**WESTERN REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP**

Monthly Update

# **December 2023 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 in creating 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.

# **WRP Priority**

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WRP 2023-2024 Priority is “*Enhancing Resilience to Avoid Cascading Disaster.*” Per the survey results, and WRP SC actions, the 2023/2024 Deep-Dives in support of WRP Priority *“Enhancing Resilience to Avoid Cascading Disaster”* are:

* Water Security/Resilience
* Wildland Fire (response/ prevention)
* Aviation/Airspace Needs

Please contact amyduffy@westernregionalpartnership.org for more information.

# **WRP Updates**

* In case you missed it, here is the [recording](https://bah16f18.adobeconnect.com/pu33bhzmxmhc/) to the December 4th WRP webinar highlighting the tools and resources available by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to assist with climate change, climate predictions, and weather-related planning efforts.
* The 2024 WRP Principals’ Meeting will take place in Colorado on May 1-2. WRP Principals’ Meeting provides an opportunity to learn more about issues impacting the region and to network with other senior policy-level colleagues representing states, federal and tribal government. Together, WRP Principals will develop strategies and actions for addressing identified issues and priorities over the next year.

# **Energy**

## **Federal Updates**

* [Continue U.S. Clean Energy Manufacturing Boom and Strengthen America’s Energy Security](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vaG9tZS50cmVhc3VyeS5nb3YvbmV3cy9wcmVzcy1yZWxlYXNlcy9qeTE5ODk_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyMC44NzQ0Mjg4MSJ9.qa0dwu5mM5e693roC3YUeus1P0LIGn4PbmlORZEkHyc%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F233557665926-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc018432510d841491cba08dc01ab1bd9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387081632955882%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3IRb8B6jkVQo9wZ3VyHyUlfHntYFGz2FXrOtlwdzLLU%3D&reserved=0)

### **FERC**

* [December 2023 Highlights | FERC insight | Volume 11](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fferc.gov%2Fnews-events%2Fnews%2Fdecember-2023-highlights-ferc-insight-volume-11&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc849c450408f4b9a3c2b08dc08b9d610%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394841454142034%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=VSHPGOSq4ZN6e89H9FsLcPziLF2P2u9FuR95Vd3%2F2bU%3D&reserved=0)
* [Chairman's Reliability Report | A Year in Review](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fferc.gov%2Fnews-events%2Fnews%2Fchairmans-reliability-report-year-review&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc849c450408f4b9a3c2b08dc08b9d610%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394841454298356%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tlgkReK1mYsihGB8Xlh4oJkFSzsRDDj2foTZyz4jqnk%3D&reserved=0)
* [Blackstart Study Recommends Collaboration, Planning for Resilience](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fferc.gov%2Fnews-events%2Fnews%2Fblackstart-study-recommends-collaboration-planning-resilience&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc849c450408f4b9a3c2b08dc08b9d610%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394841454298356%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=jm7SOekMecib%2FjjzCGUuOA2xl6V1JgJwPZgFxo3i7x4%3D&reserved=0)
* [Presentation & Report | FERC-NERC-Regional Entity Joint Blackstart and Next-Start Resource Availability Study in the Texas Interconnection](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fferc.gov%2Fnews-events%2Fnews%2Fpresentation-report-ferc-nerc-regional-entity-joint-blackstart-and-next-start&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc849c450408f4b9a3c2b08dc08b9d610%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394841454298356%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=U5WwaRaky8Du2idqwmkCf%2Bbh2zobxP%2BIaDF2CvXF6vQ%3D&reserved=0)

### **DOE**

* [EIA expects combined U.S. solar and wind electricity generation to surpass coal-fired generation in 2024](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.eia.gov%2Fpressroom%2Freleases%2Fpress547.php&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb302f820e31e46474f4508dc08ba172d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394842558373658%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=1plhaLfRoNAHYUMyK9tbr2Pmd0onqje8bN%2FjI9Z8H1E%3D&reserved=0)
* [U.S. Department of the Treasury and IRS Release Guidance on Hydrogen Production Credit](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZWVyZS9mdWVsY2VsbHMvYXJ0aWNsZXMvdXMtZGVwYXJ0bWVudC10cmVhc3VyeS1pcnMtcmVsZWFzZS1ndWlkYW5jZS1oeWRyb2dlbi1wcm9kdWN0aW9uLWNyZWRpdD91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjI3Ljg3NjkwNjcxIn0.VGeEUaZYj_MOGrpMUZIu9NTbvS9JkGBDG-ToKIeh-9E%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F233838577765-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C99a58dd186f640e466f608dc070f6a94%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393010005227321%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2Bd0Kk2PGHx102VY0s9JUxBYoAx2ZdP4WXHGM%2FHxZBWA%3D&reserved=0)
* [New initiative to support states and local communities as they plan for and evaluate proposed development of large renewable energy facilities.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.energy.gov%2Feere%2Farticles%2Fus-department-energy-launches-program-expand-state-and-local-capacity-renewable&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbac1af7f16354f7bfe8d08dc016beb8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386810232880047%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Z82czEz9TLsk3o2yIDirB%2FW7rpaO1dQFaTx0V4v%2FvZg%3D&reserved=0)
* [DOE Announces MOUs With Hopi Tribe, Navajo Nation](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.indiangaming.com%2Fdoe-announces-mous-with-hopi-tribe-navajo-nation%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfb201915ef7b431f9bf608dbfb834766%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380313500446020%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FZG2idh5kzST9lbZhLH5dGlF3gLxCsjvn5diJGbe3Mk%3D&reserved=0)
* [New Projects Aim to Strengthen U.S. Distributed Wind Supply Chain](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3Lm5yZWwuZ292L25ld3MvcHJvZ3JhbS8yMDIzL25yZWwtbm90aWNlLW9mLWludGVudC1pbnZpdGVzLXVzLW1hbnVmYWN0dXJlcnMtdG8tZGV2ZWxvcC1jb21tZXJjaWFsaXplLWRpc3RyaWJ1dGVkLXdpbmQtZW5lcmd5LXRlY2hub2xvZ3kuaHRtbD91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjEyLjg3MDIwOTgxIn0.84X75c4qybaZBy5YRfc2c9MCG7mEPRwItxC-AkcSkaw%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F232850807620-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf4e7015ba348407acc9508dbfb6b14f8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380209583764703%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=jnMR39yEyNIjax5YqiZwHNgFxXgW6X5Vr4bvl%2BKXVP0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Grand Challenges Revisited: Wind Energy Research Needs for a Global Energy Transition](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3Lm5yZWwuZ292L3dpbmQvZ3JhbmQtY2hhbGxlbmdlcy5odG1sP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTIuODcwMjA5ODEifQ.dwW7tpfEa0L93gqgvU3tnMTGXEWTVWbhFHD3Bt-krvs%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F232850807620-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf4e7015ba348407acc9508dbfb6b14f8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380209583764703%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=NRo3eDhRTn1sCIuow3b8bRwYxp8WQSzKPviCIZ2GmWg%3D&reserved=0)
* DOE announced results of [an analysis](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3Lm9zdGkuZ292L2JpYmxpby8yMjI0MTkxP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMDYuODY3MTgxODEifQ.65ccC0UyTHmO_qbzgW1zrsmACUMmRsaiSmraPnSHnvw%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F232426817254-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce95b4e7d536a47edc10008dbf6a0bdb6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374942469166329%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ObF87q7pNfBzYYlSwLwdvQHn8nYTOG0IlW8dx84WaS8%3D&reserved=0) highlighting that, deployed at mass scale, [geothermal heat pumps](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZWVyZS9nZW90aGVybWFsL2dlb3RoZXJtYWwtaGVhdC1wdW1wcz91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjA2Ljg2NzE4MTgxIn0.Xcj9GyZpzGwhn9l8vU10kMM9LUT0cb0mzRDbjnEYyAE%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F232426817254-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce95b4e7d536a47edc10008dbf6a0bdb6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374942469166329%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=0%2Bj6J0tT9LoP41tayC6vND1jJNtNNZEjlRKZSLD0xlU%3D&reserved=0) (GHPs) could decarbonize heating and cooling and save energy in U.S. buildings while reducing the need for new grid transmission.
* [NREL and Amazon Aim To Create Guidebook for Emissions Impact Analysis](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fnrel.us14.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3Dcfb46c07f566f9a82b5fa0488%26id%3D811213481f%26e%3D0351f58cce&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0822321b14d94b5a3f0b08dbfb6338ea%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380175810870926%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=AfHljSm3CjqNxJLFgyPg2FmqB8dkPxDf8DopUiQnT4c%3D&reserved=0)
* Funding Opportunities:
	+ [$59 Million to Advance the National Clean Hydrogen Strategy](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZWVyZS9mdWVsY2VsbHMvYXJ0aWNsZXMvZG9lLWFubm91bmNlcy01OS1taWxsaW9uLWFkdmFuY2UtbmF0aW9uYWwtY2xlYW4taHlkcm9nZW4tc3RyYXRlZ3k_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyMC44NzQ0Mjg4MSJ9.rZ5dqmTArLAp5-D7qk_Cj4LykMexSH-T1RgGTrhivsA%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F233557665926-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc018432510d841491cba08dc01ab1bd9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387081632643442%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=M6%2FzRYuqC9pZWVoVTvmCrw3f7rBSyUjp%2BS%2BULC2Jz3o%3D&reserved=0). Due **January 26, 2024**
	+ [DOE Announces up to $7 million for Solar Energy Evolution and Diffusion Studies 4](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZWVyZS9zb2xhci9hcnRpY2xlcy9mdW5kaW5nLW5vdGljZS1zb2xhci1lbmVyZ3ktZXZvbHV0aW9uLWFuZC1kaWZmdXNpb24tc3R1ZGllcy00LXNlZWRzLTQ_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyMC44NzQ0Mjg4MSJ9.DCaOjalDvLeUwf_G78rQEc8AmIjEyBWXHcryV_B-k9Y%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F233557665926-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc018432510d841491cba08dc01ab1bd9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387081632643442%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=V8gaGc5JlZtOlqWS%2FeG3SQIFGPniPi9kRpQAIf3A3IE%3D&reserved=0). Concept papers are due by **January 30, 2024**

### **DOI**

* [DOI Publishes Final 2024–2029 National Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Leasing Program, Enabling Offshore Wind Industry to Progress](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvVVNET0kvYnVsbGV0aW5zLzM4MDM1YjYiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE1Ljg3MjE1MjYxIn0.__PT3BARbEAu13kvG0ABZZCsxb-fFw8uQq8gvb11HeM%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F233221680113-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf50a4cf5869145c280a508dbfdaf8104%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382702450866400%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=YMYDF5ZYS%2F59lE9AtphrS9lTyhadGxjpgJCLiF%2F80Ow%3D&reserved=0)

### **DOI-BLM**

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### **California**

* [CEC Awards $30 Million to 100-Hour, Long-Duration Energy Storage Project](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/CNRA/bulletins/37fd1b0)
* [California Joins Global Offshore Wind Alliance in Ambitious Commitment](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/CNRA/bulletins/37e72bb)

### **NeW MEXICO**

* [Renewable energy makes up less than 1% of record-breaking state land revenue](https://www.abqjournal.com/business/renewable-energy-makes-up-less-than-1-of-record-breaking-state-land-revenue/article_5c13d2ce-9f96-11ee-890d-3fbb2c8cf8d4.html)
* [New Mexico extends ban on oil and gas leasing around Chaco park, an area sacred to Native Americans](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fapnews.com%2Farticle%2Fnew-mexico-chaco-sacred-site-oil-leasing-ban-19c7752120453f0e4bc62d8caf40ab83&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C027229fc267b4223687108dbfde22371%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382919935856094%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=WYWOAvqJd3m3jwufwC7kUJ81yTSDG2MAENsWEkfedY8%3D&reserved=0)

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* DOE Seeks Tribal Leader and ANC Leader Input on Draft Consultation Policy Updates. Comments **due Jan. 31, 2024** to tribalconsultation@hq.doe.gov. More info [available here](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vZ2NjMDIuc2FmZWxpbmtzLnByb3RlY3Rpb24ub3V0bG9vay5jb20vP3VybD1odHRwcyUzQSUyRiUyRnd3dy5lbmVyZ3kuZ292JTJGY29uZ3Jlc3Npb25hbCUyRnN0cmVuZ3RoZW5pbmctdHJpYmFsLWNvbnN1bHRhdGlvbi1hbmQtZW5nYWdlbWVudC10cmliYWwtbGVhZGVycyZkYXRhPTA1JTdDMDElN0NKb2UuRGF2aWRzb24lNDBucmVsLmdvdiU3QzIyMWIyMmIyNDFhYjQ1MjM1NzVkMDhkYmY1YWY1NzMxJTdDYTBmMjlkN2UyOGNkNGY1NDg0NDI3ODg1YWVlN2MwODAlN0MwJTdDMCU3QzYzODM3MzkwNjQ0MjQ5ODU0NCU3Q1Vua25vd24lN0NUV0ZwYkdac2IzZDhleUpXSWpvaU1DNHdMakF3TURBaUxDSlFJam9pVjJsdU16SWlMQ0pCVGlJNklrMWhhV3dpTENKWFZDSTZNbjAlM0QlN0MzMDAwJTdDJTdDJTdDJnNkYXRhPWZhamRPWDdSRDdGVU5iaWZZVGxORGlLUGxGN09FaEtPWWttYk9VWkdDbFElM0QmcmVzZXJ2ZWQ9MCIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTkuODczNTg2MDEifQ.alVd0ah3TZmY9nHNsF16_55-dZPgNYmb4FULdBdNn1A%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403201865%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=vqa8ff5llPOrRYYJen%2FbBUFt5jkEGLQrvTQu6NaEjQM%3D&reserved=0).
* DOE’s new [Tribal Guide to Solar Energy](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZWVyZS9zb2xhci90cmliYWwtZ3VpZGUtc29sYXItZW5lcmd5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.eZX2vIwC6z0ppUpSVaCPd7AiS9c-Ci8F9s-ob3GNuvw%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=61DDSX5Rm%2FLjXKXqI7ZjsKpmO1Z5382suf%2BDzO3DzYQ%3D&reserved=0). DOE published the [*Addressing Regulatory Challenges to Tribal Solar Deployment Guidebook*](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3Lm5yZWwuZ292L2RvY3MvZnkyM29zdGkvODU3NDEucGRmIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.SvmG2CMfW59qZ7IcNLpbOby0hKZXfpi89kmHZyx22wI%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403514365%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=NxOiASREgVoVQZX79OsW3CrznGCQgOnE1f3XsnVapCY%3D&reserved=0).
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* [More than 200 Tribal members and leaders, Tribal energy champions and partners, DOE staff, and other interested parties gathered in Denver for the 2023 Office of Indian Energy Program Review.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvaW5kaWFuZW5lcmd5L2FydGljbGVzL3RyaWJhbC1lbmVyZ3ktY2hhbXBpb25zLXBhcnRuZXJzLWdhdGhlci0yMDIzLXByb2dyYW0tcmV2aWV3IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIwNS44NjYzNjAwMSJ9.eQPDEX-DNL-dGc0r0_nzEHBcGbhGhTpnxgXkRm5CTss%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F232260831480-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5b84983f72984338e32b08dbf5d2d640%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374058129472522%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=GQJHE1WAyj2me8HxPO%2Fk%2Fmyhjy2dLkp9Gq1JXfQA1DI%3D&reserved=0)
* 2024 DOE Tribal Clean Energy Summit on **February 27-28, 2024** at the Pechanga Resort Casino in Temecula, California. [Register now](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvaW5kaWFuZW5lcmd5LzIwMjQtdHJpYmFsLWNsZWFuLWVuZXJneS1zdW1taXQiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMTE2Ljg1NzUzNjUxIn0.D7BnYiVVrnDmlElya1yLPYKDZ5zvHSpWoeoAxufv950%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F230974936995-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb5b5c8da8aaa47676b7008dbe6caf3a9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638357531604892926%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=LqneUQ3p8s%2BjMECT4F2dze4yBqVryj2ko4Ok8tavCgM%3D&reserved=0)
* [Feds invest $2.5 million to better identify desert tribal sacred sites](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.desertsun.com%2Fstory%2Fnews%2Fenvironment%2F2023%2F12%2F12%2Ffeds-invest-2-5-million-to-better-identify-tribal-sacred-sites-in-desert-renewable-zones%2F71896684007%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdf5534d2eaa74aa08fcf08dbfcb85757%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381640894899116%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=oFJ%2FRi0TmuygfPOM3oZsvUqs4U6X4Z%2FkeVyIHA%2BCbZ0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Native American community breaks ground on historic clean energy project](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.independent.co.uk%2Fnews%2Fworld%2Famericas%2Fclean-energy-native-american-gila-river-b2462895.html&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf0ac90280bae43065cbc08dbfcb659d5%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381632346123254%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=pUzWQkhgdGqIvXR0CMla6GBD1JkZMuRDeh3cB02qF%2FM%3D&reserved=0)
* [Federal Infrastructure Dollars to Upgrade Fragile Indian Country Power Grid](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcapitalandmain.com%2Ffederal-infrastructure-dollars-to-upgrade-fragile-indian-country-power-grid&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbce997b104174ebc7d3508dbf607600c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374283764608071%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=BvJAbHcoBcsqT7fCteENbVJ5%2FcgiohKJuOxXvTU9LPo%3D&reserved=0)
* Funding Opportunities
	+ Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program
		- $8.8 million available for Tribes
		- Application deadline **April 30, 2024**.
		- [EECBG Comprehensive Guide for Indian Tribes](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3Yvc2NlcC9lbmVyZ3ktZWZmaWNpZW5jeS1hbmQtY29uc2VydmF0aW9uLWJsb2NrLWdyYW50LXByb2dyYW0tY29tcHJlaGVuc2l2ZS1ndWlkZS1pbmRpYW4tdHJpYmVzIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIwNS44NjYzNjAwMSJ9.1fm6TEXyg7CLEh9ZQjeevkvHfuXjoJDpr03dO3mm3sw%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F232260831480-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5b84983f72984338e32b08dbf5d2d640%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374058129628752%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7zqEU%2BKdxP8psuEBe5nIXWl4RltHTYobRQJRnq97MGk%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Tribal Clean Energy Funding Opportunities - [Printable Flyer](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvaW5kaWFuZW5lcmd5L3RyaWJhbC1jbGVhbi1lbmVyZ3ktZnVuZGluZy1vcHBvcnR1bml0aWVzLXByaW50YWJsZS1mbHllciIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMDUuODY2MzYwMDEifQ.ge6xw_JsBJ6g9cb4b7znGKDPjH8kTVz4AyI5qp_BRSQ%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F232260831480-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5b84983f72984338e32b08dbf5d2d640%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374058129785087%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=LWAa9yNwcNILlZ%2FXSMRIKFX2K9GKt8nKIAJwFW%2FEamE%3D&reserved=0)](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvaW5kaWFuZW5lcmd5L3RyaWJhbC1jbGVhbi1lbmVyZ3ktZnVuZGluZy1vcHBvcnR1bml0aWVzLXByaW50YWJsZS1mbHllciIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzExMDcuODUyODUxNjEifQ.m3Pm-1KJ_Jxi31DToUWrP8sLfsIhkmbJBwgBCDatjxA%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F230209419880-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C12a03a3021c04a4a31a008dbdfb0d937%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638349722880106118%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=KuSE5ASaMNH6cjVSXmqiX8gFztbuyBxaRH%2FTND46Q8g%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [**GRIP Program–Round 2**](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMjAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmVuZXJneS5nb3YvZ2RvL2FydGljbGVzL2JpZGVuLWhhcnJpcy1hZG1pbmlzdHJhdGlvbi1hbm5vdW5jZXMtMzktYmlsbGlvbi1tb2Rlcm5pemUtYW5kLWV4cGFuZC1hbWVyaWNhcy1wb3dlciIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMDUuODY2MzYwMDEifQ.6GjJnkCC2k8Vt_ZpjwtjT5WsLhxQa5EQ2yyXYrlek7s%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F232260831480-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5b84983f72984338e32b08dbf5d2d640%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374058129785087%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=IzjnHQoTfPbLCRB7imEz0fWY3wGOaG6Uu9FnmMdtzRU%3D&reserved=0)**:** $3.9 billion. **Required concept papers due Jan. 12, 2024.**

