

ESSRP SJF Hot Links - July 6, 2026

Welcome

[It's time to scale up life in space.](#)

[Watch Ariel Ekblaw's TED Talk](#)

What is the ESSRP

[Eastern Sierra Sustainable Recreation Partnership \(ESSRP\)](#)

[Review the critical documents of the Eastern Sierra Sustainable Recreation Partnership](#)

Origin Story

[Inyo National Forest Land Management Plan](#)

[Eastern Sierra Recreation Collaborative](#)

Sierra Works

[Sierra Works: Discover](#)

Welcomes, Giving Thanks, and Farewells

Welcome

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[Building Informal Relationships with Native Nations and Communities](#)

[American Indigenous Tourism Conference](#)

[The Original Original mark](#)

California Tribal News

[California returns stretch of coast to Indigenous tribes. 'This is beyond huge'](#)

[The Klamath Tribes couldn't get federal dollars for salmon. Then the Yurok stepped in](#)

SNC Board Meeting

[September 2 & 3, 2026](#)

Allie Larman

[Introducing Sierra Jobs First Interview Process](#)

Happenings of Interest for Eastern Sierra Recreation Regional

Action Alerts and Updates

Sierra RICA

[Feedback Tool](#)

[REMINDER! COMPLETE BY 7/6](#)

Major Overhaul of Federal Grant Rules

[NACO: OMB Proposes Major Overhaul of Federal Grant Rules](#)

As a valued partner of the Inyo NF, you may be interested in the OMB proposed changes to the federal financial assistance. [OMB has published in the Federal Register a proposed rule to amend 2 CFR part 200. The proposed rule is available here.](#)

[Following is a selection of significant proposed changes that OCFO would like to ensure broad awareness of:](#)

2 CFR 200.204

Requirement for all discretionary awards, including noncompetitive awards, to be issued pursuant to a NOFO

2 CFR 200.201(b) and 2 CFR 200.333

Prohibition of the issuance of fixed amount awards and subawards unless otherwise authorized by statute

2 CFR 200.329

New performance monitoring requirements for recipients and the Federal awarding agency

2 CFR 200.341

Creation of an option to issue a stop work order

2 CFR 200.421

Imposing significant limitations on advertising and marketing costs.

Golden Mussels

[6 boats caught attempting to launch illegally onto Lake Tahoe](#)

[Invasive golden mussels intercepted at Lake Tahoe](#)

[California scales back golden mussel safeguards at vital reservoir, alarming experts](#)

[California's waterways could get clogged by a problem that didn't exist two years ago](#)

['No point of return': Calif. won't keep golden mussels from second-largest reservoir](#)

[Invasive mussels found in and around Port of West Sacramento, CA officials say](#)

[Golden mussels found on boat headed to Lake Tahoe, inspectors say](#)

[Inspectors intercept vessel laden with invasive species at Tahoe](#)

[Inspectors stop invasive golden mussels from entering Lake Tahoe](#)

Climate

[Why Scientists Retired the Dire Climate Scenario Used for Over a Decade](#)

ESCOG Co-LAB Preview - Ken Etzel

[Eastern Sierra Council of Governments](#)

[ESCOG Co-LAB Summit Registration](#)

[About The Summit](#)

[Co-LAB Agenda](#)

Eastern Sierra Council of Governments

[The Eastern Sierra Council of Governments Website](#)

[Co-LAB Summit 2026](#)

Catalyst Projects

[Chipmunk Canyon Trails Existing Conditions Analysis](#)

[Chipmunk Canyon Trail System User Survey](#)

[The Public Input Map provides an opportunity to share location specific input to inform the Chipmunk Canyon Phase 1 Study.](#)

[Eastern Sierra Recreation Collaborative](#)

[Agriculture Study - First Results](#)

[Regional Housing Needs Study](#)

What We Do

[Sustainable Outdoor Recreation and Ecosystem Management \(SREMP\) Program](#)

General Interest

[Can A.I. Help Us Save Nature?](#)

[Resilient California Summit](#)

[Call For Proposals](#)

[Northern California roadside staple Ikeda's tops list of best pie shops in US](#)

[Growing Stewardship Economies](#)

[Glacier National Park's best loophole is a car-free delight](#)

['Obscenely damaging': Video catches off-roader in California's ancient forest](#)

