuOOowkbraQTu3B8rV8bCj023UXCTVavG0Ca9gay-Eesv3I8PgYAnSZH5ii3HaasT9xlvbRdpsm9cQG0do8m4xnxN6sxoth_x7HrxieDs_SyzgJw0eM7LPCHGwuo_LfJktRt3N281eP&c=agoviUJiZlNvARcSXBJGDvEpkx_8stWXcMp4LeVrOakWxLu5SRtX1Q==&ch=tQ5O0x-vHlaF85HTwTBNVJ9Ln1rNyXIRI0s_le104rZG8wqqKHT4Uw==)
* [White House Council on Native American Affairs' Engagement Session with Tribal Leaders Focuses on Infrastructure, Public Safety](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001L4yrTXQlX6o_DfazkFdr474tVK9OhPd2RvLKntcX3DxijdvB1QASKS8wfeIt67b03efaxGgqnXiqK4yOe1FzXGRCxGTWPGQcbicGhlIC51YE24jj71xVenVDioznoJ7UChSHdon8GoswAc8-xQYq7I-duT6h-JtI0qP4nWC7ytITtP-6YfWFOaTrg5G0txedhvmvA2Cd5LldXxDyc6diGmt8DlWSfrS1z7AcgL8f_3k2DGwqzcyWjwsODBDfpNOcld2DWodP9ZQkr-93msBF3qc6fUqXuanogvj2JJZVRLnNVlrPZ_AHs6dIss_jhGIQ5_TSg9Q_UA_PhXpIKf2MLDZN4ApRo1I1MwfJrSDrygw=&c=wPeDgCRHW_8KpzzFRTl2PswZlpiTZR6OV3kfcVgbetpYqaMzz_Bqug==&ch=WfDGbCiIUiU26KYEvSzQwBNhR2cyUXVzPBsmrB2A0iyEXW8BDfGi0g==)
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* DOT Infrastructure For Rebuilding America Grants—Apply by March 1. Tribes are eligible to apply for the program, which funds transportation highway and freight projects of national and regional significance that result in good-paying jobs, improve safety, apply transformative technology, and explicitly address climate change and racial equity and operational improvements directly related to system performance. [Learn more and apply](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAyMDEuNTI3MDE2NzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2VuZXJneWNvbW11bml0aWVzLmdvdi9mdW5kaW5nLW9wcG9ydHVuaXR5L2luZnJhLWdyYW50cy8ifQ.hqG0_DNQ2S7CrBO1fYcjqF_-X7_Lj3N_GAvePq6tchY/s/112186182/br/125951680869-l).
* [Infrastructure Update: $6B Federal Bridge Funding Boost Arrives for Small Localities](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001XarbK_xK60OEO6dxiaM7zF3K8OiT_KNuvpwnIiOdil7XZ6Tas_QHDUqC61iKncVt34H6tg2UNxc6QOmOb_4m7q8npUwFCHHUlJ0bYzbc7QwhhByGwkT8sIyQNrJDbppyLUkGZ55Pqtj4T27193zyVLWs_EE9o5h2M2VrBzT0yfOf2ERp2vhvJZ7ovewXvk_924BK4SVof_6gt4GAlLpYupM_nea-o4rnnF03CevhZ8cyaimrAhbaU_CS5i_9CEdhctIjwJnBHzb1_NzrahMe2S5rfTYuHfqpxnCIV9do5yFLnyQ9CTKcEwGfNo83-40cV0uS0Sma0_gbH0HkLtClIA==&c=FpOzUDJc27wM4pgj6lbG_9ER8eigyiPl7Et8cyqq8ngvBB6BGqYpMw==&ch=FueKs0Xn9BCbL7mH8SSbezzFh4oS-eXZwemEVpD-7DTBUSBMqzZytA==)
* [AASHTO Supporting EV Infrastructure Webinar Series](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ckePl0hluz0Zrxnyw6WNZ6JxDpX04ag__S8KszSgY741Yclb4N-IPwtDynxJneq3_PXKHK54SFxA0E_9OutbUuTR0jBQsItBFRuAMoxjPSie-P55CbpjXqc-YjkSc2xB8CpqEAXxjMgUSSKJIsQFDmf6MxwZN3sluJ4qmTof2Z-pZy8ddvhcx7AHiSlNjcMo7OjGQwRVDdGD4gV7tQIgZ18gTTtip00NPKoij4aIXKueFWBNmPexQ_cg0RlkGnaERwXy1D-2zRU=&c=Rnyoh9gwjHXPZwPWkmDP2sTlKkXvjMewVXOXDdOhsrmVtTl36phQLA==&ch=Qa3JSDPgSk79tVQDNBpTDF-iHdvZY8_LKecWFNKlpsr3CKd2bj-oyg==)