## **Regional Updates**

* [Biden needs a fast expansion of the electric grid. One project waited 17 years for its permits.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.politico.com%2Fnews%2F2023%2F12%2F25%2Fbiden-climate-agenda-hurdles-00126109&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc028e85e9de2435339c108dc05a70fdd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638391462305469443%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=pW98XzqZrN08KrO5qc8BQvzwZHcd1o%2FxqboSRN1E9bQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [The U.S. is aiming for 30 gigawatts of offshore wind power by 2030.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.pewtrusts.org%2F%3Fqs%3Dce6d029c861a8ee5a9a142b0a51b40d77979c78b5ef236b4143583fcde94e130f3c564afb15ef6d9158b6a6018c8f382cae7dbb556c3dd2d&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cedfedf2d739049dcf1f108dc01ab9854%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387083727508316%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=r8Vtq7Q2GqNZkFGjMIUsesflRuidO9rGUVsFfXAW92Y%3D&reserved=0)
* [Texas power plants have no responsibility to provide electricity in emergencies, judges rule](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.kut.org%2Fenergy-environment%2F2023-12-15%2Ftexas-power-plants-have-no-responsibility-to-provide-electricity-in-emergencies-judges-rule&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2ddeddfbe1fc4b05de0808dc009c3d72%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385918273949510%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=yML%2BEkf5zGI4GP3ljw7Iu6SG00HiYtq0QZQMmfKKbzY%3D&reserved=0)
* [Will Pipelines Be Repurposed For HVDC Transmission?](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcleantechnica.com%2F2023%2F12%2F13%2Fwill-pipelines-be-repurposed-for-hvdc-transmission%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C761b82106bcc4e08cf5708dbffe40eca%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385127194286163%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=AUY%2FHcxUwqmoOWd8iaHY33idUtEpt2Usw5XAhkAiIdE%3D&reserved=0)
* [Renewables are cleaning the grid. They're also messing it up](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.renewableenergyworld.com%2Fpodcasts%2Frenewables-are-cleaning-the-grid-theyre-also-messing-it-up%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C238476a2733e44f6b0a408dbfc2bd46f%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381037400022131%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=bpPl7QhO7Y5PQ0mjdMJl6n5dYa8KyfUeKEu2ZKL8v5U%3D&reserved=0)
* [Geothermal energy now helps power Google’s desert data centers](https://www.popsci.com/technology/google-fervo-geothermal-energy/)
* [New life for old coal: Mine lands and power plants are hot renewable development spots](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.route-fifty.com%2Finfrastructure%2F2023%2F12%2Fnew-life-old-coal-mine-lands-and-power-plants-are-hot-renewable-development-spots%2F392476%2F%3Foref%3Drf-today-nl&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce4e5d6581dfc4de7a69008dbf670a7e6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374735956526734%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=AXnbzGy90AxCuJiCTlfyfdl5mKIP9qmwY3Q9dHTMZaU%3D&reserved=0)
* Energy Institute at Haas / GridLab release new paper: [*“Accelerating Transmission Expansion by Using Advanced Conductors in Existing Right-of-Way”*](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D0018LyvAYgg-M47Ddfeuw6zLjPswW0a_jn6437JEjz61l-mGnjwrjgTo0iA7pdS0RG4z2gnL5h8_tnZ-bMoKHQtS2ztYhk2GxaqhLNRyLKPrOpSfBumPiMiOhOMZrxua2l-KDurKvZpTfXzpfq_KihG6Ei9WnWUjNxIajXYGS7dQa4f4MYsEBz4T6cgO1a6uiDt%26c%3D4tpEnM5LUHMsYb7A7riSCt5-Ycqu4ceySw2FRdvxlmL6OYTsqVz6KQ%3D%3D%26ch%3DkWy9LaXPzfXXTgp5g_aNNozMo1KdtbsiytQfJ1vLm01AuLMlb4zgnw%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cd5da058b37d445dfc4a008dbf4f5fb3a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638373109557963204%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ioedzkhjI%2B90mlNRe8PELzuu%2FVOJruOLMp64QHY0mr8%3D&reserved=0)
* SunZia:
	+ [Pattern Energy Closes $11 Billion Financing of Largest Clean Energy Infrastructure Project in U.S. History](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.businesswire.com%2Fnews%2Fhome%2F20231227824798%2Fen%2FPattern-Energy-Closes-11-Billion-Financing-of-Largest-Clean-Energy-Infrastructure-Project-in-U.S.-History&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc04dced433cc42d7db8a08dc074ace99%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393265084211194%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=2bYkIIJbp%2BUSD7HeAra7rQtIUMlwLWpn4V8Tdu18BBk%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Pattern Energy secures $11bn financing for SunZia project](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.power-technology.com%2Fnews%2Fpattern-energy-11bn-financing-sunzia%2F%3Fcf-view&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb90bb1af721a4b53087d08dc08083d3d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394078704382830%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ReXnCm8PckJyT3qViw1Vajan2aEqWjJzgstHGngKQys%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [California CCAs Sign Contracts for Supply From New Mexico Wind Project](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.com%2Furl%3Frct%3Dj%26sa%3Dt%26url%3Dhttps%3A%2F%2Fcal-cca.org%2Fcalifornia-ccas-sign-contracts-for-supply-from-new-mexico-wind-project%2F%26ct%3Dga%26cd%3DCAEYACoTNTkwNDY1MTMwOTg4ODA5NTE0MjIaY2JhMzQ4ZDU1NDBhYjA5Yjpjb206ZW46VVM%26usg%3DAOvVaw39ayzngL0ykAsZAklGndWF&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5705729024874195a07b08dbfb67b354%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380195053441697%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=t41LAuQHBkZ%2BZEA1%2Fy9fxoo7he57X9IjMPtWwIRl0WY%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Construction resumes on SunZia Transmission Project following temporary suspension](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fnews.azpm.org%2Fp%2Fnews-articles%2F2023%2F12%2F8%2F218419-construction-resumes-on-sunzia-transmission-project-following-temporary-suspension%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc1262a4ad4d14090c18f08dbf9f89d3b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638378618424198311%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ei6i1TjrGbRk8oKDNWsyaTFVsh8AHx86hTpIiXcVh88%3D&reserved=0)

### **WGA**

* [WGA to join the National Renewable Energy Laboratory for a webinar on state geothermal regulations](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00168pDG22NJcL9XJgmMB5d9HBignWie5dvPkTfswZwF2mmR8ZtIH1wRQ-Mw0w46TYCYquf6SHmAqqfjZUZ9QJH48h86ZwKzOjzBW7ojjE9_enLCrPcul0YeI-PU-yrhDz99OmFRTWn3k7ABh0SKbcWSuwW3gGbIpMl0o9q4bZkESA17FP7aa9OuPPFfRVcaWNWHPqGIMeuGFnKWA2uoMiBJTtOpIv0QlSHd_s1Jo43Y8FvmtKMkr_efQ%3D%3D%26c%3D8yOm5y0l6l1tAt9pNnBGPQubq_-xBJuarHDtGLOaWQL-lrvb7-ohWw%3D%3D%26ch%3DFQSesz2hsd3w0lbgy21AQQgcKzKetgS4IzqLV3G5snszameKuOz9SA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C39d13ae1391445e622de08dbfd851274%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382520209258388%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=RQMbSSz6d4ah5az%2FfDTwe9AChdqJJuReZk4nU4etD2M%3D&reserved=0)

# **Natural Resources**

## **Federal Updates**

* [FACT SHEET: Biden-Harris Administration Advances Commitment to Protect Old Growth Forests on National Forest System Lands](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whitehouse.gov%2Fbriefing-room%2Fstatements-releases%2F2023%2F12%2F19%2Ffact-sheet-biden-harris-administration-advances-commitment-to-protect-old-growth-forests-on-national-forest-system-lands%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C9ec398b7e35d48188a8408dc08b839a9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394834558916567%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=VYyuhUDZkkzD%2BDLTTTnXhMFyYlvLCsTWT8cfecXWvt0%3D&reserved=0)
* [The Sentinel Landscapes Partnership Newsletter Winter 2023 Edition](https://repiprogram.createsend1.com/t/d-e-zdddun-l-r/)
* [White House pledges $1B to restore Salmon](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.eenews.net%2Farticles%2Fwhite-house-pledges-1b-to-restore-pacific-northwest-salmon-steelhead%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800526174%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ruTRtGQYeArxXKuBZr6naYmd%2BSmjnaC03ipcM66q8H4%3D&reserved=0)

### **DOI**

* [More Than $51 Million to Restore and Protect Rivers and Watersheds](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvVVNET0kvYnVsbGV0aW5zLzM4MGNmMTEiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE5Ljg3MzY3OTcxIn0.T5mZCtvSVjtv4kJ0CSOV_TwAVc8A1tgDEXR7B7ZlVTk%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F233435795760-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C94c6c29f673d493af25508dc00eeb201%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386272408619213%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Pb1gM2CnSi8ry2%2FZNmL8IvvOWaiJVWEjDSa6H0U8qa0%3D&reserved=0)
* [New Water Conservation Agreements in California to Protect the Colorado River System](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvVVNET0kvYnVsbGV0aW5zLzM3ZmM4MmEiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjEzLjg3MDc4NzMxIn0.iFy29GsEPuzqJmT93fAYJmGs8m1NJ_234WigwcY5-E4%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F232964370933-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C8cb98f49be8f4d2eeeb908dbfc13723b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380932701358419%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Tk%2BFUetoamcTBzW8%2BSevSo8FqrFiMJmJcRbOpe%2BbmzY%3D&reserved=0)
* [Secretary Haaland Designates 18 New Sites of Natural, Historical Significance](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvVVNET0kvYnVsbGV0aW5zLzM3ZmM0NDIiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjEzLjg3MDY3MjIxIn0.gSjgAVv9vF62UkudEhS6TRAcPDOe7G6RBm3v7CPecak%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F232950051191-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce3b798e6e42c4aab0f1208dbfbf5da03%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380805582749886%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2BQgSo4wRqINpcM%2FNnIC6H206yUxNOKXF%2B3MvUNuMBkU%3D&reserved=0)
* [$16.5 Million to Support Tribes Impacted by Drought](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDOI/bulletins/37f98b4)
* [Assistant Secretary Estenoz Affirms DOI’s Commitment to Tackling the Climate Crisis at COP28](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDOI/bulletins/37f5e97)
* [Interior Department Announces New Actions in Support of Nature-Based Solutions](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvVVNET0kvYnVsbGV0aW5zLzM3ZjVjZDQiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjExLjg2OTQwNTIxIn0.Q0z2Yzm5JtKWHoiXb__D_GV56wHClJWDq7KDIAXdUlE%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F232726702332-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfadec8eee48f4949156c08dbfa6225a3%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379071671456905%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Dq7xjobv%2FhByfZK1emYX7qmg7QxcSMvlnEkEBOhrmvs%3D&reserved=0)

### **DOI-BLM**

* [BLM invests $2.5 million for cultural landscape study and predictive modeling in California Desert](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.blm.gov%2Fpress-release%2Fblm-invests-25-million-cultural-landscape-study-and-predictive-modeling-california&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C4d46fa2a720a4bf26c5b08dc08ad76b2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394788311504886%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=y%2FWhY0aMQWxDqw2AWOlk2nvc1sXCKerge2tqObskg2Q%3D&reserved=0)
* Funding Opportunities:
* [California Threatened and Endangered Species Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001qkmBD0qzVUwgXN-0l-IETzpA0jHBe3urPlxDqaSQ1Ne22JcFokN4DbEyZbkwyO-FCctTOos-1OnjYSkhR6xKTHG7ydVU8nYYHVyftPU4NDsUXlCXFgf-XjV-_GJoB9zW8F6fRdUvC4sbQfk77VdhA7rk8ufqjkoY3zZUiulaoA-7WHM2Cht-Qg%3D%3D%26c%3DTQGAablhjFuweg5MdE5Ccc9XKanbWE3Fnu2T_5oW0rFMSH2cttzmVA%3D%3D%26ch%3DPbrZyYfItHalhRFvg8LMu_c87jdgNX_PIiPuXdEdVxFDIxAqlXe8lA%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C8437f62366114b4f2bb108dbfb6eb7be%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380225221444627%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=EACMe9q5ZOEzVZ%2BS1RZ%2BGuIbnMW52EXUSfwDM3NUh%2F0%3D&reserved=0): To conserve and recover over 330 federally-listed and over 2,700 Bureau sensitive animal and plant species and their habitat on public lands in collaboration with other BLM programs and partners. Due: **February 2, 2024**
* [California Plant Conservation and Restoration Management](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001qkmBD0qzVUwgXN-0l-IETzpA0jHBe3urPlxDqaSQ1Ne22JcFokN4DbEyZbkwyO-FwgzSvE_LEmHmtfjg26jj_R-R61iDmlEnLRMSNwJIXf-u-DYZtllu4z5eRe4W-gR3jfIC-Ni6T8UEwkGAi_fNoagvY59NJAkc01TIxzZEJkKWFwzihCi7jA%3D%3D%26c%3DTQGAablhjFuweg5MdE5Ccc9XKanbWE3Fnu2T_5oW0rFMSH2cttzmVA%3D%3D%26ch%3DPbrZyYfItHalhRFvg8LMu_c87jdgNX_PIiPuXdEdVxFDIxAqlXe8lA%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C8437f62366114b4f2bb108dbfb6eb7be%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380225221444627%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=lfjcJUNsMQZw1pNgRXYnTLqIQfRAiO3cutpTHPdLxdA%3D&reserved=0): For developing genetically appropriate native plant material/seed for use in habitat restoration; implementing and assessing seed-based restoration techniques/efforts; and inventorying, monitoring, and restoring rare plant species and their associated communities. Due: **February 2, 2024**
* [California Forest and Woodlands Resource Management](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001qkmBD0qzVUwgXN-0l-IETzpA0jHBe3urPlxDqaSQ1Ne22JcFokN4DbEyZbkwyO-FxENGqU8h_pn0dV6rQ0zQs7XjNwkrYKV30d_TaO7jqj4xavHdo93mHPT1WIkclThfCe3_jS8k_jNhB-p6_tpJdvPx7rUPSE2Q69WibbMPfybZb_WQEPU8lw%3D%3D%26c%3DTQGAablhjFuweg5MdE5Ccc9XKanbWE3Fnu2T_5oW0rFMSH2cttzmVA%3D%3D%26ch%3DPbrZyYfItHalhRFvg8LMu_c87jdgNX_PIiPuXdEdVxFDIxAqlXe8lA%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C8437f62366114b4f2bb108dbfb6eb7be%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380225221444627%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=e2VuGz2G4BliTsbnj2A8F0TnycNJ9etRPSj462X6u4Q%3D&reserved=0): For activities that promote forest and woodland health, sustainable forest management, fire resiliency, biomass utilization for bioenergy, habitat conservation needs, and insect, disease and fire recovery. Due: **February 5**

### **DOI-Bureau of Reclamation**

* [New Agreement with Imperial Irrigation District to Save 100,000 Acre-Feet of Water in Colorado River System](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4694&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cefa32af7ab4447da454b08dc08aea3aa%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394793367034138%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=IfYnld%2FJY1LVzTtrnTUxaFJ%2F4QC9mCAEp20XvzMzZcQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [Public negotiations for Delta-Mendota Canal and Jones Pumping Plant Extraordinary Maintenance work](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4697&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C8d6dd89cf11b48ac005708dc08ae88e4%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394792915309964%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=CvsZFvBdGWeaUq2tbhchXOm432ZPXWAQ4jYt1eVFGbc%3D&reserved=0)
* [$72 Million from Investing in America Agenda to Restore the Salton Sea](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4698&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C36f81c2812f7494fa95608dc08ae72df%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394792540149046%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=h44mN0ozHn9MNvjWyHjD5tXZw%2FtDdK3tG7maffMPncM%3D&reserved=0)
* [Several New Water Conservation Agreements in California to Protect the Colorado River System](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4702&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0f3f1f5905374d544df708dc08ae22f2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394791198570566%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5vID1QKJoI%2F3SZX3fiUXjVr5A7bdCPgnIvD0qPxR%2Bx4%3D&reserved=0)
* [More Than $51 Million to Restore and Protect Rivers and Watersheds](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4704&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce93e4294e9dc49ee7a3508dc08ae0ae1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394790794034464%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=XQiSSqRTCwsBfiF8LvOugnJ1NdWKD0Zxb%2FQVapv5NVI%3D&reserved=0)
* Funding Opportunities
	+ [The Cooperative Watershed Management Program,](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.grants.gov%2Fsearch-results-detail%2F349783&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588641966%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ikgLf8%2FCLo%2FMVNhGTEVOpl%2BaXQl9kqsQPRgGW1JRiuo%3D&reserved=0) which offers phase I funding to design projects, form watershed collaboratives, and conduct watershed planning for up to $300k over 3 years with no cost-share requirement. **Proposals due** **September 3rd, 2024**

### **DOI-USFWS**

* [National Dialogue Initiated on Working Landscapes and Gray Wolves](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fws.gov%2Fpress-release%2F2023-12%2Fnational-dialogue-initiated-working-landscapes-and-gray-wolves&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdcb9b355dd7c4995096908dc08b74618%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394830457783821%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=fiJ9zEb3WGTMUd8%2Fk%2BC8eeVlF66iR8mWzcv8yl2qUbI%3D&reserved=0)
* [Draft recovery plan released for endangered San Bernardino kangaroo rat](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fws.gov%2Fpress-release%2F2023-12%2Fdraft-recovery-plan-released-endangered-san-bernardino-kangaroo-rat&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1449031d6e544539e2a408dc08b71389%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394829600273925%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ZyOwlh4SnyCMICA1NJfKhMLggRpzuL%2BkwigGMAbrwfU%3D&reserved=0)
* [ESA Turns 50](https://www.fws.gov/story/2023-12/esa-turns-50)
* [Endangered Species Act Supports Collaborative Conservation](https://www.fws.gov/story/endangered-species-act-supports-collaborative-conservation)
* [Two Arizona Land Snails Do Not Warrant ESA Listing](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fws.gov%2Fpress-release%2F2023-12%2Ftwo-arizona-land-snails-do-not-warrant-esa-listing&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C90b7b103eace4427b5b208dc08b67f13%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394827110086040%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=vxECUYOSCNNMbbFWT3l9uhqbF4JqpovHgjSdPmzqRI0%3D&reserved=0)
* Draft [Environmental Assessment](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fws.gov%2Fmedia%2Fdraft-environmental-assessment-colorado-river-recovery-programs&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588485759%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ta%2FHFhSFoIu%2BRAgdsl9q1DncUohuAOGypIEsC6S9EmY%3D&reserved=0) (EA) for continuation of the Colorado River Recovery Programs ([Upper Colorado River Endangered Fish Recovery Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcoloradoriverrecovery.org%2Fsj%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588485759%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=vSfrVAZA6z97tcVmzUkfLTDchDo1Fyfew4GXcMGmBl0%3D&reserved=0) and the [San Juan River Basin Recovery Implementation Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcoloradoriverrecovery.org%2Fsj%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588485759%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=vSfrVAZA6z97tcVmzUkfLTDchDo1Fyfew4GXcMGmBl0%3D&reserved=0) [UCREFRP/SJRIP]). The 30-day public comment period ends **January 11**. Comments to: coloradoriverrecovery@fws.gov. Info: [websites](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fws.gov%2Fmedia%2Fdraft-environmental-assessment-colorado-river-recovery-programs&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588641966%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=esd7YhaELijzf668%2F67cn5dWQqmQ2jDPz1Q4ZB%2FQvmA%3D&reserved=0).