[Man falls into vault toilet in Fresno County trying to rescue sunglasses](#)

Long Distance Trails

Bay Area Ridge Trail

[Bay Area Ridge Trail](#)

[Bay Area Ridge Trail Council selects Kirsten Saenz Tobey as Executive Director.](#)

Lost Sierra

[California's next great trail system is taking shape — and it could transform these forgotten towns](#)

Explore Act

[Interior Seeks Nominations for Long-Distance Biking Trails on Public Lands](#)

Towns to Trails

[BOLT Report FINAL - Web Ready Low Resolution](#)

Wildlife

Wild Horses

[Inyo Wild Horse Gather Starts July 8](#)

[About the Montgomery Pass Wild Horse Territory](#)

Bears

[Man fights off bear with a hatchet in Mammoth Lakes](#)

[California couple use hatchet, water bottle to fight off bear attack in Mammoth Lakes](#)

[Bear claws 19-year-old's face and chest through window of Crestline home](#)

[Two Yellowstone hikers seriously injured in suspected grizzly bear attack](#)

[275-pound bear causes stir at Hansen Dam, runs from rangers but conks out on a wall](#)

Lake Tahoe

Lake Tahoe Recreation

[The Western States ® 100-Mile Endurance Run](#)

[Public is invited to attend a ribbon cutting to celebrate opening of new segment of the Martis Valley Trail](#)

[Tahoe's plan to solve Emerald Bay's traffic headaches is working](#)

[Mining Cell Phone Data to Create a Multimodal Transportation Plan for Lake Tahoe](#)

[Planning on the Cellular LevelInyo NF](#)

California

Outdoors for All

[The Trailblazer](#)

State Parks

[California parks are cracking down on campsite no-shows. What campers need to know](#)

Geology

[The 'earthquake gate' stopping a San Andreas disaster is under its highest stress in 1,000 years](#)

USDA

[USDA subpoenas California Department of Social Services for SNAP participant data](#)

SNC

[The SNC awards new wildfire resilience and recreation grants; starts two new grant programs](#)

Recreation

['Monumental' deal will bring new hiking trail to California's forbidden waterfall](#)

[Trump admin axes ties to dozens of progressive groups in 'direct opposition' to mission: 'Decisive action'](#)

Wildfire Taskforce

Action Plan Update

[Action Plan Webinars](#)

[Task Force Releases Draft Five-Year Wildfire and Landscape Resilience Action Plan](#)

[The Action Plan is a comprehensive strategy for the Governor's Task Force.](#)

[SB 899: Fire prevention: Wildfire and Forest Resilience Task Force: wildfire smoke.](#)

CA Wildfire

[Stanford study finds surprising upside of prescribed burns](#)

[Senate Bill 973: Advancing California's Wildfire County Coordinator Program](#)

[American Indigenous Tourism Association: Webinars & Presentations](#)

[American Indigenous Tourism Association: Partner Programs](#)

E-Recreation

Vehicles

[Used EV sales surge in US car market strained by \\$200 gas bills](#)

[The past is present in Trump's EV assault](#)

[Will Anyone Buy This Cheap EV Truck With Hand-Crank Windows and No Radio?](#)

Biking (et al)

[California's new Hells Angels: Teens on e-bikes cut a path of danger](#)

[Tahoe National Forest E-Bike Trail Designation](#)

[E-bikes bring both bad and good, but one greatly outweighs the other](#)

Federal and National

Recreation Data

[FY 2024 Interagency Recreation Visitation Data Report](#)

[Interior Releases First-Ever Interagency Recreation Visitation Report and Announces Nationwide Pilot Projects to Improve Recreation-Use Management](#)

Ski Industry

[How the Great Salt Lake's Collapse Could Rewrite Skiing in the West](#)

[SkiCo execs paint uncertain future, describe reinvestment as at risk](#)

[Vail Resorts Cuts Outlook Again as Low Snowfall Weighs on Visits](#)

[Cottonwood Fire burns through Utah ski resort, now 'most destructive' in state history, Cox says](#)

[Cottonwood Fire might set cost records after destroying southern Utah resort, Cox says](#)

[Cottonwood Fire Most Destructive In Utah's History. Gov Says More Than 100 Properties Affected. Also, Lack Of Water On A Wildfire Causes Concern](#)