* [Feds Open Application Process for $1.5B in Transportation Grants](https://link.route-fifty.com/click/26524374.85759/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjIvMDEvZmVkcy1vcGVuLWFwcGxpY2F0aW9uLXByb2Nlc3MtMTViLXRyYW5zcG9ydGF0aW9uLWdyYW50cy8zNjEzMjQvP29yZWY9Z292ZXhlY190b2RheV9ubA/542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Bf01f45f7)
* [USDOT Unveils New National Roadway Safety Strategy](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001NKeStp3S3w7habvkq5rWHVY1S007aubT82Z7tioQyt1Espkaz4O252SCsyrJcQqS0zlZ1cutoDHjcaMMJQZRjOjTDbMQU2krNhUDi2lP0sFApLx5XEfMM0cKq7FfQxEysaUEt-25okEuHTc7ouFBPbttUoTuc3skm4zI26WX9dFLykvyMPPSZ0BgrYkgGKDvMENRvrGfblU-SYVke6hMJ7fp3VmXM2bST-Cv_rb1Cco04icOSW-7qtXXd_3b64gQ6L4A-ERgG90=&c=tENqQUTxMs5-j9BwOKOf1U8Tf4E_2eXNM4KGB-02cSWzvLJ4rvfyeg==&ch=fjcHkX07IWuX0gP-OSt9Uh7nMamZ-6WMQq39qR1SSfDABTM5FgA-XQ==)
* [FHWA Seeks to Reboot Tribal Centers Program](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001I1jfN5SOu0h_sOz2cIV25ePNg-ICq1A_Ny5xYVgmEp5YtCmgWPjwgGskwmy8PxH82EcgeV3MQvNqZIEtRG-LjCqhQMU-4jVSZGhyaxafLe04SHz8lfH-qnJGRsXCqMs3uxvscHSMvWIn6N59CyVLDTAqBWHXB_sY--UlAHbl4bHWL4FEbo9VvbH2ZSNbXJ0jkU1GC8Q7Sl7XgzAtdAUtLHDoUBPjFGdcZTkZ_6-2PvI=&c=UJnsY4Y_m3nsWIY-DPVCEBYpaunE0cgFkNu_z6HXunxel9cXRO5k8Q==&ch=H4bW-q9pKBrPYL_BnSx2r0iNjd-W_yIphYCMd9PLEFGR_bjrmlOUsA==)
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* [US Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg Announces Comprehensive National Roadway Safety Strategy](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Q3ukb59U7vbrsE7A1zE9-Z0_XtMjW3mb5fhYYoVIEXo0Au34vo8NH94hTCrkkEMw9cozJGhA01E2e00ZbVSDKSBQptRcJmMzeTmO_1L87Obxh_Vae55_k0mozxEVnKC6IiVTfZ9RpNEE5WmtmTcVvU77dz8JQhVmY8YOLGxovg2FcLwugsHRdoMaCB3mSViwXxdp_LJXDzZQ97buf-mT2zcjmF56Kkl6H7BN5RmQFDCvdLYcflCBX-GUhjufpetSM-pbR2bvaoPA_lqdDJ8MC_Rau3dNOBdw3uogcEk0DYMlMlyXsVob4jFhu8TKnsWz&c=Iku_PUw2lB42TH3stVAD-v1cQunQzK6vP2NqmJulkSwrN-x_OFftfw==&ch=RyiwEiTGQ7VxBs7ZoeMCf2AELs5iwgqPH25BJJKTcCl9spKJtxVQTA==)
* [Data Spotlight: U.S. Ports Work Through Daunting Challenges](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001m9ubCCFwm6Vfyilc0sarhCHjMcnIbVbos274kPXiUU-iXs2mHBtU0dO7gB80kHA6Y3jGJN1u4ETkv0-Xq9iDTmAChDoRQLoZ7t47MNr4jas9ugY-XZnca4MH9Z6zelI20oOJH45DSujK8Wwu4Zifjv2Vn__F_132yU0s2flFdmdTpQzfgjNj22uVgDSp8Y-AbfQt_M3g3Oe0_xorCk69AjgztJYQCYWrboZmLxaFFgE=&c=-guyr3S3qq-KIKEnBMmUwXJgyvVSib9_oGjB2x1sGrGSiCHAMKAHKA==&ch=oboDoS-QR143e_JwS1jg3jqHK2xdtcofNbUGe9lgIqI_El6sv-jKLQ==)