### **DOI-USGS**

* [USGS Groundwater and Streamflow Monitoring Funding](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001Bqn8QxYWAwNHfCMK_a1KvlJdKFuF277sHoQPoLafhQ3pv1ijAiNRXob7y6TjC57RGPPxmKNtPD1vB8rgKyz22zdTtsqgF3Nmqkz4ucN3ZIGua2cd-un4zNeS5Z639r7DwLlxL54S9ldDD25qD1mTbDB6fZF-RgQfhI6E0U8dNd8%3D%26c%3DgcGn3ngc14xWq6hSasXwFR253OrLAlACQuz8BkFJZf2z5X3FoJQMmw%3D%3D%26ch%3DsBpV9GOtxJyitB4nXy5LVSGS7MMwbF8rzzNBfRmLIfDK2cuaDy6O2A%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfcdfea9333d34de0c04c08dbe2030061%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638352274767148958%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QorGo32VAxIuCejr7Uo%2Fn6eQSnaXExNmj5MsKzRVk0w%3D&reserved=0): funding opportunity to state or local water-resources agencies that collect groundwater data to participate in the National Ground-Water Monitoring Network (NGWMN). Due **January 18**. Opportunity number: G24AS00405.

### **EPA**

* [EPA Moved Further and Faster Than Ever Before in 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.epa.gov%2Fnewsreleases%2Fepa-moved-further-and-faster-ever-2023&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce5c5944620ed4d4113c908dc08b5fc8d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394824914118860%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=gAaB7a4WGMJHWE49%2BX6%2F%2F1eYVnzR9KzNXKoVC3CsPHU%3D&reserved=0)
* [EPA proposes all lead pipes be replaced within 10  years](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.route-fifty.com%2Fclick%2F33578700.26929%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjMvMTIvZXBhLXByb3Bvc2VzLWFsbC1sZWFkLXBpcGVzLWJlLXJlcGxhY2VkLXdpdGhpbi0xMC15ZWFycy8zOTI0MjgvP29yZWY9cmYtaG9tZS10b3Atc3Rvcnk%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B5e5cea47&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C4b72c88da79245759c6008dbf5a813f5%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373874497387065%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=pJfJQge%2FXilaCUpIUxsDdR%2FCQ3LEWVtDG0bnOD6HanI%3D&reserved=0)

### **NOAA**

* [NOAA seeks applications for 2024 urban heat island initiative](https://www.noaa.gov/news-release/noaa-seeks-applications-for-2024-urban-heat-island-initiative)

### **USDA**

* [USDA](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3D77a33e609e%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C176120e4041049a7cc8f08dc031b78a1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388663736534737%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=CtTYuDvxJOB6nX4pqdQfXaQpR3zuRsu1OjXL4w5E3cQ%3D&reserved=0) Proposal to amend all 128 forest land management plans to conserve and steward old-growth forest conditions on national forests and grasslands nationwide. Public comments submitted via webform [here](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3D449afceed7%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C176120e4041049a7cc8f08dc031b78a1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388663736534737%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=udHkfWTa0t3brXiF0P0qCz2n5JATZOLQS8r8K78xteU%3D&reserved=0).
* Set of [scorecards](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ft.e2ma.net%2Fclick%2Ft1cddj%2Fpqdn3po%2F9xgmdr&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C83d5ef7a4f4c46a1bad808dc00ef5150%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386275069901013%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ghIMHCfzeGT4%2B%2BC2PXjXm2c4MWmEs9xQ8UPqmFtvmU8%3D&reserved=0) detail conservation investments and outcomes made for Sage Grouse, Lesser Prairie-Chickens, and Southwestern Willow Flycatchers.

### **USDA-usfs**

* [American Forests Partners with USDA Forest Service to Expand Reforestation across National Forests](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fs.usda.gov%2Fabout-agency%2Fnewsroom%2Freleases%2Famerican-forests-partners-usda-forest-service-expand-reforestation&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C42300ab70a5644ff913108dc08b76d93%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394831106541591%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FgAtSwiEU3jMsQRknDtgttPtmrpOYawaPe%2BztdUSsSU%3D&reserved=0)

## **State Updates**

* [Western States Water Newsletter](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwesternstateswater.us2.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D669f45bd21de8ee8fbb3d9180%26id%3D92daf39428%26e%3D2f8665a6b6&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C3135d5a32306424a4f1f08dc0b9b79bc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398009599694263%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=W1sbTjt7%2Bn42ObsgODuoF51GMnNSzqMUD6AQDas9KQ4%3D&reserved=0" \t "_blank)
* [After Clean Water Act ruling, states that want to protect affected wetlands need millions](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.everyaction.com%2Fk%2F74599133%2F442093997%2F1161214024%3Fnvep%3Dew0KICAiVGVuYW50VXJpIjogIm5ncHZhbjovL3Zhbi9TTldTUi9TTldTUi8xLzEwNDkxMSIsDQogICJEaXN0cmlidXRpb25VbmlxdWVJZCI6ICI1ZTVhNTQwYy04MTkzLWVlMTEtODkyNS0wMDIyNDgyMjNmMzYiLA0KICAiRW1haWxBZGRyZXNzIjogImFteWR1ZmZ5QGR1ZmZ5Y29uc3VsdGluZy5uZXQiDQp9%26hmac%3D_CtQSKn2NLIrKkexpjspQYwO5lIfDrkf6Qf8v93KhIw%3D%26emci%3D5348d16e-6b93-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26emdi%3D5e5a540c-8193-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26ceid%3D41089&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C79512a421a834f9320d708dbf5a65eb8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373867150434148%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2Bgb%2B9bcvEcvr36Ab5aY5dqzrtMcV1jxnvsjUrqIaNdU%3D&reserved=0)
* [This land is our land: States crack down on foreign-owned farm fields](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.everyaction.com%2Fk%2F74536071%2F441906262%2F1621165916%3Fnvep%3Dew0KICAiVGVuYW50VXJpIjogIm5ncHZhbjovL3Zhbi9TTldTUi9TTldTUi8xLzEwNDkxMSIsDQogICJEaXN0cmlidXRpb25VbmlxdWVJZCI6ICI3MTRiNjJlYS1iNzkyLWVlMTEtODkyNS0wMDIyNDgyMjNmMzYiLA0KICAiRW1haWxBZGRyZXNzIjogImFteWR1ZmZ5QGR1ZmZ5Y29uc3VsdGluZy5uZXQiDQp9%26hmac%3DVjZX8hz9knveujoGxo7TM3SvKrdP8g_9OMUz8bBsuAY%3D%26emci%3Da1d7446d-a492-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26emdi%3D714b62ea-b792-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26ceid%3D41089&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C43bbcdddeacc4cabf66708dbf4ddbfc5%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373005477102179%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=N%2FVOa68%2FS9NNds86DmeeDPyZGLYL5gpR0wicwhIA7i4%3D&reserved=0)

### **Arizona**

* ADEQ is accepting applications for the 2024 Arizona Sewer Overflow and Stormwater Reuse Municipal Grant (OSG) Program for sewer overflow and stormwater reuse pilot projects. [Learn More & Apply.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vYXpkZXEuZ292L3dxZ3Avb3NnIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyOC44Nzc0MjI3MSJ9.8oPqkc9Q4MAaRB60G1_abWzj4YFjIIQnJ3YR8pJxroQ%2Fs%2F1163390859%2Fbr%2F233917876457-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C764b124154f24190b1ad08dc07f30e3a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393987717523076%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ZVWHu15%2BkFzSFBecinkj5PH0Azmfd6TrXE5lB8f0qaY%3D&reserved=0)  Email the application to rowe.julia@azdeq.gov **by Feb. 29, 2024**[Download Application Form](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vc3RhdGljLmF6ZGVxLmdvdi93cWQvb3NnX2dyYW50X2FwcC5wZGYiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjI4Ljg3NzQyMjcxIn0.CzjPXlK6_fARrDeuc1I18mtFOygq8yqWExVcu9VUsw4%2Fs%2F1163390859%2Fbr%2F233917876457-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C764b124154f24190b1ad08dc07f30e3a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393987717523076%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tK1QxFC0ljsrBMD9TC2mGKopF5tLN1XjQ5r3MTzqDlk%3D&reserved=0)
* Virtual Meeting: ADEQ is working on rules that will allow us to establish and operate a Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) permitting program for Arizona. [View CCR Rulemaking Page](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vYXpkZXEuZ292L3J1bGVtYWtpbmcvQ29hbC1Db21idXN0aW9uIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxMy44NzA4OTQ1MSJ9.puNftMQA31JV7Aej9TiQYh1SCvzVcmKwt2Zj37NflVI%2Fs%2F1163390859%2Fbr%2F232984079227-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5a10a1ec77f24966bbbc08dbfc1cbddd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380972617914344%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=V7NlLBk5ZTMaSBknTFhbC1lgKNH3oXWdq%2FO%2Bok5s9bA%3D&reserved=0). Jan. 9, 2024 at 1 p.m. [RSVP](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vcmVnaXN0ZXIuZ290b3dlYmluYXIuY29tL3JlZ2lzdGVyLzE4MjQ4NDY2ODk0MDkxNDYyMDIiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjEzLjg3MDg5NDUxIn0.GiYy2R0Z1TDLx7hjafVKa3oIuC3iMtLvS8NSriVcx_M%2Fs%2F1163390859%2Fbr%2F232984079227-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5a10a1ec77f24966bbbc08dbfc1cbddd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380972617914344%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Dg0jW1GdylrRUCu5tNrDExnZqSy5vRd34ugh8n08bVQ%3D&reserved=0) [View Event Web Page](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vYXpkZXEuZ292L25vZGUvOTkzNCIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTMuODcwODk0NTEifQ.ECXlcUwiTiuUdUFcS0qqCa8XyC6rIbdzPSAK7_lr_0U%2Fs%2F1163390859%2Fbr%2F232984079227-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5a10a1ec77f24966bbbc08dbfc1cbddd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380972617914344%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=C%2Fo4dzBmiau8VOQ%2F9f0Q8uV6xmzx6cPl9V1HTImlTgY%3D&reserved=0)
* [2023 Arizona Drought Preparedness Annual Report](https://www.azwater.gov/drought/arizona-drought-preparedness-plan-annual-reports)
* [The Arizona Department of Water Resources recently released the first seven supply and demand assessments for the state’s groundwater basins.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001RE-XYcdqemNPNNB1yz_dq-Yo1UThpt6lFyylgPk7_vxxb_ILlA4h6ILRTnHzrSOoQUSjydbtaga1UGis7j21fcRZc81DMzbV-RHbSH-_EraUMLEa8fjinW66Aw9y2UqwfVYmTeoWCa062Qi1Nr5zcYLOCjSvHoX5pDrx9B_ncDnKD-9FEoquq-HcKpJ4zG4Cw_s8g08NaGyWgOPrWSFMCbQAyC858ox_VdfQbBPe1TU%3D%26c%3D756T_4ZlDOltTYc4V0tjX9uOtn_vZvV05WvryPyCvHy_k8GKOKjzXw%3D%3D%26ch%3DAHBv3GpJL7vKGVuEDEdMa7c_mLCAyXoqK9RHRz3sJRtWnYw9s1D-jg%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca014b41c05d3471d828f08dbf83e346d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638376718337736037%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=qeIZ8lstDFP46UgISYJmRRnTs7cCuVQRmrU7jjEJUrQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [USBR announces a total of 18 Colorado River conservation agreements with Arizona entities](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.com%2Furl%3Frct%3Dj%26sa%3Dt%26url%3Dhttps%3A%2F%2Fwww.azwater.gov%2Fusbr-announces-total-18-colorado-river-conservation-agreements-arizona-entities%26ct%3Dga%26cd%3DCAEYACoUMTUyODE4NTUzMTI3Njc2Nzk5NDIyGmQ0YWY5YmM0NjI1NjRhZDg6Y29tOmVuOlVT%26usg%3DAOvVaw3AdJ49-eOHP2k83w77Gcg0&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cac8905261be64575b47108dbf739d873%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638375600036316994%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3TaqoEiT%2BLqNBjQdgnJvpyjWIP4M9NZMVeEIcjOVtBU%3D&reserved=0)
* [U.S. Department of Justice initiates water rights decree for San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area](https://news.azpm.org/p/azpmnews/2023/12/5/218384-us-department-of-justice-initiates-water-rights-decree-for-san-pedro-riparian-national-conservation-area/)
* [Ninth Circuit orders feds to revisit groundwater pumping for Arizona military base](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.courthousenews.com%2Fninth-circuit-orders-feds-to-revisit-groundwater-pumping-for-arizona-military-base%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5372d1466d524233e26608dbf605f3cf%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374277656870986%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QnbpkQABwUFPQ8FNRCeHXplwAmePbd%2BVS0y%2FEe0tll8%3D&reserved=0)
* [Peoria plans to build water wells as drought, cuts to Colorado River water continue](https://www.azfamily.com/2023/12/01/peoria-plans-building-water-wells-drought-cuts-colorado-river-water-continue/)