[Governor Newsom announces deployment of California firefighters and equipment to Colorado, as sister state battles wildfires](#)

Hunters and Anglers

[The Single-Issue Solution](#)

Trails

[Deer Valley now charges for pedal-up access to DH trails, with funds helping to maintain trails](#)

[A new NEPA process could make trail approval faster, but it may come at a cost](#)

Legislation in Committee

[Mike Lee sets markup of energy, land, wildfire bills](#)

[House Natural Resources to vote on public land, wildlife bills](#)

GAOA

[Senate leaves without passing Outdoors Act reauthorization](#)

[Momentum sputters for Outdoors Act reauthorization](#)

[Lawmakers move on Outdoors Act reauthorization](#)

[Natural Resources schedules markup on Outdoors Act reauthorization](#)

[Westerman, Huffman pitch Outdoors Act revamp](#)

Staffing

[Trump signs order moving thousands of federal employees into Schedule F](#)

[Most Americans think government workers are competent and should be nonpartisan, according to recent surveys](#)

Roadless Rule

[Lee prepares amendment to fell roadless rule](#)

[Sen. Mike Lee targets the Roadless Rule](#)

[BREAKING: Mike Lee Moves to Kill the Roadless Rule Permanently](#)

[States may be caught in crosshairs of forest rule repeal](#)

Public Lands

[Oregon Lawsuit Could Upend Federal Management of Public Lands](#)

[Conservationists Appeal Trump Admin's Plan to Evict Bison from Montana Public Land](#)

RE:Public

[Homepage](#)

[The Salami Strategy](#)

[Undoing T.R.'S Legacy](#)

DOI/NPS

LCWF Funding

[Going to a National Park This Summer? Here's What to Expect.](#)

[Department of the Interior Announces \\$461 Million for Parks and Outdoor Recreation across America](#)

Parks

[BREAKING: Appeals Court Lets Trump Keep Stripping National Park History](#)

[Judge orders Trump administration to restore signs changed at national parks](#)

[Judge Dismisses Lawsuit by Ranger Who Hung Trans Pride Flag at Yosemite](#)

Monuments

[House appropriators bicker over Trump's arch](#)

Policy

[Interior Department Moves to Relax Rules for Drilling on Public Lands](#)

USDA

Grazing

[USDA Issues Directive to Restore Grazing on National Forest Lands and Strengthen Support for America's Ranchers](#)

USFS

Recreation

[Where's the \(Legal\) Beef or Brief?: New York Times Piece on Leaked USDA Memo](#)

[U.S. Forest Service to Open Millions of Acres to Off-Road Vehicles, Memo Shows](#)

[Political hires break with tradition at the Forest Service](#)

[Forest Service announces proposed pilot projects to enhance recreation monitoring](#)

Reorganization

[Trump official fires back at Dems on Forest Service reorganization](#)

[The US government is pillaging our national forests from within](#)

Climate

4-Jul

[Trump's record-setting July 4 fireworks could shower the city with pollution](#)
[July 4th: The Hottest Month Is Getting Hotter After 250 Years of Climate Change](#)

Europe

[See How Europe's Heat Waves Melted the Alps' Glaciers](#)
['This is climate change': European heat wave impossible without warming, scientists say](#)

California

[Trump admin in 'active dialogue' on strategic petroleum reserve in California](#)

Alternative Energy

[DOE restores federal funding for Nevada lithium mine](#)
[The Tiny Solar Panel That Could Change America](#)

Weather

[El Niño is here — and likely to be historic. Here's how California will be impacted](#)
[El Nino forms, expected to strengthen, say NOAA forecasters](#)
[NOAA Officially Declares El Niño Is Here and Flashing Danger Signs](#)

Colorado River

[The Colorado River Math Problem](#)
['This is terrifying': The Colorado River, a lifeline for seven states, is drying up at its source](#)

ClimateWire

[Supreme Court energy wins set up a blockbuster climate fight](#)
[Spain saw record heat deaths for June after temperature spike in Europe](#)
['We are screwed': People near data centers dread heat wave pollution.](#)
[World Bank drops climate finance target amid US pressure](#)
[Greece fights poisonous pufferfish invasion fueled by warming waters](#)
['More people die in the winter': Wright downplays Europe's deadly heat wave](#)
[Trump fuels unprecedented wave of climate lawsuits, report finds](#)
[Greece bets on space technology to contain wildfires](#)