* [Electric Vehicles Charge Ahead in Statehouses](https://click.pewtrusts.org/?qs=2575d1294b873f7eba167a0879fda17d9646a3c7519d16beb9f4d60b4d3c4beb99c5a185f80824fa9eae45734ce4c5763f99db89091efb85)
* 2022 Port Performance Freight Statistics Program: As part of its Port Performance Freight Statistics Program, BTS publishes [continuously updated tables](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjQuNTIyNjIwODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2RhdGEuYnRzLmdvdi9zdG9yaWVzL3MvbWlnbi1yYzhwIn0.xNbVpi2ZkGvQO_NhEbz6KwGjJunBW8R1kNo6h7O7ZRs/s/188093378/br/125531656059-l) and reports a [snapshot](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMjQuNTIyNjIwODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5idHMuZ292L2Jyb3dzZS1zdGF0aXN0aWNhbC1wcm9kdWN0cy1hbmQtZGF0YS9wb3J0LXBlcmZvcm1hbmNlLzIwMjItcG9ydC1wZXJmb3JtYW5jZS1mcmVpZ2h0LXN0YXRpc3RpY3MifQ.ZMdKF9aKDwnZLQo9lg6y-6CKlaPFhZ9TASB8rn_OQfc/s/188093378/br/125531656059-l) to Congress.
* [USDOT Outlines Path Forward With New Infrastructure Law](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Y6a1NMV9CnjG5E320xjVxn30kJWcDRkr8fQxMQNsTmpkw3croxZ3FJaJ4pbIMWpuYJihr8suZdgvkuy8Jk26qIxqa950h0Wu3bXdpu3LK7VIyX0pAIO424NzGtEZXHNAvNd61PbTFxA72sxZhJl2EGZOfCfvroXsbaRFdrB3LgxYQpxYlLNG6mf3GQw4LzXkaCIsHreMXTGu5XceZL75FXUnTH1pWKYUZkdJqu1JsVTASvWtTTsd702LKiOd-N-L&c=oVCKa1KWREJg1jldf9q2PHsG1eH1eAKyw36Vf7Nj2K9583KPtp56zA==&ch=asoAcICAr3mhpIP2twUPnonnnfPKSzJl4tbh30zpqVBw9p83G7fAxQ==)
* [$27 billion in funding available for bridges nationwide](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fagri-pulse.us12.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3Df5a0aaec713d79bbd5f7ec87c%26id%3D962b93c3fa%26e%3D3f178d2160&data=04%7C01%7C%7C838b589d886c44c539a308d9d785d2fa%7Ced5b36e701ee4ebc867ee03cfa0d4697%7C0%7C0%7C637777792058367058%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000&sdata=5rbDUArJSLv7WuCtMP4AaA6jc6OtCDZSQxMqJKkBOWc%3D&reserved=0)
* [California Gov. Proposes Zero Emission Vehicle Package](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001I1jfN5SOu0h_sOz2cIV25ePNg-ICq1A_Ny5xYVgmEp5YtCmgWPjwgGskwmy8PxH8EEsR3UaH5sOgo0I4hekap54_2wJQRVbFUwtRZijwd1SkFUqWFFfkzn4O_en9SI9vYJppqLxqIPEwbYEnmFwmU6ce0530wmLg12QArjBIKvmuTjNaqY_32fZbAkN7peyHMYZXdJjt0ComeZME4VZz-IvJ3-GZBqkyymr85jNDv9ITvXqy004BmWsP2VGlaFIg&c=UJnsY4Y_m3nsWIY-DPVCEBYpaunE0cgFkNu_z6HXunxel9cXRO5k8Q==&ch=H4bW-q9pKBrPYL_BnSx2r0iNjd-W_yIphYCMd9PLEFGR_bjrmlOUsA==)