### **California**

* State Parks has awarded [a total of $41.9 million in grants](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHA6Ly9wYXJrcy5jYS5nb3YvTmV3c1JlbGVhc2UvMTIzNj91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjQwMTAzLjg3OTEzOTExIn0.Ku_2cMy6Uo7Z2gaJdV-zHWvqDkXdCvkeNOEanhpKU1w%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F234083330702-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C968bbe0ccbcf4c5ef62a08dc0c6dca64%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398912924028330%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ZmO0WPaFQAPf%2FvIWxLB%2BpV5dV00yZmTcnIUMpzFvS5o%3D&reserved=0) to provide new park access in eight communities across the state
* State Parks is recommending [a total of $35.6 million in federal funding for 16 local park project](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY29udGVudC5nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeS5jb20vYWNjb3VudHMvQ05SQS9idWxsZXRpbnMvMzdlNDFiYSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTMuODcwNjE1ODEifQ.1mK7Eb3p04DLQBTbPdYp24V9bUWMsA-StDQheOISu-o%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232923318224-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfa272d849268435166bf08dbfbedc6ed%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380770895441827%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ZBC6%2BQkMy%2F6c%2BflvqN35kwCKmNE68Q2uaDoYIKB6W%2FY%3D&reserved=0)s across the state.
* [Projects to Build Climate-Resilient Communities, Conserve Agricultural Land](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ca.gov%2F2023%2F12%2F18%2Fcalifornia-advances-projects-to-build-climate-resilient-communities-conserve-agricultural-land%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=dgyMhvenBlNPn8%2BVbIivNrc80Bw%2FDrEed%2F%2BWFtPxO0U%3D&reserved=0)
* [Governor Newsom Highlights Funding for Climate Change Resiliency Projects](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ca.gov%2F2023%2F12%2F08%2Fgovernor-newsom-highlights-funding-for-climate-change-resiliency-projects-across-california%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=B%2BDhJunAQFXfPL2SInl7CVxnk7g3TUS7MsYunR41JN0%3D&reserved=0)
* [State Marks 100+ Water System Consolidations, Providing Safe Drinking Water for 90,000 Californians](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ca.gov%2F2023%2F12%2F07%2Fstate-marks-100-water-system-consolidations-providing-safe-drinking-water-for-90000-californians%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=fKm8CHOEiuNLJ9lHvEVxChDydRFHiN3Cfqfg6E9M%2BRA%3D&reserved=0)
* An interactive symposium to discuss “[The Future of Water](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmdyYWMub3JnL2V2ZW50cy81MzAvP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMjcuODc2ODU5MTEifQ.GxSjIJMgjyNuPE2MNHZCVcPktMc92JKYAIjun4l0sks%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233811539949-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0230f605f68f4887af9f08dc070be7eb%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392994949112185%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=K2B4ChvEQ4Du4BqtmsYg%2BWFYbMnqvLxSynzohozBbqE%3D&reserved=0)” will be held **Friday, Feb. 23**, in Sacramento. Hosted by the Groundwater Resources Association of California, the symposium will offer presentations on artificial intelligence, climate change, Tribal Ecological Knowledge, and innovations in addressing groundwater challenges.
* The Delta Science Program has released the [executive summary](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vc2Jkcy5kZWx0YWNvdW5jaWwuY2EuZ292L3NpdGVzL2RlZmF1bHQvZmlsZXMvMjAyMy0xMi0wNS1zYmRzLTIwMjItZXhlY3V0aXZlLXN1bW1hcnkucGRmP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMjcuODc2ODU5MTEifQ.dHddMc3Lv5_kGp_nRK_ec7sv2xgeYj69-1JkOlK8juo%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233811539949-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0230f605f68f4887af9f08dc070be7eb%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392994949112185%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=sVljMvglLSuq4lyF071lIKGdI5ma3ZHkwvXcwYtDCmo%3D&reserved=0) to one of its core strategic documents, The State of Bay-Delta Science.
* [California approves rules that turn sewage into drinking water](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcalmatters.org%2Fenvironment%2F2023%2F12%2Fcalifornia-rules-turn-sewage-into-drinking-water%2F%3Femci%3D91244f2f-339f-ee11-bea1-002248223f36&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C4bc6ea76a0e74694bca308dc01b1fd29%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387111172762449%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=8Lgt14SkNqUQ5AwAQ%2FYFpeCyj4OSmsfZ7QrdVJZDyao%3D&reserved=0)
* The Ocean Protection Council is accepting proposals for funding under the [Senate Bill 1 Sea Level Rise Adaptation Planning Grant Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vb3BjLmNhLmdvdi93cC1jb250ZW50L3VwbG9hZHMvMjAyMy8xMi9TQjEtR3JhbnQtUHJvZ3JhbS1Tb2xpY2l0YXRpb24tNTA4LnBkZj91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjIwLjg3NDEzMjcxIn0.uR10OdXndz9O13sW0b-JusP-HNDNWy2U6UbYEzfRCUY%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233498916969-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C05a18f2d123b429d59c708dc01b16269%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387108601334223%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=wLwOIMVXioUISelNfCifZ6k0IG1MD6COikOa46ZXYww%3D&reserved=0). This program provides grants to California coastal communities to improve their coastal resilience. An [informational webinar](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY2Etd2F0ZXItZ292Lnpvb20udXMvbWVldGluZy9yZWdpc3Rlci90WlVzZE91dHF6d3JHTkJDendLVHI0NWlmbzM2ak90V1lDVlk_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyMC44NzQxMzI3MSJ9.ux7Odx4BWR6jkwlxrXTQGdxrgdUuyb8_u3OH_ij1PwA%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233498916969-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C05a18f2d123b429d59c708dc01b16269%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387108601490443%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=gx2ryNLBAx3ZXB1hijJrejk05W07TqZ0BIRVrBeYd%2Fo%3D&reserved=0) on the grants process will be held Thursday, Jan. 25. The deadline for submitting proposals is **Friday, March 22**.
* [$70 Million in Federal Funding to Accelerate Salton Sea Restoration](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ca.gov%2F2023%2F12%2F08%2Fcalifornia-gets-70-million-in-federal-funding-to-accelerate-salton-sea-restoration%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=McvBxsHkEz661fvTcvtnbw3k07ZHZ%2F69GuIwBTV%2Fiqk%3D&reserved=0)
* The Public Policy Institute of California has released a [policy brief](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LnBwaWMub3JnL3dwLWNvbnRlbnQvdXBsb2Fkcy9wcmlvcml0aWVzLWZvci1jYWxpZm9ybmlhcy13YXRlci1ub3ZlbWJlci0yMDIzLnBkZj91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjEzLjg3MDYxNTgxIn0.7-cnyZsjPax3dr9vwEEpS7yg6oHk2L3tD7eVrw7Wwno%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232923318224-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfa272d849268435166bf08dbfbedc6ed%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380770895598116%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=dxRQjUfHtFySTju8s4ymXQ8Q8QXxE4lcFqqx7cMahT4%3D&reserved=0) that examines how California’s water sector managed the unusually wet conditions of Water Year 2023, the brief also outlines priorities for future action.
* [California farmers agree to conserve 100K acre-feet of Lake Mead water in exchange for compensation](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.everyaction.com%2Fk%2F74671997%2F442292455%2F-996010421%3Fnvep%3Dew0KICAiVGVuYW50VXJpIjogIm5ncHZhbjovL3Zhbi9TTldTUi9TTldTUi8xLzEwNDkxMSIsDQogICJEaXN0cmlidXRpb25VbmlxdWVJZCI6ICJiODdkNzkzNC00YTk0LWVlMTEtODkyNS0wMDIyNDgyMjNmMzYiLA0KICAiRW1haWxBZGRyZXNzIjogImFteWR1ZmZ5QGR1ZmZ5Y29uc3VsdGluZy5uZXQiDQp9%26hmac%3DZZgHdj-ssa-FLIX5pnClgzKhLbzz9tHzOfswJL7zvuU%3D%26emci%3Dee6b453a-3294-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26emdi%3Db87d7934-4a94-ee11-8925-002248223f36%26ceid%3D41089&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce4b5a489f1ee49c94c1f08dbf6711b88%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374737917330217%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=bSSGvgt5SiMcOiEpF3JMAwr1k63OQu6NOvF4FlQ7sjc%3D&reserved=0)
* The California Rangeland Conservation Coalition has started a new project called the [California Grazing Lands Coalition](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vY2FyYW5nZWxhbmQub3JnL2NhbGlmb3JuaWEtZ3JhemluZy1sYW5kLWNvYWxpdGlvbi8_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyNy44NzY4NTkxMSJ9.BrRRhLULkhgnWHiA-RTePyvZMjWPsOKPictJKpEnf_U%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233811539949-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0230f605f68f4887af9f08dc070be7eb%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392994949112185%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=s90SzzGGGjik7kuypUj5fFdgpVmwKVJsRhCrDoJ9kCs%3D&reserved=0)
* The [2024 Catalyst Conference](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vc2djY2F0YWx5c3Qub3JnP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMjAuODc0MTMyNzEifQ.EkmcxWQ98e35Avb8SQ9js7Ra9ZbYscN_8fj82xReOak%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233498916969-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C05a18f2d123b429d59c708dc01b16269%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387108601490443%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=jjqLnlwB9obdoPYH3yYtCsUY%2Bw5L8%2Btr9xj0ZIkZ3k4%3D&reserved=0), hosted by the Strategic Growth Council, will be held in Sacramento on **Feb. 1 and 2**. Videos of the [February 2023 conference](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LnlvdXR1YmUuY29tL3BsYXlsaXN0P2xpc3Q9UExmNVJDN2hmVzZUU3lJLVgzSkNFd0drVmlJam54VzgxYiZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjIwLjg3NDEzMjcxIn0.GhushkaO3r50Mc_RP563R3fGA-vbBh4xV08BzRAPakw%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F233498916969-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C05a18f2d123b429d59c708dc01b16269%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387108601490443%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=x4VqcU6Vr%2F3QszHpDJsDRRAhfHS%2BR8NWmnFXe4Ii2wY%3D&reserved=0) are available online.
* [CDFW Releases Beavers into the Wild for First Time in Nearly 75 Years](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwildlife.ca.gov%2FNews%2FArchive%2Fcdfw-releases-beavers-into-the-wild-for-first-time-in-nearly-75-years%3Futm_medium%3Demail&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C73d89023340d41cd43d208dbfcfee03f%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381943834733946%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=JJ8GjmAMJx8uXquKA66MuldlAIhNTrfGnj65et28vt4%3D&reserved=0)
* [DWR Releases Final Environmental Impact Report for Delta Conveyance Project](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwater.ca.gov%2FNews%2FNews-Releases%2F2023%2FDec-23%2FDWR-Releases-Final-Environmental-Impact-Report-for-Delta-Conveyance-Project%3Futm_medium%3Demail&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cff4db04940c44a71e36b08dbfcfe6ad4%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381941882367446%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=A0NPNXvfGEjQKQ0XGvzu2PV2AAfiTUX1cYrkS41HAdY%3D&reserved=0)
* [Over 40 Acres of Ancestral Land Returned to Native American Tribe](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ca.gov%2F2023%2F12%2F01%2Fover-40-acres-of-ancestral-land-returned-to-native-american-tribe%2F%3Futm_medium%3Demail&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C609e3004acf746bd9b3508dbfcfcd262%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381935016043176%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=dkNsdL%2BUFkDblKjWq9DyaylDXOIErkIsiS8KX6OWhQU%3D&reserved=0)
* [California Connectivity and Crossings Conference '24](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcaliforniaconnect.org%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc438cced5cf6455bbd7708dbf51e3ff6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373282508414235%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=cKMHT0OgH0DITd9m5p0aCxnm6rZtnShMcZ1EjHl2kxE%3D&reserved=0) , **April 22-24, 2024** at UC Davis. The intent of this conference is to bring together community and professional scientists, students, volunteers, policy-makers and practitioners to share research and findings, discuss information gaps and needs, and present examples of how to navigate and fund connectivity solutions to help restore wildlife connectivity across California.

### **COLORADO**

* [Governor Polis Celebrates Historic Colorado River Water Agreement](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.colorado.gov%2Fgovernor%2Fnews%2F11236-governor-polis-celebrates-historic-colorado-river-water-agreement&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Hl2LB6CBXWe0rxd%2FIeAZvSzuQAXAdoeSR52foWmiVY0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Polis Administration Releases First-Of-Its-Kind Climate Preparedness Roadmap](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.colorado.gov%2Fgovernor%2Fnews%2F11071-polis-administration-releases-first-its-kind-climate-preparedness-roadmap&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=EAT78%2BJwFG%2Fg%2FIjakTKeJAO48i%2FxjfAnp68fNEU9er0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Cleanup company walks away from Jeffco uranium mine, state takes $7.3 million bond](https://coloradosun.com/2023/12/18/colorado-jefferson-county-uranium-mine-cleanup-failure/)

### **New Mexico**

* [New Mexico to invest $500M in first-of-its-kind strategic water supply build-out](https://thehill.com/policy/equilibrium-sustainability/4343079-new-mexico-investment-water-supply/?utm_source=Daily%20on%20Energy%20120623%20a_12/06/2023)

## **Tribal Updates**

* [EPA Releases Revised Policy on Consultation with Indian Tribes](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.epa.gov%2Fnewsreleases%2Fepa-releases-revised-policy-consultation-indian-tribes&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C39893b47de814be8940408dc08b62e96%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394825785381030%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=dMLoH%2BU7bW0XJdYMNxLMpp1Ph7JWk7h%2B%2Fw4IhEZHfUA%3D&reserved=0)
* [NPS to Collaborate with Tribes on Theme Study of Native American History](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.nps.gov%2Forgs%2F1207%2Fsecretary-haaland-announces-national-park-service-to-collaborate-with-tribes-on-theme-study-of-native-american-history.htm&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5a639fbeeb374c26bc3108dc08b2be48%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394811014274546%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7h3Cr4l7TeSSoH9pRVef5PSE3bu2hVXQHWzgbaJL%2FO0%3D&reserved=0)
* [6 Million for Innovative Solar Panel Installation Over Canals in Gila River Indian Community](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.usbr.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fnews-release%2F4699&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C81194fa2c6ff405f138d08dc08ae5f91%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394792262645653%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FBuaAM1G554GGUdMNIQMAMuggJHnDR9sHv6z8wAD6QI%3D&reserved=0)
* [$16.5 Million to Support Tribes Impacted by Drought](https://www.usbr.gov/newsroom/news-release/4701)
* [Historic Co-stewardship Agreement Signed Between Ohkay Owingeh Tribe, Forest Service, and Bureau of Land Management](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.blm.gov%2Fpress-release%2Fhistoric-co-stewardship-agreement-signed-between-ohkay-owingeh-tribe-forest-service&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2cea41e4c05f4d1253ef08dc08ad9c16%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394788937918656%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=yiLF5W%2F8pSvpyVu7d%2BUS57UJ1O4ZkczBbrfrm63HIEE%3D&reserved=0)
* [$27 Million for Tribal Dam Safety, Water Sanitation Projects](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.doi.gov%2Fpressreleases%2Finterior-department-announces-27-million-presidents-investing-america-agenda-tribal&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cefc55c75c7204ab34c1308dc08ac962b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394784555210646%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2BMDK%2F2QQ9HFaYdyRoo3iDo0fDG3xVIiPorA4hJz1niI%3D&reserved=0)
* [Over 40 Acres of Ancestral Land Returned to Native American Tribe](https://www.gov.ca.gov/2023/12/01/over-40-acres-of-ancestral-land-returned-to-native-american-tribe/)
* [Administration Takes Steps to Increase Co-Stewardship Opportunities, Incorporate Indigenous Knowledge, Protect Sacred Sites](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmRvaS5nb3YvcHJlc3NyZWxlYXNlcy9iaWRlbi1oYXJyaXMtYWRtaW5pc3RyYXRpb24tdGFrZXMtc3RlcHMtaW5jcmVhc2UtY28tc3Rld2FyZHNoaXAtb3Bwb3J0dW5pdGllcyIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMjAuODc0NDAxOTEifQ.4E2mwmV28IGNrgP_MIwIJLLAxLcsIxhkpO0i6Flx938%2Fs%2F258366330%2Fbr%2F233556497728-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C300da572933c4fc981b508dc01ab673f%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387082889218401%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=4DjHz0IHvtKsq1kfG2%2BtWjkZw2%2Fb%2F4lsyBjLyyAUEtU%3D&reserved=0)
* [Biden Administration to partner with tribes to restore wild Salmon](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whitehouse.gov%2Fbriefing-room%2Fstatements-releases%2F2023%2F12%2F14%2Ffact-sheet-biden-harris-administration-announces-10-year-partnership-with-tribes-and-states-to-restore-wild-salmon-expand-clean-energy-production-increase-resilience-and-provide-energy-stability-i%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800526174%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=L6Zr3YUpVY3%2BUx7zPnWTzy28Ou2%2BFwKTXINxgCRC9iQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [On the Navajo Nation, A Life Without Water](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fpulitzercenter.org%2Fstories%2Fnavajo-nation-life-without-water&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7313faf8ea584e45e88c08dbfa842585%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379217692482780%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=q3%2BEnlm2DHibClm8yIyh8WbjVM2RJBmgoCt4zENxMmg%3D&reserved=0)
* California State Parks and the [Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LnRhdGF2aWFtLW5zbi51cy8_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIwNi44NjY5NDI3MSJ9.pkdR35OH7ENqHLw9_6IYl0icEGhVSkZum4Cji6Tmtjw%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232382829266-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf874d6b65b5d4d9d4ffa08dbf6714fc8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374738757495859%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=nYEuji7b%2FnzxcOpqNPu1zHMOYv03E2eZCuNZZPMJEws%3D&reserved=0) (Tribe) have reached [a historic agreement](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LnBhcmtzLmNhLmdvdi9OZXdzUmVsZWFzZS8xMjMxP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMDYuODY2OTQyNzEifQ._X0apGvdAhhZ1yH3yUnVSHq7LfaLYkijoDc6sfMyM9s%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232382829266-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf874d6b65b5d4d9d4ffa08dbf6714fc8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374738757495859%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=NlpMQvBc4dvF81J3VUhcohHHb5w1ds%2Ffu6r3%2FZXd9Ks%3D&reserved=0) to collaborate in the management of natural and cultural resources for State parks within the Tribe’s ancestral lands.
* Funding Opportunities:
	+ NPS [Tribal Heritage Grants Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fnationalassociationoftribalhistoricpreservationofficersnathpo.growthzoneapp.com%2Fap%2Fr%2F4051de89929a44b2a4d45614feb3337c&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C02f5464ca79740fea03708dc02fad457%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388523538435605%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=CeHMPbvVJJe7Whwoo1F%2F0sv67uSy1c%2BfQGOMQ%2FbDYIw%3D&reserved=0) focuses on protecting oral histories, plant and animal species important in tradition, sacred and historic places, and enabling the establishment of Tribal Historic Preservation Offices. Congress has appropriated $720,000 for the THG Program. Applications are due **February 20, 2024.**
	+ [To provide emergency drought relief for federally recognized Indian Tribes in the 17 western states for near-term drought relief actions to mitigate drought impacts for Indian Tribes that are impacted by the operation of a Reclamation water project.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00197BOGbMNc0UtKtCAjL0umGJnuryLyOdAHDveiXe1YYN0o8IW9DvaCKwucVuAQRaeAMoRa6FVJpP4fkL_uBRyfy4f-PNBz7DHwY_ZYIbbfR9Ce1s7m-UFcg6AOJDkPMfzPgx0vkppTAGcgEopvwYH6mB5r7DtVDlTYzBRMeDLcVXM9HSexJgdkw%3D%3D%26c%3Dnu90axzG8JF-t29JqyYoEyUHN29kaqnJWudDA4TFw1l7-kwIS1tLPQ%3D%3D%26ch%3DKitT-4dbXYvAprFiPHGMKJT7aDMmfelcQoqbz0XjRRKoVXm7dc_daA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C74c83ed3c3924ba43cf208dc00b53d8d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386025645671320%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tY8AzpEwpqAntAUVQu9wQARE2rBPTA%2BR355s5LtzcAs%3D&reserved=0) Due: **April 11, 2024**
	+ [For projects and activities that develop, manage, and protect tribal water and related resources.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00197BOGbMNc0UtKtCAjL0umGJnuryLyOdAHDveiXe1YYN0o8IW9DvaCKwucVuAQRaeCQxbWIFgmxk_FoMGp5ekg3OySXnYJzNbrH0BcOfeIsEIsj8eRNl3d6OqAieVmYp5HukQUZYe-lLstil2XUXSKKwXC3YkJB3B12NkDEhlUMdrsvBFaxTZew%3D%3D%26c%3Dnu90axzG8JF-t29JqyYoEyUHN29kaqnJWudDA4TFw1l7-kwIS1tLPQ%3D%3D%26ch%3DKitT-4dbXYvAprFiPHGMKJT7aDMmfelcQoqbz0XjRRKoVXm7dc_daA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C74c83ed3c3924ba43cf208dc00b53d8d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386025645671320%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=xkxXXs9Fulqlf5L7pKqgTvtg%2BHivNHeljgJWeK2WSto%3D&reserved=0) Due: **March 12, 2024.**