New York Times

[Climate and Environment](#)

SRTI Climate and Recreation Analysis

[Welcome to Climate Adaptation & Resilience](#)

Sierra Jobs First: Recreation and Tourism Sector

SJF Recreation and Tourism Working Group

June 15, 2026 Meeting - “Arts, Culture & Placemaking”

[June 15 Meeting Recap](#)

[Working Group and Activation Plan](#)

[Recreation & Tourism Working Group Meeting Recaps](#)

Placemaking

[Helping civic leaders plan, build, and promote vibrant Main Streets, destination-quality parks, trails & recreation areas.](#)

[A Comprehensive Strategic Plan For California’s Creative Sector](#)

Final Meeting - July 20 “Sierra RICA Review”

[Working Group and Activation Plan](#)

Catalyst Project Updates

[Mono County/Cerro Coso internship program ‘SOARs’](#)

Statewide

[Governor Newsom announces \\$1.3 billion in new private investment, creating thousands of new jobs in key industries across California](#)

Funding Opportunities

[Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Program](#)

[Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Program Round 1 Grant Awards](#)

[AllTrails Stewards Fund Application](#)

[Tapping Tourism Revenue to Fuel Investment in Communities](#)

Recreation and Tourism Industry Sector Coordinators

MLTPA Web Pages

Sierra Jobs First - ISC Rec and Tourism - MLTPA

[Sierra Jobs First - Coordinator](#)

Sierra Business Council SJF Webpages

[Sierra Jobs First Web Page](#)

Transition & Future Planning

[Transition & Future Planning Overview](#)

California Jobs First: Statewide Cohort of Practice

California Outdoor Economy Summit June 3 - 5

[California Outdoor Economy Summit - Join the Inaugural Outdoor Economy Summit](#)

[Post Summit Resources](#)

[From Orick To Garberville: A New Vision For California's Outdoor Economy \(Guest Column\)](#)

[I Walked These Redwoods a Dozen Times Before I Found the Grove of Titans](#)

Statewide Cohort Meeting June 12

Presentations From Blue Sky Center And The Mariposa Arts Council

Arts and Culture

[Welcome to Blue Sky Center](#)

[Cuyama Futures](#)

Mariposa County

[The Mariposa Creek Parkway restoration project](#)

[Wakaalætti': Our Creek – Restoring Land, Healing Community](#)

[Mariposa County: Mariposa Creek Parkway](#)

Symposium of Practice

[Recreation and Tourism Cohort](#)

State Cohort RICA

Coming Soon

Eastern Sierra Sustainable Outdoor Recreation - Regional Projects

MLTPA Foundation

[The Mammoth Lakes Trails & Public Access Foundation](#)

Eastern Sierra Campground Improvement Project

[Innovative Finance for National Forests Program](#)

[SRTI: Eastern Sierra Campground Improvements](#)

[Triad/Holmes Associates](#)

[John Northmore Roberts & Associates](#)

Recreate Responsibly California

[Recreate Responsibly California](#)

CALREC Vision

Joint Strategy for Sustainable Outdoor Recreation and Wildfire Resilience

[From ashes to action: How Paradise, CA is using recreation areas to reduce wildfire risks](#)

[Adopt It Now!](#)

[California's Joint Strategy for Sustainable Outdoor Recreation & Wildfire Resilience](#)

[Regional Forester's Honor Award for Partnership of the Year from the U.S. Forest Service](#)

[CALREC Vision: Cross-Jurisdictional Collaboration to Advance Sustainable Outdoor Recreation in California](#)

CALED

[CALED Rural Economic Development Exchange](#)

Visitor Connection Program

[Connection to the Eastern Sierra Visitor Audience](#)

[Visitor Connection Package](#)

[Visitor Connection Strategy](#)

Eastern Sierra Wildfire Alliance (ESWA)

[Eastern Sierra Wildfire Alliance](#)

ESWA Updates

[ESWA Project Database Submissions Now Open](#)

Whitebark Institute

[Whitebark Institute](#)

Eastern Sierra Climate & Communities Resilience Project (ESCCRP)

[Eastern Sierra Climate and Communities Resilience Project](#)

ESSRP Schedule

Move the September 7 meeting to August 31