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* [Utah DOT Engineer: Public-Private Partnerships Critical for Autonomous Vehicles](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001XjEVpOQuRqI1ClYnm7I2LaevTO3T5Y6PG2F8-YwkP3JLoUyH00OZebCT7dShjffZXSPCu3teeeb_aOmVB-0nXCZ6IZ5GK2Mb1H5OOEikkfZBAbcjuKpNsJOBPNqrlQXd27fpxVsGmLtCrTHvxHzIndGdLsWDKPqnmJLbJ7mlDPiWP6pg2fBJSwQRsYdAqic6x5PzSQOXVNcXgEniFJDaJaH8NTB_EMlv2XJM1jzulGAK3O26-M4ybug2HWv9TovKPtRHRuxo4SGnjXkM14j9udYOSJ4NcH5xLKh5HR8UdpZTaaQZhNnwP3sOlSBySEKhBHHkDZIaN4c=&c=VBSFwBwmqi5GMUQbvkDlQ3jLol_peM65ur_5w1FGrL1uLgJdTzjYPg==&ch=jabJ1lBKoHtAE-CvgXWXz_KTtRz9pu3Vw6BQMkIO1-tPZN8dopbWcQ==)

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**AZ**

* [Governor Ducey Issues Executive Order To Wipe Out Needless Regulations](https://azgovernor.gov/governor/news/2022/01/governor-ducey-issues-executive-order-wipe-out-needless-regulations)
* [Ducey says education, water, border security will be top priorities for legislative session](https://www.azmirror.com/2022/01/07/ducey-says-education-water-border-security-will-be-top-priorities-for-legislative-session/)
* [Ducey's state of the state address: Arizona governor to focus on education, water, border in 2022](https://www.fox10phoenix.com/news/arizona-governor-doug-ducey-delivers-his-final-state-of-the-state-address-talks-about-water-education)

**CA:** Governor Newsom [announced his proposed investments](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTAuNTE1NzU3NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5lYnVkZ2V0LmNhLmdvdi8_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.xUhL3fB2qO_BjlZYJh7ACYufos6FnjoKlBo_Y2wQlXk/s/1821941275/br/124503848136-l) for the 2022-23 state budget intended to address California’s greatest existential threats while building on California’s historic progress. Governor Newsom’s [California Blueprint](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTAuNTE1NzU3NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nb3YuY2EuZ292L3dwLWNvbnRlbnQvdXBsb2Fkcy8yMDIyLzAxL0dvdmVybm9ycy1DYWxpZm9ybmlhLUJsdWVwcmludC1GYWN0LVNoZWV0LnBkZj91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkifQ.966C7YtQf4qXt1HZCxzkmItMQS2-r2MNa4VSu0cTzus/s/1821941275/br/124503848136-l) tackles the increasing threat of climate change by combating wildfires and confronting the drought with new investments and actions. [View this factsheet](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjAxMTAuNTE1NzU3NjEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5nb3YuY2EuZ292L3dwLWNvbnRlbnQvdXBsb2Fkcy8yMDIyLzAxL0NsaW1hdGUtQ2hhbmdlLURyb3VnaHQtYW5kLVdpbGRmaXJlcy1GYWN0LVNoZWV0LnBkZj91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkifQ.VVNe2DQfEmRVRs7qtAGl0GXaAgZpiO1wtGKXS2xArVM/s/1821941275/br/124503848136-l) to learn more on our efforts to address the climate crisis.