## **Regional Updates**

* The Water Education Foundation has published an [article on using purified sewage to meet drinking water needs](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndhdGVyZWR1Y2F0aW9uLm9yZy93ZXN0ZXJuLXdhdGVyL2NvbG9yYWRvLXJpdmVyLXNob3J0YWdlcy1kcml2ZS1tYWpvci1hZHZhbmNlcy1yZWN5Y2xlZC1zZXdhZ2Utd2F0ZXItdXNlP21jX2NpZD04OWZmNDMyNDc4Jm1jX2VpZD02ZDc4ZDVlMGYzJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj0mdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDI0MDEwMy44NzkxMzkxMSJ9.MVfQv0IeOfhtZmcPyfq2lE7-AQxb_YBsCKOYSPV2bdw%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F234083330702-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C968bbe0ccbcf4c5ef62a08dc0c6dca64%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398912924028330%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=u9qK5X3gfpVoyjwNX4uTF5CqTy2G1aEvCkp4Uq3lHe4%3D&reserved=0)
* The National Wildlife Federation’s Nature-based Solutions Funding Database includes 86 federal grant programs for communities interested in pursuing federal funding and/or technical assistance for nature-based solutions. To visit the database, please click [here](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffundingnaturebasedsolutions.nwf.org%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbac1af7f16354f7bfe8d08dc016beb8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386810232880047%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=EsG4QqUBNgMUyLBa3kt4z0GvKysMgToDMa%2BcMBVF3Sc%3D&reserved=0).
* Yield Gap [Analysis](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ft.e2ma.net%2Fclick%2Ft1cddj%2Fpqdn3po%2Fxkemdr&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C83d5ef7a4f4c46a1bad808dc00ef5150%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386275069901013%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=qVLX%2B3dZ94YL9OiJRQokScLJZqL%2FiXowUQ2wBpIaShs%3D&reserved=0) Updated through 2022. Updated analysis shows forage production lost to trees at regional, Sate and County scales across the west.
* Working Lands For Wildlife Contributes to Open-Access Textbook, “[Rangeland Wildlife Ecology and Conservation](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ft.e2ma.net%2Fclick%2Ft1cddj%2Fpqdn3po%2F9t9ldr&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C83d5ef7a4f4c46a1bad808dc00ef5150%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386275069901013%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=T1VY9JoLrrdPirq97%2BFrak%2FwICUFFArfn6KJmudfbwQ%3D&reserved=0).” Guiding Future of Rangeland Conservation.
* [Landscape Explorer shows how much the American West has changed](https://www.sciencenews.org/article/landscape-explorer-interactive-map-american-west)
* [Webinar Replay: Outcomes of Spatial Targeting in Sagebrush Country](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ft.e2ma.net%2Fclick%2Ft1cddj%2Fpqdn3po%2Fxssmdr&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C83d5ef7a4f4c46a1bad808dc00ef5150%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386275070057244%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=uJqh2ee3UHVoEzvij8sCllD3YlPqAkax9SoLn4p0bao%3D&reserved=0)
* [Webinar Recording - Low Tech Stream Restoration for Landowners: The Benefits, Water Rights Issues & Reducing Risks](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ft.e2ma.net%2Fclick%2Ft1cddj%2Fpqdn3po%2F95umdr&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C83d5ef7a4f4c46a1bad808dc00ef5150%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638386275070057244%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=S1fQfZgTZg7yTCqzV575feucr8p8tNplzEeDGS3J4hY%3D&reserved=0)
* [More than 44,000 species threatened with extinction](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.enn.com%2Farticles%2F73802-more-than-44-000-species-now-threatened-with-extinction&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800369895%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=LAGl8kij8CX3uNooJazQSYj8PVdKf49%2B4ljfjSjFQe0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Overlooked Study helped fuel Colorado River crisis](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.enn.com%2Farticles%2F73827-how-an-overlooked-study-over-a-century-ago-helped-fuel-the-colorado-river-crisis&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800526174%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=zg8ueThZNeb1RAlM7VHQNDfIUYFiPVe8T1sNqEo2cXI%3D&reserved=0)
* [Snow fails to stop fights over Colorado River](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.azcentral.com%2Fstory%2Fnews%2Flocal%2Farizona-environment%2F2023%2F12%2F14%2Fmore-colorado-river-water-cuts-coming-which-states-to-expect%2F71923755007%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800526174%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FjVoCOj1UCoQC24fqjsYbTNIhUkaFzFajNCwCr1TGWI%3D&reserved=0)
* [Reducing Greenhouse Gases increases Water Quality](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.enn.com%2Farticles%2F73814-national-policy-aimed-at-reducing-u-s-greenhouse-gases-also-would-improve-water-quality&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb66dc221227e4defbca408dc00a2a7dc%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385945800526174%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=twtFpUxMnwptfQ60Pj%2BZsCrSMHygk6ERTfRAj2wBuLk%3D&reserved=0)
* [National report on sustainable forests, 2020](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3Df569082e13%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7a9f425427354e2d46b508dbfdaf6144%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382701938673294%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=wtBqE7Ec80f5pCG5h8XLc8mcY3%2BTzStELw5MoOEuYOI%3D&reserved=0)
* The Water Education Foundation has released the report, [*Recommendations for Leveraging Green Infrastructure to Manage California Water*](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndhdGVyZWR1Y2F0aW9uLm9yZy9zaXRlcy9tYWluL2ZpbGVzL2ZpbGUtYXR0YWNobWVudHMvMjAyM193YXRlcl9sZWFkZXJzX3JlcG9ydC5wZGY_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxMy44NzA2MTU4MSJ9.qQ54_SIAdeyRWwFAAktGQDiBDqolpjcWjCf46yxjN2A%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232923318224-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfa272d849268435166bf08dbfbedc6ed%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380770895441827%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=gc8ktwZvETipmbNiK5pDIALNqhdOZg4aL75WKm60WPE%3D&reserved=0).
* ['Clearer heads' and calls for tribal inclusion as Colorado River bigwigs prep for Las Vegas meeting](https://www.kunc.org/news/2023-12-10/clearer-heads-and-calls-for-tribal-inclusion-as-colorado-river-bigwigs-prep-for-las-vegas-meeting)
* [From flush to faucet: More places look to turn sewage into tap water](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.everyaction.com%2Fk%2F75024690%2F443374831%2F-2066754186%3Fnvep%3Dew0KICAiVGVuYW50VXJpIjogIm5ncHZhbjovL3Zhbi9TTldTUi9TTldTUi8xLzEwNDkxMSIsDQogICJEaXN0cmlidXRpb25VbmlxdWVJZCI6ICIwZGNjYzFkZi0wMTk5LWVlMTEtODkyNS0wMDIyNDgyMjNjYmIiLA0KICAiRW1haWxBZGRyZXNzIjogImFteWR1ZmZ5QGR1ZmZ5Y29uc3VsdGluZy5uZXQiDQp9%26hmac%3DeOYpi_CiR_Xi0sB9tQe583nwolAEjczzZWptSWnhBG4%3D%26emci%3D18e70c69-ed98-ee11-8925-002248223cbb%26emdi%3D0dccc1df-0199-ee11-8925-002248223cbb%26ceid%3D41089&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C58f12244fb7c4c41508d08dbfb2a6ca3%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379931873836090%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FKT0i5%2Bdx07NHQOGX5zRvk2hB1RVkyoXzE91LBX2EEo%3D&reserved=0)
* December Issue of the [Desert Report](https://desertreport.org/december-2023-latest-issue/) by the Sierra Club California/Nevada Desert Committee
* The Pacific Institute has released a report on advancing water resilience in the Colorado River Basin. [*Pathways and Barriers to Corporate Water Stewardship in the Colorado River Basin*](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vcGFjaW5zdC5vcmcvcHVibGljYXRpb24vcGF0aHdheXMtYW5kLWJhcnJpZXJzLz91dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9Z292ZGVsaXZlcnkiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjA2Ljg2Njk0MjcxIn0.88Q-ypaugm6T5evGbbp8J9av1OoaPk50RDaeLYUiymk%2Fs%2F1821941275%2Fbr%2F232382829266-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf874d6b65b5d4d9d4ffa08dbf6714fc8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374738757495859%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Sr%2BG63qmTLKN2oBW257o%2BXQzhV2kjuNYBj2ZPoeGv98%3D&reserved=0) looks at how corporations can play a key role through their operations and supply chains, and by co-funding projects

### **WestfAST**

* December Newsletter is posted to the [WSWC website:](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwesternstateswater.org%2Fwestfast-newsletters%2F2024%2Fwestfast-december-2023-newsletter%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca9895e87b1a64a61f3e508dc0c685225%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398889403904535%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=0BfWzRLtFOlXwVkXO67lmteIZp%2Bj8sX%2FsLZpUctrkew%3D&reserved=0) EPA Releases Annual Report Showing Steady Progress to Protect Communities from PFAS Pollution; Interior Departments Announces Landsat 2030 International Partnership Initiative; Historic levee breach opens 300 San Francisco Bay acres to tidal marsh restoration; Biden-Harris Administration makes $106 million available for Pacific Coastal Salmon Recovery Fund as part of Investing in America agenda; Biden-Harris Administration Announces More Than $51 Million from the President’s Investing in America Agenda to Restore and Protect Rivers and Watersheds; and more.

### **WGA**

* [Watch the Boise workshop of the Decarbonizing the West initiative](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00168pDG22NJcL9XJgmMB5d9HBignWie5dvPkTfswZwF2mmR8ZtIH1wRYOysLnn5dxyJK4iCaMNz6xG37NQYo02HatSdmGJSMNCsKmGPZTaZ-_FmmL9Ia0-hIJIu6wIBACWu_3ZZN-JROrIq1-mqketU5hmW-OuNzZWsJTOxiooWWO5L6frPB33GU3530hHbFSOXO5sxu0Iv0GO9Tf5ySgGdGTmulmn3TZvzD4n4VwmkX7tzL04aFMN3rYlGLbFtJLPy9pyvHnQCem_D09VpxPw5yeDhcjGPfQrrzpt21EtLwRswxjfuXG0rQ%3D%3D%26c%3D8yOm5y0l6l1tAt9pNnBGPQubq_-xBJuarHDtGLOaWQL-lrvb7-ohWw%3D%3D%26ch%3DFQSesz2hsd3w0lbgy21AQQgcKzKetgS4IzqLV3G5snszameKuOz9SA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C39d13ae1391445e622de08dbfd851274%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382520209102038%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5UVUKwt6sas4%2BiYRhhMz50jfgmexZr1SGBLGu9M80pc%3D&reserved=0)

### **WRRC**

* [Yuma County Water Factsheet](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001pO7xuUEv-AfvTEw2PRhcpt5At3yZ0JW3ms0f8-sn_x5LaWuz9oAotgetnkqsJbJcfJHXGUP3R1Qlugjcn0VQuBbVWnVj8olHlnOIKKx9ENBZzjE25fAHq--Mg_0KMrnXWziH4mryfQGvwkP0PBWDuTZlIG4UobWU5q2fG0xw7hVoCi0DPk2s2hT1sS9_naB57FAvDXgG78ebV9dIgpWydw%3D%3D%26c%3DVrxMuTnS1vjGGWdAvgbcdAdeAL1XBoNHCkJkdseOcZKhNQ2Pn7ysvQ%3D%3D%26ch%3DOuo60eQKPA4FvYcH84V5QSSD8sdim4vo1HPI3tJji5mMPtYi3Gg0Kg%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C9deb1e8b2fdb40625ffb08dbfdc8b7a2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382810763141579%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=HTuIcTqP1E1BZF052EdKmk6WTRdFr2CrIN5H9Ay%2BO14%3D&reserved=0)
* WRRC Weekly Wave – [December 15, 2023](https://myemail.constantcontact.com/WRRC-Weekly-Wave--Student-Poster-Abstracts---Deadline-Extended-to-January-26.html?soid=1109945124084&aid=H2TuA97PUjs)
* [WRRC Weekly Wave –](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001wDtOa83Cmj31BmcT3jjNrqH5R-7VMVZFodQChY1DbAlZVnkTqTvCVIK3GYdrmBdWeSDKDumTBj10t_3vW9iSNHcbiSQ-DxcwJQ720VMKNaqPp1YvRlISwiipTvLSlmDYCp2IQMCDKarYxU2YxTCZTA%3D%3D%26c%3DPxvNEGfPNrm9DXusDJ9Sgpq4-m2t4KLKwNDLQD7IHWovc8PN8gSeTw%3D%3D%26ch%3DJt4irAMYhCtvarMv1vsrbS76U4yISNzGs6PA6GzdDs_5ndO4H5sCxw%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc93c735c67f745d136a308dbc9a74a0d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638325492562545479%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=wrfNk84NzvWcJwLfFwUKRJXpsq2RDL5dglwQOEg5PuQ%3D&reserved=0) [December 8, 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001RE-XYcdqemNPNNB1yz_dq-Yo1UThpt6lFyylgPk7_vxxb_ILlA4h6ILRTnHzrSOozQ5GGyrCR8vN0h7mY2TB2JQQKAWjaQZ8gUAHv9q2JaBi_1-_GxkdPIReuZ_jBTO6O2Hw7rLxSPnT-UbSUmoecA%3D%3D%26c%3DR4_G_9Ha6n5zRlr2eN0TLU8xS2LmuMbCcdj_yhgX_vjazrxXuQlAMA%3D%3D%26ch%3DoWpT0RlQM6c_-jqSNPzGKtmEuFBw2XPk2CHkvIjym0-DKoq7dMO5Fg%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C726b59550ec54facbb1508dbfb29aa25%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379928588641966%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tKzWeAH%2FOLw4oOoZ9brsjn3gx9yJywri2NMqbu4ORGY%3D&reserved=0)
* WRRC Weekly Wave – [December 1, 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001Y1RCs8ggWeiHrwMwVMWwcXTdjuDndQITsnT9SQOrUXirv2qCFJ54yAtHKhEojDtBjSU63gW89hws8GqvFWCF1GSIXfGM7w6uGyaiG7nuhgRPBm5WqhT2V5naKQuTMAcdWY4L6Idd6eX7lD4znKKRXw%3D%3D%26c%3Djcg0SV2KDJgRNKoiFF_QljuDra89TT9EsFyg6EQdmZ7dK2tIj4DtSg%3D%3D%26ch%3D-CY1jmgvxPQ-E99m6thp3k5NrHGk9FYxtTg0yCCzmHROs7k3XbuCkw%3D%3D&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2702c693b0b64ab2ef3308dbf2b52c7b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638370632200594620%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=NTkqKHDc4Jrl741tFbmxgsZS6GjdMJ6FcAr4qJG4sjc%3D&reserved=0)

# **Military Readiness, Homeland Security, Disaster Preparedness and Aviation**

## **Military Readiness**

### **DoD**

* [New in 2024: F-35 program eyes key upgrade, delivery restart](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33861183.104141%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWlsaXRhcnl0aW1lcy5jb20vYWlyLzIwMjMvMTIvMzAvZi0zNS1wcm9ncmFtLWV5ZXMta2V5LXVwZ3JhZGUtZGVsaXZlcnktcmVzdGFydC8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B0350997e&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1363817e609b41b197e108dc0ba17b1b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398035431592141%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=JTpsyzMMEcO28yCQ3olfWo%2FDEPYbIqFWo5J4gdAyUX8%3D&reserved=0" \t "_blank)
* [DISA releases a new system to help military commanders see what was invisible](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffederalnewsnetwork.com%2Fdefense-main%2F2023%2F12%2Fdisa-releases-a-new-system-to-help-military-commanders-see-what-was-invisible%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C16659ea8c66441e5465308dc034740e8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388851785138789%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=mNMrE1SzGRKUDHHahRecaK8Jx5QlClK8GrZJ%2Bxqqdf8%3D&reserved=0)
* [Boots on the Ground: Saving Species, Supporting the Mission](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fstaging-www.acq.osd.mil%2Fnews%2Farchive%2F2023%2FBoots-on-the-Ground-Saving-Species-Supporting-the-Mission.html&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cd3b8b856eded401b1b6a08dbffefe7ba%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385178231556681%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=w3GLqnP5X6xBNtGW6%2FW0SmkIKhRWbH3c0cuPW70ppCQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [DOD's new cloud-based visualization tool targets electromagnetic spectrum](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbreakingdefense.com%2F2023%2F12%2Fdods-new-cloud-based-visualization-tool-targets-electromagnetic-spectrum%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc53528930812424567ec08dbf84528a2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638376748162920227%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=s91fkhM9ocEagylFPgKb%2FbcliTb3PBGv8hAB5FAxsMY%3D&reserved=0)
* [Replicator: An inside look at the Pentagon’s ambitious drone program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33755273.121973%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW5ld3MuY29tL3BlbnRhZ29uLzIwMjMvMTIvMTkvcmVwbGljYXRvci1hbi1pbnNpZGUtbG9vay1hdC10aGUtcGVudGFnb25zLWFtYml0aW91cy1kcm9uZS1wcm9ncmFtLz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61B59aaa4a5&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C6c1ad52c4e064863a89708dc016a176a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386802428730413%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=yOH47OK%2Bu1vpPBa2WKGrc5e1VApXy0TVIIGQRUaSvck%3D&reserved=0)
* [US military grounds entire fleet of Osprey aircraft](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33610762.104043%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWlsaXRhcnl0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLW1pbGl0YXJ5LzIwMjMvMTIvMDcvdXMtbWlsaXRhcnktZ3JvdW5kcy1lbnRpcmUtZmxlZXQtb2Ytb3NwcmV5LWFpcmNyYWZ0Lz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61B2fd9f449&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C69c0b4030d244103cc7508dbf729b4e6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638375530792715171%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tUj1oosY%2FYANuocJNqTI7vECiIvMJMILzsOwAti%2Bsr4%3D&reserved=0)
* [Use more drones, US tells allies, partners](https://www.defenseone.com/defense-systems/2023/12/use-more-drones-us-tells-allies-partners/392510/?utm_source=sailthru&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=mil-ebb&SToverlay=342f5a58-c37b-4142-b049-1f737335b507)
* Energy Reliability at DOD Installations
	+ [As US defense facilities face rising outage risks, regional transmission could help: ACORE panel](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.utilitydive.com%2Fnews%2Fgrid-reliability-issues-threaten-national-defense%2F701674%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf247c82a005441c0905e08dbf728cce6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638375526833760994%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=1Owtqhp3ZgXE96WskEJyxGNCD3HeByysYFSM%2FyXv624%3D&reserved=0)
	+ WEBINAR: [Winter Reliability: Keeping the Lights on for Civilian & Military Operations](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fvimeo.com%2F891576776%2F42ae6225e1%3Fshare%3Dcopy&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cf247c82a005441c0905e08dbf728cce6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638375526833760994%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Qt%2FM%2FKec4MmhaM8j4pcrvtW92wXNK1GzUxcDd%2FWV0gk%3D&reserved=0)
* [Here are the 422 military leaders finally confirmed by the Senate](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33597843.122638%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWlsaXRhcnl0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy9wZW50YWdvbi1jb25ncmVzcy8yMDIzLzEyLzA2L2hlcmUtYXJlLXRoZS00MjUtbWlsaXRhcnktbGVhZGVycy1maW5hbGx5LWNvbmZpcm1lZC1ieS10aGUtc2VuYXRlLz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61C732934d5&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdc2ed930ab064bca2ed308dbf65d9eda%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374654248377600%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Q7l3wURiQm1%2BjCQnD7k%2FxJ8PGoL8mY8ScC9w1EK3dQM%3D&reserved=0)

### **DoD- OLDCC**

* [Webinar: Installation Resilience Tabletop Exercises for Military Communities](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDODOLDCC/bulletins/380fb84) **January 9th,** 11AM PST. [Attendee link](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/ap/t-59584e83/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fteams.microsoft.com%2Fl%2Fmeetup-join%2F19%253ameeting_YmEyMmRlNjItMWY3OS00ZjFkLTk5YWQtZTlhYjYzNzRiNjk3%2540thread.v2%2F0%3Fbtype%3Da%26context%3D%257B%2522Tid%2522%253A%25226218f553-7d66-416b-a437-7cf54be8700e%2522%252C%2522Oid%2522%253A%25228e4e67be-c05b-4115-96ec-ae80b6590949%2522%252C%2522IsBroadcastMeeting%2522%253Atrue%252C%2522role%2522%253A%2522a%2522%257D%26role%3Da%26utm_medium%3Demail%26utm_source%3Dgovdelivery&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cfb88517174d64f7b597608dc01ac6fa5%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387087316453449%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ZJREPRK5VTaUUUJ6Q1VZ%2BM0mDjMXS3tlAtULtplHUXg%3D&reserved=0)

### **REPI**

* REPI Program conducted installation resilience case studies on three installations by interviewing installations with innovative ideas for protecting infrastructure, missions, and other assets from climate conditions and landscape changes outside the installation. The three installations showcased in this series are executing multiple authorities and working closely with communities and organizations to advance shared goals and implement projects that protect military missions:
	+ [Camp Williams, Utah](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2F480ZyIM&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbac1af7f16354f7bfe8d08dc016beb8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386810232880047%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=GP%2Fd8uWbTVrU8NlnUvvyN0eGJR5nkJQpcqeEOCTvrpw%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Cannon Air Force Base, New Mexico](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2F3RrEUu3&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbac1af7f16354f7bfe8d08dc016beb8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386810232880047%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=u6aT0rntj0nF2DvJnm19LCgEfNpUB5ygUvK8k%2B%2F0C%2B0%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point, North Carolina](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2F41sTXZa&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbac1af7f16354f7bfe8d08dc016beb8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386810232880047%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=tjYiLTv3qJ%2Fj1XwANw8x5Hd%2FbinhaqErjx5bjLqawzk%3D&reserved=0)
* [Executing REPI Installation Resilience Projects](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USGOVREPI/bulletins/37e8f9d)

### **USAF**

* [New in 2024: Air Force plans autonomous flight tests for drone wingmen](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33861183.104141%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWlsaXRhcnl0aW1lcy5jb20vYWlyLzIwMjMvMTIvMzAvbmV3LWluLTIwMjQtYWlyLWZvcmNlLXBsYW5zLWF1dG9ub21vdXMtZmxpZ2h0LXRlc3RzLWZvci1kcm9uZS13aW5nbWVuLz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61B60a148ed&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1363817e609b41b197e108dc0ba17b1b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398035430342085%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=e0JAToGdxv6rPCHRxrEErR%2FDgoHA4ds8Gv60BWz2AVU%3D&reserved=0)
* [New in 2024: Staffing up a shrinking Air Force](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.airforcetimes.com%2Fclick%2F33815426.106196%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2V0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLWFpci1mb3JjZS8yMDIzLzEyLzI2L25ldy1pbi0yMDI0LXN0YWZmaW5nLXVwLWEtc2hyaW5raW5nLWFpci1mb3JjZS8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61C97dcacf8&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0b0e8c8e7ee64793544b08dc06e37063%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392821145031689%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=BpbgAdyd6ZAbfDuf9A2BCQFuXtLABd%2BiBX6ZhFcNH3c%3D&reserved=0)
* [New in 2024: Another year of deployment reform begins](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.airforcetimes.com%2Fclick%2F33815426.106196%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyZm9yY2V0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLWFpci1mb3JjZS8yMDIzLzEyLzI2L25ldy1pbi0yMDI0LWFub3RoZXIteWVhci1vZi1kZXBsb3ltZW50LXJlZm9ybS1iZWdpbnMvP3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61C6ed4f2d8&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0b0e8c8e7ee64793544b08dc06e37063%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392821145031689%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=edFekldu9HusG9GWtLPn4TF%2F2T6XKtIvOmKDf%2BqJuWw%3D&reserved=0)
* [Air Force publishes new doctrine on electromagnetic spectrum operations](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33825291.115012%2FaHR0cHM6Ly9kZWZlbnNlc2Nvb3AuY29tLzIwMjMvMTIvMjcvYWlyLWZvcmNlLXB1Ymxpc2hlcy1uZXctZG9jdHJpbmUtZWxlY3Ryb21hZ25ldGljLXNwZWN0cnVtLW9wZXJhdGlvbnMvP3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61Bd7638906&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ceeb2108901d643e8803608dc07b0db9d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393703467088253%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Sps%2F2qinkuWgEvBIVtO3MzpE72ToIiN1IQWKZfFXcLw%3D&reserved=0)
* [Congress asks Department of the Air Force for 2050 Force Design Plan. What will it mean?](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33755273.121973%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyYW5kc3BhY2Vmb3JjZXMuY29tL2NvbmdyZXNzLWFpci1mb3JjZS1zcGFjZS1mb3JjZS1mb3JjZS1kZXNpZ24tMjA1MC8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61Bdb2bd7e2&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C6c1ad52c4e064863a89708dc016a176a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386802429043614%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=wCewgUDp7Fw%2BIMIozdSoTIV1%2Bywyv%2FszeSJR%2FoTsEXo%3D&reserved=0)
* [Commercial tankers refuel USAF F-15, F-16, and F-22 fighters for first time ever](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33597843.122638%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyYW5kc3BhY2Vmb3JjZXMuY29tL2NvbW1lcmNpYWwtdGFua2Vycy1yZWZ1ZWwtdXNhZi1maWdodGVycy8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B7ad4ea6c&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdc2ed930ab064bca2ed308dbf65d9eda%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374654249471298%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Ad0RT2gI9gy%2BOWPvmlY0DRdTCa76MKQtmReSyNEk5l0%3D&reserved=0)
* [Air Force announces not one, but two bonus programs to retain aviators in 2024](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33569159.102049%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYWlyYW5kc3BhY2Vmb3JjZXMuY29tL2Fpci1mb3JjZS10d28tYm9udXMtcHJvZ3JhbXMtYXZpYXRvcnMtMjAyNC8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B65d4bd4e&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C320126d0b6ac4d639d4408dbf4cf09b1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638372942319365961%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Iq1%2BzAT43X0%2Fcm8grL1j5YUDcbeNj4rjhfdRPKA5luw%3D&reserved=0)

### **Army**

* US Army [2023 Year in Review](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.army.mil%2Fyearinreview%2F%3Futm_campaign%3Dyearinreview&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdc1391ed6c8a41941b4a08dc08b50590%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394820776406029%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=jqVYexAVuajBtuNwA%2F6k9LvKdlf1tfLClOhAdhg5Uv4%3D&reserved=0)
* [Army’s mixed reality device nears fielding with final testing in 2024](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.armytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33861183.104141%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYXJteXRpbWVzLmNvbS9uZXdzL3lvdXItYXJteS8yMDIzLzEyLzI5L2FybXlzLW1peGVkLXJlYWxpdHktZGV2aWNlLW5lYXJzLWZpZWxkaW5nLXdpdGgtZmluYWwtdGVzdGluZy1pbi0yMDI0Lz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61Be1c1ac88&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1363817e609b41b197e108dc0ba17b1b%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398035430810762%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=IeVoyrmnrgIT8fhmse68JfCZNZxcOLDls37d7SZfdho%3D&reserved=0)
* [Army numbers smallest since WWII — what units face cuts in 2024?](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.armytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33835921.108142%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYXJteXRpbWVzLmNvbS9uZXdzL3lvdXItYXJteS8yMDIzLzEyLzI4L2FybXktbnVtYmVycy1zbWFsbGVzdC1zaW5jZS13d2lpLXdoYXQtdW5pdHMtZmFjZS1jdXRzLWluLTIwMjQvP3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61C2d1f23b3&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C40fdd94c02e0465f8d5208dc087983e1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394565237242721%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=1uWTfM0ELsITGmlsrMDRlHXlYiFkBYiFKYar4EEJwjM%3D&reserved=0)
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* [Only 3D printing can get the Navy's submarine plan back on track, admiral says](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.defenseone.com%2Fclick%2F33759311.3989%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vdGVjaG5vbG9neS8yMDIzLzEwL29ubHktM2QtcHJpbnRpbmctY2FuLWdldC1uYXZ5cy1zdWJtYXJpbmUtcGxhbi1iYWNrLXRyYWNrLWFkbWlyYWwtc2F5cy8zOTE1NTYvP29yZWY9ZGVmZW5zZW9uZV90b2RheV9ubA%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B4a753a83&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb1643f68a599405bbfe808dc06e06267%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392808009568674%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=AQ4Br0%2FsDkhZz48Ah0jZfrm2zNLc%2BjFD2du7mVtTmSI%3D&reserved=0)
* [US Navy subs are getting a drone that can launch through a torpedo tube](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33689725.106088%2FaHR0cHM6Ly9tYXJpdGltZS1leGVjdXRpdmUuY29tL2FydGljbGUvdXMtbmF2eS1zdWJzLWFyZS1nZXR0aW5nLWEtZHJvbmUtdGhhdC1jYW4tbGF1bmNoLXRocm91Z2gtYS10b3JwZWRvLXR1YmU_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B0e8bb3f1&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C378fef79bbb9428e0a1708dbfcaa92b6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381581804583389%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=b6PpY5wyjtFjZ%2BMKtMmw9EO0JilqEl%2Fv3CS3zdidgeg%3D&reserved=0)
* [Navy’s fire cleanup pace and price tag at Tustin hangar troubles local California officials](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33661510.105161%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuc3RyaXBlcy5jb20vdGhlYXRlcnMvdXMvMjAyMy0xMi0xMS9uYXZ5LXR1c3Rpbi1ibGltcC1oYW5nYXItZmlyZS0xMjMyOTAzNy5odG1sP3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61B059e40fb&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7ba72bbdc9014676d9e208dbfb18e688%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379856675770298%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7w3AsEF66ks3xNdeCLU8SONH2lcJjNqbnZ29l1XUA0g%3D&reserved=0)
* [How the Navy is dealing with a military-wide grounding of Ospreys](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.navytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33648706.105069%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubmF2eXRpbWVzLmNvbS9uZXdzL3lvdXItbmF2eS8yMDIzLzEyLzA4L2hvdy10aGUtbmF2eS1pcy1kZWFsaW5nLXdpdGgtYS1taWxpdGFyeS13aWRlLWdyb3VuZGluZy1vZi1vc3ByZXlzLz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PWRlODg3NDJmLTQ2ZjctNGYyYy04MTlkLTNiMzZhNDdkNmE3ZQ%2F57588738498e574579743a61Bd8c73b4c&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2100754597bc46c4362808dbfa5ad2e8%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379040270004673%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=nPps89Mthvy9U6efbe%2BNUAHY632R0IXiubE3w1UYyPs%3D&reserved=0)
* Naval Air Station (NAS) Fallon is seeking public comments on the [Programmatic Agreement](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffrtcmodernization.us6.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3Da15c167b01e85293585c92bce%26id%3D9c9267bdae%26e%3D47cd0ca8fe&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1514dd4b955b4610e7e508dbf5d2e7b3%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374058399163155%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=WRFLJhynTjNjtUdGm36BajAGK1tpUT3hpt%2FGgwiW9VU%3D&reserved=0) related to the implementation of Section 106 National Historic Preservation Act occurring on NAS Fallon. Comments due **Jan. 12.**
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### **USMC**

* [New in 2024: Corps gets last 2 new Harrier pilots amid aviation revamp](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.marinecorpstimes.com%2Fclick%2F33825291.115012%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubWFyaW5lY29ycHN0aW1lcy5jb20vbmV3cy95b3VyLW1hcmluZS1jb3Jwcy8yMDIzLzEyLzI4L25ldy1pbi0yMDI0LWNvcnBzLWdldHMtbGFzdC0yLW5ldy1oYXJyaWVyLXBpbG90cy1hbWlkLWF2aWF0aW9uLXJldmFtcC8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B95955391&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ceeb2108901d643e8803608dc07b0db9d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393703466932015%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=0j8nKwlPPHv1%2Ffv0LU%2FRzrwGYQ1%2Br6qLFwTVTFSQGWs%3D&reserved=0)
* [Top Marine outlines priorities for next four years](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.defenseone.com%2Fclick%2F33759320.5988%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vcG9saWN5LzIwMjMvMTAvdG9wLW1hcmluZS1vdXRsaW5lcy1wcmlvcml0aWVzLW5leHQtZm91ci15ZWFycy8zOTExNTQvP29yZWY9ZGVmZW5zZW9uZV90b2RheV9ubA%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Bbd2e6c9c&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cff2481272ff440cbc62808dc07b0f701%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638393703845061368%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=d7BUJEJb7Ku2aR%2FeCKhlUicXsLP%2FbCu6MVF9mTN0fhE%3D&reserved=0)
* [Powering the Mission: MCAS Miramar Microgrid](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.marines.mil%2FNews%2FNews-Display%2FArticle%2F3622791%2Fpowering-the-mission-mcas-miramar-microgrid-brightens-the-future-during-steel-k%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C518454a457164659be3a08dc08b7a278%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394832007646150%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=6tKPpdSipfeLHYl3Ib1qIcl7vAm2Prl9X44RQDxWFTg%3D&reserved=0)
* [The San Diego City Council approved a deal with Marine Corps Air Station Miramar that will allow the city to build a $77 million green waste recycling facility](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdefensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7%26id%3Da94509f0d8%26e%3D822f95e226&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbc8c6810b5a34e0559b308dbfbf61530%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380806574943427%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=hoE%2FPVgEjEj7p2r45PAnHAhEv5HMAE2QPFzddBtvkZE%3D&reserved=0).
* [The Marines transformed to take on China. Will they be ready for everything else?](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33835921.108142%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cud3NqLmNvbS9wb2xpdGljcy9uYXRpb25hbC1zZWN1cml0eS90aGUtbWFyaW5lcy10cmFuc2Zvcm1lZC10by10YWtlLW9uLWNoaW5hLXdpbGwtdGhleS1iZS1yZWFkeS1mb3ItZXZlcnl0aGluZy1lbHNlLWQ0ZWEyNGM2P3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61C21a5285e&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C40fdd94c02e0465f8d5208dc087983e1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394565237711434%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QFA5%2F0P98c8g9c2XnuP1IkA1XJryfkhmu%2FON06fD8s8%3D&reserved=0)
* [US must dominate in space to win future wars, Marine Corps’ Glavy says](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33661510.105161%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuYzRpc3JuZXQuY29tL2JhdHRsZWZpZWxkLXRlY2gvc3BhY2UvMjAyMy8xMi8xMS91cy1tdXN0LWRvbWluYXRlLWluLXNwYWNlLXRvLXdpbi1mdXR1cmUtd2Fycy1tYXJpbmUtY29ycHMtZ2xhdnktc2F5cy8_dXRtX3NvdXJjZT1zYWlsdGhydSZ1dG1fbWVkaXVtPWVtYWlsJnV0bV9jYW1wYWlnbj1taWwtZWJiJlNUb3ZlcmxheT0zNDJmNWE1OC1jMzdiLTQxNDItYjA0OS0xZjczNzMzNWI1MDc%2F57588738498e574579743a61B40b9e975&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7ba72bbdc9014676d9e208dbfb18e688%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379856676707720%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=p0saNERVHCO%2FGMpXQDDJfyE7%2FL7rCYUC1LzmpBgnDEY%3D&reserved=0)
* [Marine large-scale exercise expands on naval integration, live-virtual training](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33597843.122638%2FaHR0cHM6Ly9uZXdzLnVzbmkub3JnLzIwMjMvMTIvMDUvbWFyaW5lLWxhcmdlLXNjYWxlLWV4ZXJjaXNlLWV4cGFuZHMtb24tbmF2YWwtaW50ZWdyYXRpb24tbGl2ZS12aXJ0dWFsLXRyYWluaW5nP3V0bV9zb3VyY2U9c2FpbHRocnUmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bWlsLWViYiZTVG92ZXJsYXk9MzQyZjVhNTgtYzM3Yi00MTQyLWIwNDktMWY3MzczMzViNTA3%2F57588738498e574579743a61B71c7f9be&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdc2ed930ab064bca2ed308dbf65d9eda%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374654249471298%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=2DS3HdySPhQ1hQXqn8RoHMY8RvcF54hxVvqhqQPbFow%3D&reserved=0)

### **Space Force**

* [US military space plane blasts off on another secretive mission](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.militarytimes.com%2Fclick%2F33835921.108142%2FaHR0cHM6Ly9haXJmb3JjZXRpbWVzLmNvbS9uZXdzL3lvdXItYWlyLWZvcmNlLzIwMjMvMTIvMjkvdXMtbWlsaXRhcnktc3BhY2UtcGxhbmUtYmxhc3RzLW9mZi1vbi1hbm90aGVyLXNlY3JldGl2ZS1taXNzaW9uLz91dG1fc291cmNlPXNhaWx0aHJ1JnV0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX2NhbXBhaWduPW1pbC1lYmImU1RvdmVybGF5PTM0MmY1YTU4LWMzN2ItNDE0Mi1iMDQ5LTFmNzM3MzM1YjUwNw%2F57588738498e574579743a61C5c3c94d3&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C40fdd94c02e0465f8d5208dc087983e1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394565236461491%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=2MfHxZAKYc4O3RyaxwJFo1qD6tUJR0Ln6T%2F0TJ8EcN8%3D&reserved=0)
* [What 2024 has in store for Space Force acquisition](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.defenseone.com%2Fclick%2F33764218.43036%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZGVmZW5zZW9uZS5jb20vcG9saWN5LzIwMjMvMTIvd2hhdC0yMDI0LWhhcy1zdG9yZS1zcGFjZS1mb3JjZS1hY3F1aXNpdGlvbi8zOTI5MzcvP29yZWY9ZGVmZW5zZV9vbmVfYnJlYWtpbmdfbmw%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13Bdebc272f&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C80c561d07f534cd47fd108dc01aac56d%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387080171380195%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3EPjxPEUEVRrX37bgTZaBexgQC8RMI%2BVQT1jKEhU%2B5s%3D&reserved=0)
* [Saltzman Gives Update on Space Force’s Development](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdefensecommunities.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D8156c255f5c0e2d33ce307ef7%26id%3Daf51054ea7%26e%3D822f95e226&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbc8c6810b5a34e0559b308dbfbf61530%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380806574943427%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=oMk8Eq1%2FlMXnsxH91ixx4IMfE0a%2Fs5ZmR6%2FVDLm6MwY%3D&reserved=0)