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* From integrated [water management](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001fH1H7Gv5ty3nmSV5I1-ORr7ERvq_PDM3crzRO0g-xv2znWJXMbBir6Y6HLeu3fcTLpTjNU06pgaNkpZc1BhmnrzGSdMTq7RgcwbGWfuoTdvwj8h0xB2mctnCPIiwQzfB_-eAvlMVY199dFVq0g-7urPSwd4QlP-RndSybQ_A189dgB4WQaXwxyQC5Yx_o8hoBNRPWw1IHQno049EToL21kydC1N-9BLsWNRFnMW-x_C85gB2ZUsQ_Ati5l8jlv1kszdI-90MtKCT_mvRL6LxGLgcbeQhJNHCwSk_mU5fGLRDnIy0ITvG_lwKY7aPJkaTNrs6-ddTdK4=&c=bpGPFLM-iKl28tEUPY5NPZ8MnHLNUNp1VDKBzNsERB8d_rU4lv-mpw==&ch=rDJ1lf6RXtjpAJpWb_b9dD8rcp2qVcNdTwQZev9jFwDOnqECy5vUjg==) and [hydropower](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001fH1H7Gv5ty3nmSV5I1-ORr7ERvq_PDM3crzRO0g-xv2znWJXMbBir6Y6HLeu3fcTi9ZptpMIhkXuJbMvI5lXXfc64kYT4tMbHMs0QwzwOv67TFq2oJ-mVd29fM1KBrmSb1rduDnosEQSCey7Xmj3PBGCtZm8DZ3iPi-bDeUfOsKqR9mgdJGZqWLi_WLEFjaqS4R8iuW1659Oah-D4pZH303YRA85o0uRLF5scSerVlro-tUyxJ6gtMNkWBPKLN76msjwuGQ0M279AsvBgI-_BXTVjG3qsQESfD15YImze5apkcT2EDz7XAcH4E39hqjN&c=bpGPFLM-iKl28tEUPY5NPZ8MnHLNUNp1VDKBzNsERB8d_rU4lv-mpw==&ch=rDJ1lf6RXtjpAJpWb_b9dD8rcp2qVcNdTwQZev9jFwDOnqECy5vUjg==) to rural [electric vehicle infrastructure](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001fH1H7Gv5ty3nmSV5I1-ORr7ERvq_PDM3crzRO0g-xv2znWJXMbBir6Y6HLeu3fcTt1g0d6t9wNXwfhGt4zIS-DshewuvOEahq41bJ5aAzqehZDOy9vGZioHNBpKNGQSkCakr1b25XSqHHVAiwkZiGrE7Qw_jKGRgUE6Y8tWC26RB0JH4TBWZMcQXgzOajzf3qBwsuEyKehI0Er-nM3wQjgCpt0N5mfv9UBD2ceENTXtowY6JfsJ3cFEkYKLE6H6HgQOnMza5RJQ3i32T91CFqhpMBgs6VZQn7K7aSnSeIQtP2v1nrSFjD_JCa6vOAukl&c=bpGPFLM-iKl28tEUPY5NPZ8MnHLNUNp1VDKBzNsERB8d_rU4lv-mpw==&ch=rDJ1lf6RXtjpAJpWb_b9dD8rcp2qVcNdTwQZev9jFwDOnqECy5vUjg==) and [cybersecurity](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001fH1H7Gv5ty3nmSV5I1-ORr7ERvq_PDM3crzRO0g-xv2znWJXMbBir6Y6HLeu3fcT7jm1IlGl6u0VNm6DSe6jEi54YCKbpPqqa6oV5s_h6CtBD6FjIDJbWuXyjePS6KxzCbZ3Jn6lgcHVqIcQgn7fDDZ6p4WitgU8DdCMxDp4_G9b0tL9CNTQREV5o3DcwjS2P0ickqsDatZSDX9iKJIkgscBq88Jm3QjV8IMHWYTe8SFqUBrJMtHhoXbAOTrB5eUbDtt5VWFiWajAQp9nDVNyjt1Fkmtdvy85B1wGw6VMIutyPQi5-oDT7rvPuyNa3ntZbekffbrLddUzvxyLr0dSA==&c=bpGPFLM-iKl28tEUPY5NPZ8MnHLNUNp1VDKBzNsERB8d_rU4lv-mpw==&ch=rDJ1lf6RXtjpAJpWb_b9dD8rcp2qVcNdTwQZev9jFwDOnqECy5vUjg==), WGA continued its advocacy of western priorities as Congress came back into session after the holidays. To see the Governors’ full policy recommendations, read, download the full transmittal [letters](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001fH1H7Gv5ty3nmSV5I1-ORr7ERvq_PDM3crzRO0g-xv2znWJXMbBir8vj4ldig6QBzpZMUbGsUT1ZxcA8h7xL5BFFov1-XkRAYyEQv5SDtUZgrqmtfSvCXSmfUZ0I9kYzUXU5RAzAQb_cTZc4Wnd_VQ==&c=bpGPFLM-iKl28tEUPY5NPZ8MnHLNUNp1VDKBzNsERB8d_rU4lv-mpw==&ch=rDJ1lf6RXtjpAJpWb_b9dD8rcp2qVcNdTwQZev9jFwDOnqECy5vUjg==).