## **Homeland Security / Disaster Preparedness**

* [Extreme weather cost $80 billion this year. The true price is far higher.](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.route-fifty.com%2Fclick%2F33654760.28268%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2ZpbmFuY2UvMjAyMy8xMi9leHRyZW1lLXdlYXRoZXItY29zdC04MC1iaWxsaW9uLXllYXItdHJ1ZS1wcmljZS1mYXItaGlnaGVyLzM5MjgwMS8_b3JlZj1yZi10b2RheS1ubA%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B6b84e959&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cb4a67050f8954493080508dbffe0098a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385109924406334%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=T%2BO9BS7lzUGYwuKKIXxngb%2F9RSrnBs24wWCJ8pCF3J4%3D&reserved=0)
* DHS invites comment and feedback from Tribal Nations and indigenous peoples on barriers and challenges, suggestions, and ideas **to help advance the Department’s environmental justice program, help DHS conduct meaningful engagement of the public in decision making, and address challenges facing environmental justice communities related to DHS programs and activities.**  DHS issued a Request for Information (RFI) [Federal Register: Request for Information Regarding Department of Homeland Security Activities and Advancing Environmental Justice](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlZGVyYWxyZWdpc3Rlci5nb3YvZG9jdW1lbnRzLzIwMjMvMTIvMTgvMjAyMy0yNzYyOC9yZXF1ZXN0LWZvci1pbmZvcm1hdGlvbi1yZWdhcmRpbmctZGVwYXJ0bWVudC1vZi1ob21lbGFuZC1zZWN1cml0eS1hY3Rpdml0aWVzLWFuZC1hZHZhbmNpbmciLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE4Ljg3Mjg2MTcxIn0.73QMX42X-Q_7MJWyPq_DwMqOj11MprqU2RFMAfAsN7U%2Fs%2F691733148%2Fbr%2F233290433244-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0da0bfe5c4047e4ffad08dbffd79d87%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385073751330500%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5pmXbBn27H%2BftOk%2Fvf4e%2F0BOR1avpNz1vXolJ4TlOGc%3D&reserved=0), Docket ID: **DHS-2023-0048**, asking specific questions. The public comment period will be open for 60 days, closing on **February 16, 2024**. Please register to attend one of the information and listening sessions through the links below:
	+ **Friday, January 19**, 2:00-3:30 PM, Eastern Time – [Session 1](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdXMwNndlYi56b29tLnVzL3dlYmluYXIvcmVnaXN0ZXIvV05fZ3NSM1VlNVVSNW14amlCTHN0RDduUSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTguODcyODYxNzEifQ.DviukIPj_5doyhjBwREmpMMtRPA8lwmSnubDdNvDyOE%2Fs%2F691733148%2Fbr%2F233290433244-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0da0bfe5c4047e4ffad08dbffd79d87%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385073751486764%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=eRJRJLbw0Za9wfGFCQAAnPj6%2F%2Fdq3bv21iNUJrVs8qg%3D&reserved=0)
	+ **Tuesday, January 23,** 2:00-3:30 PM, Eastern Time – [Session 2, Tribal and Indigenous peoples](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdXMwNndlYi56b29tLnVzL3dlYmluYXIvcmVnaXN0ZXIvV05fVG5YZG1OOVpTREdxeTVMeG5sS3hlZyIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTguODcyODYxNzEifQ.F7dMHFdtXsflBjWK5p2zJDl1ZOnRpDHo3-mqlEYnKNM%2Fs%2F691733148%2Fbr%2F233290433244-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0da0bfe5c4047e4ffad08dbffd79d87%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385073751486764%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ExWYfMDGRV%2BmdkAicE07INfLfsuj323Tfsf0se%2B9wIc%3D&reserved=0)
	+ **Monday, January 29**, 3:30-5:00 PM, Eastern Time – [Session 3](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdXJsZGVmZW5zZS51cy92My9fX2h0dHBzOi91czA2d2ViLnpvb20udXMvd2ViaW5hci9yZWdpc3Rlci9XTl9mTnBENkY5V1JpYVk1aExQa01ZdHlBX187ISFCQ2xSdU9WNWN2dGJ1TkkhRDFjZGhaZXhJMl85R1dwVGdPcDFueEhYaXRWeXMxSXFVYk1vREJtd3JZbFJkc2ZHSEpaQ2xkdmlYd2JrbUtrYXRxcE5kRFllSThldHEzYVpvdXpZaDFBZ1ZVM0slMjQiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE4Ljg3Mjg2MTcxIn0.scvpKzVEmlaFsHl7qg5prcQQPj78VNa-1p8V909CTBY%2Fs%2F691733148%2Fbr%2F233290433244-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0da0bfe5c4047e4ffad08dbffd79d87%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385073751486764%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=mp3iKn9ofimAkJVTva780M97Cg%2B%2F76CkTRugT6jLy2k%3D&reserved=0)
	+ More information on the DHS Environmental Justice Program can be found [here](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmRocy5nb3YvZGhzLWVudmlyb25tZW50YWwtanVzdGljZS1zdHJhdGVneSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTguODcyODYxNzEifQ.UN0uM0NbvuKZV3ZDCqhuTE0FO1TsDnnsQG9UpUc7P_c%2Fs%2F691733148%2Fbr%2F233290433244-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0da0bfe5c4047e4ffad08dbffd79d87%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638385073751486764%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=N9Oa8NMoTrHdVdXySaSnu3MZL%2BPprAm9Rc33%2Fka1UGs%3D&reserved=0).
* [Climate resilient construction helps mitigate disasters](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.route-fifty.com%2Fclick%2F33669740.20268%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2luZnJhc3RydWN0dXJlLzIwMjMvMTIvY2xpbWF0ZS1yZXNpbGllbnQtY29uc3RydWN0aW9uLWhlbHBzLW1pdGlnYXRlLWRpc2FzdGVycy8zOTI3MTQvP29yZWY9cmYtdG9kYXktbmw%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B2085b38c&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0fb3e3ee6eb044de5ff508dbfbddc43e%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380702150096005%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2BGvEdNc8NAAazkgAJkPFAGKO8gcYzHpOTft2pE8%2Bsc4%3D&reserved=0)

### **FEMA**

* [FEMA’s National Preparedness Report Highlights Cyber Security, Building Codes and Individual Preparedness for a Resilient Nation](https://www.fema.gov/press-release/20231205/femas-national-preparedness-report-highlights-cyber-security-building-codes)
	+ 2023 [National Preparedness Report](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2VtZXJnZW5jeS1tYW5hZ2Vycy9uYXRpb25hbC1wcmVwYXJlZG5lc3MjcmVwb3J0cyIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTIuODcwMjU3NjEifQ.LA7OM2r4Wjbqmheor12VjlZCX8uDYMBKv5VxmWsm9eY%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F232864113570-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C93818bed32e74987093e08dbfb653d23%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380184507845198%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=T40wusXdhe%2FCspKONQ3bzLFKi9KkbYH%2BBOkKH31ZWwg%3D&reserved=0)
* [Administrator Criswell Highlights FEMA Efforts at the White House Tribal Nations Summit](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fema.gov%2Fpress-release%2F20231211%2Ficymi-administrator-criswell-highlights-fema-efforts-white-house-tribal&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca746f13d339a4cc85fe208dc08b17f40%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394805635304427%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7OhkQqZCUdwA4CD4SavfnPy4mq4%2ByYqgsVvwhEw6ZUQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [FEMA Advances Global Climate Resilience Through a Series of Agency Firsts](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.fema.gov%2Fpress-release%2F20231228%2Ffema-advances-global-climate-resilience-through-series-agency-firsts&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce30443b08e0e440663a108dc08b1317f%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394804351695655%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=lgsyfLx2dM5W5Gdf5xz6RMHv7RtB99B2uXsPR3vTN9U%3D&reserved=0)
* [FEMA Releases Directive on Continuity Planning Framework](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHA6Ly93d3cuZmVtYS5nb3Yvc2l0ZXMvZGVmYXVsdC9maWxlcy9kb2N1bWVudHMvZmVtYV9mZWRlcmFsLWNvbnRpbnVpdHktZGlyZWN0aXZlLXBsYW5uaW5nLWZyYW1ld29yay5wZGYiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE5Ljg3MzcwMTkxIn0.xfkrZONDJUm1R2rTpQKHmp5VL4AadlQy8r6F5RPbd80%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F233442936595-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C106254f7e6a04385fa5d08dc00efc6d6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386277043204757%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QhRfr0gdJxwJZEkDOrEg6Ox3TtHZ8YATJGZyQTEnz%2BE%3D&reserved=0)
* FEMA seeks feedback on the draft guide, [“Climate Adaptation Planning for Emergency Managers,”](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L3NpdGVzL2RlZmF1bHQvZmlsZXMvZG9jdW1lbnRzL2ZlbWFfbnBkLWRyYWZ0LWNsaW1hdGUtYWRhcHRhdGlvbi1wbGFubmluZ18yMDIzLnBkZiIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTkuODczNzAxOTEifQ.UsBlBFkDRrw1VMaHWT0FGuyclW1qxq1QEOov2Iyc90U%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F233442936595-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C106254f7e6a04385fa5d08dc00efc6d6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386277043204757%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=Kzcw8oG2oP2V7S0qidY5EGaadBY4eKux2%2B5evbqtmK8%3D&reserved=0) until **Feb. 9, 2024**
* Colorado’s updated [Enhanced State Hazard Mitigation Plan](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcoresiliency.us13.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D1d97570d5b1d9d9b89bf4591b%26id%3D49c7ad41b5%26e%3D1278e580ca&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbd9fc1dcf5b54a916c4808dc02492963%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387760457724385%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=i9FIKVGVOvEER%2FVo%2BnyNogCIE861fAt9%2BydUm9v1EiI%3D&reserved=0) also recently received approval for the second time by FEMA. This plan integrates climate risks and mitigation actions throughout the actions identified. States with Enhanced plans receive an additional 5% in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) funds after a disaster.
* FEMA Webinar Will Discuss How its Grant Equity Threshold Tool Helps Build Better Grant Applications
	+ [Register](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdGVhbXMubWljcm9zb2Z0LmNvbS9yZWdpc3RyYXRpb24vcjd4aktETkVsVXFKM1RBdVN3RlpvUSw4SmtwQ0RyM3dFLTUySGhjSXM4N2dRLHJNcGJfUUVJVEV5UDROUkRfQnh0UVEscTBjUFJPSUo1ME9WVXd2dmJUMnVUUSxSLWd5OGdUZ0owaXR0cGY5UjNvQUZRLGE3THBzRjZtUlVTVUhqWUx4QzB3dnc_bW9kZT1yZWFkJnRlbmFudElkPTI4NjNiY2FmLTQ0MzMtNGE5NS04OWRkLTMwMmU0YjAxNTlhMSZ3ZWJpbmFyUmluZz1nY2MiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjA0Ljg2NTk3NzYxIn0.IgOb2O0kEI-gTneZ1XKiVWSZ5w-cbnZBDG_g5eatydA%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F232190061178-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1e315de322d84c26b62c08dbf51c5b09%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373274380040642%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=6%2F2uLvGESHO616ZmQezrwymbaaPzwEJfWCmJI6XDaU4%3D&reserved=0) for the webinar on Thurs., **Jan. 11, 2024**, from 2-3:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
	+ [Register](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdGVhbXMubWljcm9zb2Z0LmNvbS9yZWdpc3RyYXRpb24vcjd4aktETkVsVXFKM1RBdVN3RlpvUSw4SmtwQ0RyM3dFLTUySGhjSXM4N2dRLHJNcGJfUUVJVEV5UDROUkRfQnh0UVEsSW03bWNad0VpVWlyV2tkVnBoeXdHdyxmR2JlbVBLS2lFbXU3RWZ6RllmUzNRLEtlXzJCVmdpZkVLdGdTTjFaaDBic2c_bW9kZT1yZWFkJnRlbmFudElkPTI4NjNiY2FmLTQ0MzMtNGE5NS04OWRkLTMwMmU0YjAxNTlhMSZ3ZWJpbmFyUmluZz1nY2MiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjA0Ljg2NTk3NzYxIn0.j4CP5HGnO9JQ01NtxCzDRtPxYpXpvArMO7PibyiIiaY%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F232190061178-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1e315de322d84c26b62c08dbf51c5b09%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373274380196876%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=%2FDen8XuaHYxaZKju09QQi%2FqSZgaGtF88y8OW7VX8ln8%3D&reserved=0) for the webinar on Tues., **Jan. 30, 2024**, from 2-3:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
* [FEMA Publishes Resources for Developing BRIC and FMA Grant Applications](https://www.fema.gov/event/bric-and-flood-mitigation-assistance-fiscal-year-2023-funding-opportunities-webinar-series)
* [Hazard Mitigation Partners Workshop](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDEsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2V2ZW50L2hhemFyZC1taXRpZ2F0aW9uLXdvcmtzaG9wLWZlYnJ1YXJ5LTUtOC0yMDI0IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxMy44NzA5MTkxMSJ9._VKiwTOgY537kPjpEsmOOsSayUhc7w54D-ftdQ3f2Hk%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F232980791753-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cdb171e5fcd664851f4f208dbfc292305%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381025854572342%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=s%2FABEIJhC2KnV3HnQTR8cgtWUuC%2BSFl0kpO48ggvnVM%3D&reserved=0) will be held virtually **Feb. 5-8, 2024, from 12:00 – 4:45 p.m. Eastern Time.**
* [FEMA is Offering BRIC Direct Technical Assistance for Communities and Tribal Nations](https://www.fema.gov/grants/mitigation/building-resilient-infrastructure-communities/direct-technical-assistance#instructions) Deadline: **February 29, 2024**
* FEMA (FY) 2023 funding opportunity for [Flood Mitigation Assistance Swift Current](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2dyYW50cy9taXRpZ2F0aW9uL2Zsb29kLW1pdGlnYXRpb24tYXNzaXN0YW5jZS9zd2lmdC1jdXJyZW50IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIwNC44NjU5Nzc2MSJ9.eX_6Kq8Ip4_OrIiuyY25sLrj0QxISXQusCC0RZLuzGs%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F232190061178-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C1e315de322d84c26b62c08dbf51c5b09%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638373274379884297%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=KoXO2tVAjXBt5EylkFXGicnHFfT8PI4I6OuwCflqjNc%3D&reserved=0): $300 million after flood disasters to speed up the delivery of flood mitigation funding for eligible individual flood mitigation projects involving repetitively flooded or substantially damaged properties.
* FEMA and the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) held their eighth tribal consultation with dozens of tribal representatives to discuss the [Tribal Cybersecurity Grant Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2dyYW50cy9wcmVwYXJlZG5lc3MvdHJpYmFsLWN5YmVyc2VjdXJpdHktZ3JhbnQtcHJvZ3JhbSIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzEyMTkuODczNzAxOTEifQ.VsIS_jd64DvOdz-BtHvZ7dQiqVi12M-9R-n8e7I0Yyg%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F233442936595-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C106254f7e6a04385fa5d08dc00efc6d6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386277043204757%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=cIfq2J4rloQjRf6fcOabacNeH8jaOfv3xIU%2BA2Mil7A%3D&reserved=0). The application deadline for Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Tribal Cybersecurity Grant Program is **Wednesday, Jan. 10.**
* FEMA Publishes Resources for Developing BRIC and FMA Grant Applications. These resources can be used to help develop applications for these two FEMA hazard mitigation grants. The application period for both programs closes on **Feb. 29, 2024**.
	+ [BRIC Program Support Material Resources for Fiscal Year 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2dyYW50cy9taXRpZ2F0aW9uL2J1aWxkaW5nLXJlc2lsaWVudC1pbmZyYXN0cnVjdHVyZS1jb21tdW5pdGllcy9yZXNvdXJjZXMiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE5Ljg3MzcwMTkxIn0.zXEwbpKZHpESIBlvq3P0o2vCZ73Z6Z8rqZKuM2CvuCU%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F233442936595-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C106254f7e6a04385fa5d08dc00efc6d6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386277043360970%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=9PKEdvEdgBPT93QDIOGz4paW4%2BTDb6G1v%2FEy%2Ffr8oj4%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Flood Mitigation Assistance Program Support Resources for Fiscal Year 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2dyYW50cy9taXRpZ2F0aW9uL2Zsb29kLW1pdGlnYXRpb24tYXNzaXN0YW5jZS9mbWEtcmVzb3VyY2VzIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM3MDE5MSJ9._wj6zK1t03u_1qjP7QMkgy4jpAsuX40KjAbgY4nsT54%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F233442936595-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C106254f7e6a04385fa5d08dc00efc6d6%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386277043360970%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=TkMzhJdO8z6erlgBU9B5Kv3o%2F5dARO8P8Qd7dvKwyT4%3D&reserved=0)
* Second Round of Funding to Mitigate Repetitive Flooding. The application period opened on November 15th and the last eligible disaster declaration date is **May 31, 2024**. The funding opportunity is available on [Grants.gov](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTksInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmdyYW50cy5nb3YvIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTEyMS44NTk5MDkzMSJ9.F2T49TCqKFZdl6AHCMrgbt_cMrPEu8TBee8L1VtP9XQ%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F231398207689-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C78b5f10d8af14f9e4cc008dbead09168%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638361953766032040%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=S7xJPfPiQimmx0wTyKACUb3zxlbXk1vfpp2HfQSauPc%3D&reserved=0).
* $211M to Fund Dam Safety Grants: The [Rehabilitation of High Hazard Potential Dams](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxNDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2VtZXJnZW5jeS1tYW5hZ2Vycy9yaXNrLW1hbmFnZW1lbnQvZGFtLXNhZmV0eS9yZWhhYmlsaXRhdGlvbi1oaWdoLWhhemFyZC1wb3RlbnRpYWwtZGFtcyIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMzExMTQuODU2MzE2NDEifQ.klVbffMhBYSw8pnwYTJ2hCeo-SffCQKCcrc6Cy2x21g%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F230752813077-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C6841442bfbf34c650b3a08dbe55fe3cd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638355972264401291%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=1JYMD6bbz2jivbOfATghI28YCp3v5Vz8MnoR%2FRiJS1E%3D&reserved=0) program is making about $185 million available and another approximate $26 million available through the [National Dam Safety State Assistance Grant Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxNDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LmZlbWEuZ292L2VtZXJnZW5jeS1tYW5hZ2Vycy9yaXNrLW1hbmFnZW1lbnQvZGFtLXNhZmV0eS9ncmFudHMiLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMTE0Ljg1NjMxNjQxIn0.MaMu8SjMy3n_j3Rig8MRKpgCwRYqLQPoS7ChGIaZvxc%2Fs%2F10033766%2Fbr%2F230752813077-l&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C6841442bfbf34c650b3a08dbe55fe3cd%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638355972264401291%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=IRjshDl6vt8Adx5%2Bo8JKlu38Leld63J5nIC%2BKR8Tz4Y%3D&reserved=0). Due **February 29, 2024**

### **Cyber**

* [Feds look to partner with states to enforce data privacy laws, cyber breaches](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flink.route-fifty.com%2Fclick%2F33654746.28268%2FaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucm91dGUtZmlmdHkuY29tL2RpZ2l0YWwtZ292ZXJubWVudC8yMDIzLzEyL2ZlZHMtbG9vay1wYXJ0bmVyLXN0YXRlcy1lbmZvcmNlLWRhdGEtcHJpdmFjeS1sYXdzLWN5YmVyLWJyZWFjaGVzLzM5MjczNC8_b3JlZj1yZi10b2RheS1ubA%2F542dc73f3b35d0811c8bba13B00fa90c6&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2c8290770780455e7f1b08dbfca9eff2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638381579070305336%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=JqTwZWxNS23%2FXpo70g52IrAZ6ZPNVBpvc4wBYmHvjzw%3D&reserved=0)
* [Two recent cyberattacks on water systems highlight vulnerability of critical infrastructure](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.route-fifty.com%2Fcybersecurity%2F2023%2F12%2Ftwo-recent-cyberattacks-water-systems-highlight-vulnerability-critical-infrastructure%2F392500%2F%3Foref%3Drf-today-nl&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ce6683f31e957444aa4f408dbf6a325ff%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638374952837405995%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=4ZT%2BeGxQvu5y1rfIyKe8e%2BCeMzfDi2U8UW38QSIwpis%3D&reserved=0)

### **Wildfire**

* [2023 was a tragic and bizarre year of wildfires. Will it mark a turning point?](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3D700d4d254a%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C176120e4041049a7cc8f08dc031b78a1%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388663736534737%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=bi3rcgEUejLxGgRmE4KhglZNibXhQYXZn7Ju69M8ykQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [Wilderness and Fire Story Map](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Feepurl.us2.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D5f6de7b069a57255f980944b4%26id%3Dea620f6cad%26e%3D34607e62b5&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C50f1e00382d44788e65d08dbfda3b66e%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382651829834507%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7c5Tsp2YEBKNZk3yZkpmk2w9BbwGqtEjP0flyTIdti0%3D&reserved=0)

**CALIFORNIA**

* [Twenty-year study confirms California forests are healthier when burned—or thinned](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3D157fd411a4%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7a9f425427354e2d46b508dbfdaf6144%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382701938360859%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=uNflHdVnc0VPpksUZr1VmskLmtiXBbI0KXJcLw%2B1QGc%3D&reserved=0)

**NEW MEXICO**

* [New Mexico State Forestry Division sees 'strong response' to new Certified Burn Manager Program](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateforesters.us4.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D2492b27b98fbec5ae0cfbf521%26id%3D88119981f5%26e%3De56d7a4004&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C7a9f425427354e2d46b508dbfdaf6144%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382701938517090%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=z8nRB2TpPH5oS26LK0UUHIJ5HKJoDkhlm7OIJz1CU7U%3D&reserved=0)

## **Aviation**

* Nevada Aviation Association Statewide Conference **March 25-27, 2024**. More information [NvAA](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3De87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d%26id%3Dc028fe8128%26e%3D6edabe5e85&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca09077a404e240ed99dc08dc0b9bb292%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398010547049555%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=UzrenuL6Hckgf53u4rpPwGXHhuP7xt8nft1eoz24WXM%3D&reserved=0)
* Utah Aeronautics Conference **May 20 - 22, 2024**. More Information: [Utah](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fstateaviationjournal.us1.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3De87f320d3afba63a319b38d2d%26id%3Dc850a30207%26e%3D6edabe5e85&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca09077a404e240ed99dc08dc0b9bb292%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638398010547049555%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=9YJlqhBqDE%2BGZeQHDkJUx7ZYyFY2E9Ic878mG1FNmDA%3D&reserved=0)
* [Ogden airport making preparations for return of commercial airline service](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.standard.net%2Fnews%2Fbusiness%2F2023%2Fdec%2F28%2Fogden-airport-making-preparations-for-return-of-commercial-airline-service%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C0f99059371ca445899bc08dc0878ca98%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394562089548765%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=FYVB2kk50NAb3%2B8zdrpaS46QVizlsFcr8M8X%2BmAgnKk%3D&reserved=0)
* [Las Vegas airport officials give overview of expansion by 2037](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001J0u6hvx5Y57ycfn8E3G3sAa3aJxW_yj6C_uyznCDU6gVeCbGKo2dcRAstepAqERtCeY6lOh-7vKcMBMPFoD_mW0gBKRYHgiz7I6YSQPAwhfFJwYuCKlLTT6DcTf56awuL_dniXSOL-kqVS3azJ0kNudamOsUeOlYMQl7QsecWPg5q5MsY4WxfgDHdASQSgV_4AHJVB6DjiplRu2UbomPHpEQWaW7Flx008wAhLt6OMEgrJt6v0NA-43TEHdBxkaH%26c%3D70_u9Enrx8xbdHpueIN5GxcqkmGHx7uzzN8iW6Q9LSKPfyZZPpvFKw%3D%3D%26ch%3DSgc8j6rdUJJ4DybnrILQ1-HsuLuzWAV18iwbBS4J9ZIGVrIu1VyN8w%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C61d301950cdf45d746a708dc06eaed81%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638392853284934215%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=41Isv7MOTAXx8nOaE41%2FoaHDr5xq4INJUvMdc12wc60%3D&reserved=0)
* [Joby, NASA lay groundwork for air taxi integration](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr.smartbrief.com%2Fresp%2FrzhrCTuxcODyvhgpCigmirCicNwjZd%3Fformat%3Dmultipart&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2858dfd48f68455ec67808dc031bc179%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388664954997145%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=6jUlpeYmwJ%2BGckbpV8zfDCdN3VZUdrYTIT2V6mIgUrQ%3D&reserved=0)
* [Autonomous Helicopter](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.foxnews.com%2Ftech%2Fis-this-helicopter-can-fly-itself-answer-to-ending-chopper-crashes&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cad3428579ba34c69b97908dc02fa6eff%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388521826058377%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QOKc8qQMK7ZiUVrQfsKyZELIQnJIUWtUvjPnc%2FnBO0A%3D&reserved=0)
* [Drive American Innovation and Cut Aviation Sector Emissions](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTgsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vaG9tZS50cmVhc3VyeS5nb3YvbmV3cy9wcmVzcy1yZWxlYXNlcy9qeTE5OTg_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5IiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIyMC44NzQ0Mjg4MSJ9.P48l1qx9EIiwCm016XIC86N-a49GC57XH-i24BTeknY%2Fs%2F1420386858%2Fbr%2F233557665926-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc018432510d841491cba08dc01ab1bd9%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387081632955882%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=P1%2Fser%2FFRY9FWYoNYXRxlTKMoEkEOyclWiVXqEOReZw%3D&reserved=0)
* [A 2050 vision for aviation](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr.smartbrief.com%2Fresp%2FrxuQCTuxcODysviRCigmirCicNHNef%3Fformat%3Dmultipart&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Ca2c1be35606648b73cbf08dbfbf69018%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638380808633701229%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=R664nUu8u%2BQnShAyRGgRsPZhzbBnBrV3hwsPjjiWT%2BU%3D&reserved=0)
* [Pilot-free plane in California conducts flight over San Jose: ‘Monumental aviation achievement’](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.foxbusiness.com%2Ftechnology%2Faviation-breakthrough-pilot-free-plane-flies-san-jose&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C5baef07aa4a54fe6da8d08dbf8023aae%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638376460682246884%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=SXL6GBk3OfpQ9pg2reHiB7s91NWuO3YvcYb9rCe3Avg%3D&reserved=0)
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* [Catalyzing Sustainable Transportation Through Federal Travel](https://www.whitehouse.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/M-24-05-Catalyzing-Sustainable-Transportation-Through-Federal-Travel.pdf)
* [Best Practices Guide](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.bia.gov%2Fsites%2Fdefault%2Ffiles%2Fdup%2Finline-files%2F2023.07.17_draft_sacred_sites_best_practices_guide_for_consultation.pdf&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C4b54fcbc73034ea3764408dbfa6fe8fa%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638379130786647074%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=wJkpmRa%2B1Ilc6fT4OsImEsW9CjAPhEMi4ZY6Q2muD%2FA%3D&reserved=0) for Federal Agencies Regarding Tribal and Native Hawaiian Sacred Sites
* Our Trust Responsibilities and Promote the Next Era of Tribal Self-Determination
* **White House Tribal Nations Summit**
	+ Presidential Executive Order to Reform Federal Funding for Tribes and Underscore Respect for Tribal Nations’ Sovereignty and Autonomy. View the [White House fact sheet](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndoaXRlaG91c2UuZ292L2JyaWVmaW5nLXJvb20vc3RhdGVtZW50cy1yZWxlYXNlcy8yMDIzLzEyLzA2L2ZhY3Qtc2hlZXQtcHJlc2lkZW50LWJpZGVuLXNpZ25zLWhpc3RvcmljLWV4ZWN1dGl2ZS1vcmRlci10by11c2hlci1pbi10aGUtbmV4dC1lcmEtb2YtdHJpYmFsLXNlbGYtZGV0ZXJtaW5hdGlvbi8iLCJidWxsZXRpbl9pZCI6IjIwMjMxMjE5Ljg3MzU4NjAxIn0.mpBpqSNoxkkKner4ODP3J4ztzM8vpmgMm4W2fU7N6Fg%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=GJNtq7MLfROJkSUJ3w%2FyTR0y7bts3d%2FkLpZJQnAH2PA%3D&reserved=0) for more information or review the full [Executive Order](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndoaXRlaG91c2UuZ292L2JyaWVmaW5nLXJvb20vcHJlc2lkZW50aWFsLWFjdGlvbnMvMjAyMy8xMi8wNi9leGVjdXRpdmUtb3JkZXItb24tcmVmb3JtaW5nLWZlZGVyYWwtZnVuZGluZy1hbmQtc3VwcG9ydC1mb3ItdHJpYmFsLW5hdGlvbnMtdG8tYmV0dGVyLWVtYnJhY2Utb3VyLXRydXN0LXJlc3BvbnNpYmlsaXRpZXMtYW5kLXByb21vdGUtdGhlLW5leHQtZXJhLW9mLXRyaWJhbC1zZWxmLWRldGVybWluYXRpb24vIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.pzs3v5nWgA6x5lYmyBgs6sN9p5cKYFbkD4M-0vwH1kc%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=O16PSiWB6ii8gqqXxxNe9Qep%2FwDkfbpb5Fh1%2BNC3%2Bvc%3D&reserved=0).
	+ Tribal Leader Videos: The White House also shared testimonial videos from Tribal Leaders related to this Executive Order:
		- [Navajo Nation](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdHdpdHRlci5jb20vV2hpdGVIb3VzZS9zdGF0dXMvMTczMjkzOTQ0NzIxNjM0MTMzMj9zPTIwIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.HraIwcNwSc9XviBcZxEsnmx0T4lJai7lWLWX11DZirc%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=hr48M8gJkhrlAGM2iGJq1e0%2Bm4Pqoyz5rZGFD7mszwY%3D&reserved=0)
		- [Bishop Paiute Tribe](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDYsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdHdpdHRlci5jb20vV2hpdGVIb3VzZS9zdGF0dXMvMTczMjk1MDgyNjk0MTkyNzQzMD9zPTIwIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.9EOKDvQEjUkJKZzea-zAJSbD_6UHaKrq50Z7DvBO_Ic%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=gAFIWF7aGPYqxG4Vn4SMsscUCSqJBfANzm7q8wLTeO4%3D&reserved=0)
		- [Pechanga Band of Indians](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsInVybCI6Imh0dHBzOi8vdHdpdHRlci5jb20vV2hpdGVIb3VzZS9zdGF0dXMvMTczMjk2MzM5OTU2MTAwMzI0NT9zPTIwIiwiYnVsbGV0aW5faWQiOiIyMDIzMTIxOS44NzM1ODYwMSJ9.rUNIbkJHdifkxj413APH_Vvwlc_sC871JN_iISyPdAw%2Fs%2F3018745949%2Fbr%2F233425293812-l&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2116a7ac6f164dfb13a108dc00b2a021%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638386014403358182%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=cWeDfSTi%2B0T%2B88ib9RlvCjSmFm%2FdQVW8U6U%2BVSxNThE%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [2023 Progress Report for Tribal Nations](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whitehouse.gov%2Fwp-content%2Fuploads%2F2023%2F12%2F2023.12.04-TNS-Progress-Report.pdf&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C946c98fbd1be47f173b808dbfa6ff82f%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638379131156025655%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=N8nW4zgI11fk3ElwTF%2FOE%2BwQ6Z4OKpvCsiweMprw7tk%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Remarks by President Biden at the White House Tribal Nations Summit](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whitehouse.gov%2Fbriefing-room%2Fspeeches-remarks%2F2023%2F12%2F06%2Fremarks-by-president-biden-at-the-white-house-tribal-nations-summit-2%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C2e8c1a25e6964232f54b08dbfa5e1731%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379054253128733%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5mysfbdqInUWsB2CaYsDJ4u6Hnk41sgRI5CyShp0Y7k%3D&reserved=0)
	+ [Executive Order on Reforming Federal Funding and Support for Tribal Nations to Better Embrace](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whitehouse.gov%2Fbriefing-room%2Fpresidential-actions%2F2023%2F12%2F06%2Fexecutive-order-on-reforming-federal-funding-and-support-for-tribal-nations-to-better-embrace-our-trust-responsibilities-and-promote-the-next-era-of-tribal-self-determination%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C9845fba8a3ef4e03bff108dbfa5e0600%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379053960937896%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=EdOKGD7kOs%2B8oDeteFosxya5TkBs9uxVt0QAU5UqmzY%3D&reserved=0)

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* [White House Council on Native American Affairs Takes Steps to Increase Access to Capital Across Indian Country](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDOI/bulletins/37e8a78)
* [Interior Department Strengthens Public-Private Partnerships to Benefit Indian Country](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDOI/bulletins/37e6795)
* [This Year at Interior 2023](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DXcmg2huffgQ&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C3e89a4def3ae48b0d5c608dc03250b8c%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638388704848649574%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5ygoh0YQntQnIud45QNc%2B8IlJr1%2FHekerI2Au3381oU%3D&reserved=0)
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* [Administration Opens Applications for Over $9 Billion in Funding to Modernize Nation’s Bridges](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fhighways.dot.gov%2Fnewsroom%2Fbiden-harris-administration-opens-applications-over-9-billion-funding-modernize-nations&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C3590779722dc496ea41108dc0232b9a2%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387664091876414%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=kHTceeKkHYj9Z8Vd2oYvvZTyTN9279DLZMPeWh6PrA0%3D&reserved=0)
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* [Arizona governor deploys the National Guard to help reopen the Lukeville port of entry](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001m5mwt9uTa8lWaKE9kr11nX9Mc0SiqPmpiRrH925xzkoC5DgTvFC2_wTynjXq6ebll_jLrFkwy5lCZi84dN7lTnBA8DNOqKfxLLQBe1JZxjpFWnGr0BIK-_awv69k1WOuRZg9X68JGTUMZGgEA16SfI9e9uBFTcJlBZGTrt8nSsX71a-IECMffMwSj7lJ9zhc6KXVD-J2tzuG5l88bLJX_awWVmrvZvoSuKCXYI3iGsev8kw75ZjgvaXQNgS3G0SC%26c%3DulXLy1YySL_U-rSpJn940E21WA_0B2oUPis9augE0rKG1HEkkvF6-A%3D%3D%26ch%3DEqJ_ewzh-ff8AjQOM2RsHrxVJ_w83heUl4uWoqcpmSbIl1nXVtvb1w%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C6cdeaa36111748f453d908dbffd43e9a%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C1%7C638385059300694244%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=sZFVREKbSipQZ9mVjl0gagA86VW7m4p4699Wakvo65U%3D&reserved=0)

### **caLIFORNIA**

* [California’s budget troubles are unique—at least for now](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.route-fifty.com%2Ffinance%2F2023%2F12%2Fcalifornias-budget-troubles-are-unique-least-now%2F392616%2F%3Foref%3Drf-today-nl&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C34bfb85ab686475be10d08dbfa5522ce%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638379015789106639%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=j4zPsHw5wJj7xGOeBq8lDzAZ0elsgE45aNNMnQi%2FObU%3D&reserved=0)
* [California Transportation Commission awards over $300 million to climate change resiliency](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.lakeconews.com%2Fnews%2Fregional%2F77317-california-transportation-commission-awards-over-300-million-to-climate-change-resiliency&data=05%7C01%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cd06d440af5b54508b8b908dbf8014659%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638376456588753725%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=HyqltqRLah6zbOGUnOSxdvFKQKPE62Nz4dnPrT0ZUd4%3D&reserved=0)

### **colorado**

* [Governor Polis Announces Technical Assistance Program for Local Governments, Tribes, and Special Districts](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.colorado.gov%2Fgovernor%2Fnews%2F11261-governor-polis-announces-technical-assistance-program-local-governments-tribes-and&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cc0275325db864f7f0eb408dc093f8787%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638395415689619624%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=vxbiBG8Y0S%2FEQtoTsLnKDmf7VDn8NNNutvjFTxQutww%3D&reserved=0)
* [Economic Forecast Shows Continued Strong Economic Growth in Colorado](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.colorado.gov%2Fgovernor%2Fnews%2F11231-economic-forecast-shows-continued-strong-economic-growth-colorado&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=zdmgHO3MrAkG55IO%2BaB5pcextjCdLng%2BZBWSzAo4C9s%3D&reserved=0)
* [Governor Polis Leads Five Other States in Urging the Federal Government to Create the Space National Guard](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.colorado.gov%2Fgovernor%2Fnews%2F11091-governor-polis-leads-five-other-states-urging-federal-government-create-space-national&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493475123%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=DJpMGN54fV749gE2nNC6UyP3fcO%2FxnEhyeZ0EBkg24Y%3D&reserved=0)
* [2024 Virtual Colorado Resiliency Summit](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcoresiliency.us13.list-manage.com%2Ftrack%2Fclick%3Fu%3D1d97570d5b1d9d9b89bf4591b%26id%3Db2edefb021%26e%3D1278e580ca&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7Cbd9fc1dcf5b54a916c4808dc02492963%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638387760457724385%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=YAosSW99V1XevgyPCFFjqHGnzxxg5Mb0P0afkiAwAvE%3D&reserved=0) **January 25, 2024**, 1:00 pm-3:30 pm MST

### **Nevada**

* [Governor Lombardo Announces Chief of Staff Transition](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fgov.nv.gov%2FNewsroom%2FPRs%2F2023%2F2023-12-27_Governor_Lombardo_Announces_Chief_of_Staff_Transition%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493631441%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=MdQsw6RqOW0c2AekZYUYJrt4HGGWFDjPSt6RnsC9F24%3D&reserved=0)

### **New Mexico**

* [Governor names Josett D. Monette as new Indian Affairs Department secretary – James R. Mountain to serve as senior policy advisor to the governor](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.governor.state.nm.us%2F2023%2F12%2F15%2Fgovernor-names-josett-d-monette-as-new-indian-affairs-department-secretary-james-r-mountain-to-serve-as-senior-policy-advisor-to-the-governor%2F&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C589291c3be094f17c11708dc089762e0%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638394693493631441%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=N7%2Be034yu8gkMgE6J8xoF91ML7OwWtHuiMw5fj6oDT4%3D&reserved=0)

### **WGA**

* [Check out the highlight video from WGA's 2023 Winter Meeting in Jackson Hole](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00168pDG22NJcL9XJgmMB5d9HBignWie5dvPkTfswZwF2mmR8ZtIH1wRUSxtLgeB2TQk2kxJnvGh06F_vumFUyKfh984BAZ_WiR-WGgxk8l_LAQ3zq7_Efn-HDKXYFfRISHL3o1PJqY-yzelNlOtS0IVKtEWurJZU6tOFYSKY1SszM%3D%26c%3D8yOm5y0l6l1tAt9pNnBGPQubq_-xBJuarHDtGLOaWQL-lrvb7-ohWw%3D%3D%26ch%3DFQSesz2hsd3w0lbgy21AQQgcKzKetgS4IzqLV3G5snszameKuOz9SA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C39d13ae1391445e622de08dbfd851274%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382520209258388%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=XFpB6cEtG2SIgUnc1gKi4MVeRqm8IClYdgtiP6SbBGU%3D&reserved=0)
* [2024 Western Governors' Leadership Institute](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D00168pDG22NJcL9XJgmMB5d9HBignWie5dvPkTfswZwF2mmR8ZtIH1wRVt_mDvGv6Trb2W-acL-hCiiAFQh_8c6u77xWo5bphc2iSHNZVXoigywP8MSQwfBm7UELhQ_t8L0kHDyGdz-BnwHHyU6p7_xUzSIEOnLHai0GHmkM_vQUobXEFPXF32ltyRyn0jduplgvZGl6Y3jgPuBqgdH1X7yNrfrF8qXFjy2%26c%3D8yOm5y0l6l1tAt9pNnBGPQubq_-xBJuarHDtGLOaWQL-lrvb7-ohWw%3D%3D%26ch%3DFQSesz2hsd3w0lbgy21AQQgcKzKetgS4IzqLV3G5snszameKuOz9SA%3D%3D&data=05%7C02%7Cmichelle.bell%40ag.tamu.edu%7C39d13ae1391445e622de08dbfd851274%7C9fd7580a64724d9ca142d131d3a7a116%7C0%7C0%7C638382520209258388%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=bPrtseso6K3tb2mc7ZoqQ0HbF%2FFPFzE%2B3ZgBJ54qKFI%3D&reserved=0). Applications are due by **February 16.**