* The new episode of WGA’s [Out West](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001DFZeqVMOdxF8wqFAoPVCFpIzaGc9Td-42eTkIX-iXnNeV83RbLauPjOS81klVtitGqGyngbahXZONAN_ne4pjlqx5Hg_90CtSTqz0i7j5-pQPuBkdoLXKq3HfiVtlDdsw4Kv7VLBqVPRKtRoR4StNg==&c=B3wQYONAhh0SKtn1-_i0SlQWl6gbBApprdnhrij4z32HU8UEwTXTPA==&ch=FGm0DQJNf6ETfPS0BMz4g2Eer0nutKp8fhMnaeLIO0vuKkisKaMjaw==) podcast, [Strengthening the State-Federal Relationship](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001DFZeqVMOdxF8wqFAoPVCFpIzaGc9Td-42eTkIX-iXnNeV83RbLauPpfnqhFQpS5InV9IfeIg4GiYVol0KuOvv-DOv66-s3ThbyPj61Ljrtc3KOta3oAhDDpHvaGoTKRmLAw6ChyPnze8FrQpdhis4VkmuQVXxsgCQWDr3Yq_UR6sdeYGcrMNOxPQOM3L03JCuZjEBm11UN2BBxbG6fJG_ikHqmUC0XgIDwrLbd2XrBY=&c=B3wQYONAhh0SKtn1-_i0SlQWl6gbBApprdnhrij4z32HU8UEwTXTPA==&ch=FGm0DQJNf6ETfPS0BMz4g2Eer0nutKp8fhMnaeLIO0vuKkisKaMjaw==), explores the work that western states and organizations are undertaking to strengthen and rebalance the states’ relationship with the federal government.
* Idaho Gov. Brad Little will host the final workshop of his Chair initiative, [Working Lands, Working Communities](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001DFZeqVMOdxF8wqFAoPVCFpIzaGc9Td-42eTkIX-iXnNeV83RbLauPgghDHmi-vVHJXKhQTZpQsK4SnJbG8iomn-eAW8imAqO9Qlq65IT8Kto0uYm6qi6zJuwNOTFTm9R8ugCsiWDgExOmpzrh6cXyMfE9ZtDXsP86vYworz7qyF8VHjnWk6LYCKEspr_cR7m8-GgF1dfwzCXN-X6_-3j7A==&c=B3wQYONAhh0SKtn1-_i0SlQWl6gbBApprdnhrij4z32HU8UEwTXTPA==&ch=FGm0DQJNf6ETfPS0BMz4g2Eer0nutKp8fhMnaeLIO0vuKkisKaMjaw==), on Feb. 23-24 in Boise, Idaho. Register [here](https://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001eqcQxMKT-CMTUxTWu98_lpMFuobQqfcKzRRqnqLqy8DpL1OBcYzA6LmseNf-wEz0AT0aq_03R5cKDvlCf9RiiKUnTomarcx2Rwbhp7IJR0eCgrUhjxNzAMPyS70n3MHLwD3yS65uDF1GZoekVBOQtjwDZIFnETsI6aEQXkZooWbIkrkY_vjaC7mA38GZ1UWgVz3ohzS73Xk=&c=O7GnoKyHi01Rn3wLgWuloTTB9ua6FqZpR_xfGRm5Hl_w79jVffhpUQ==&ch=hV5_pcrKxKkinb9W5nJuHAWd3I8CYzfwtduUurEwLAnp0Y4MQxQ6rA==)
* [Western governors are the last adults standing on the political stage](https://mtstandard.com/opinion/columnists/guest-view-western-governors-are-the-last-adults-standing-on-the-political-stage/article_db5d1c1d-6e48-578a-9a6e-2fa0e1776771.html)