

Environmental Day, Wolves, Act on Forests and Climate!



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October 2, 2026

Hi Friends!

First of all, please mark your calendar for **February 11th, 2027 for Environmental Day at the Capitol**. We will have more details and an RSVP link

soon, but plan for an event from roughly 9AM until 2PM. Also note that we are hoping to have buses from Tucson and Yuma again as well.

Next up, don't forget that the Trump Administration is continuing its attacks on our public lands, including on the Roadless Area Conservation Rule. Please take action below to support keeping the rule intact to protect unfragmented wildlife habitat and areas adjoining rivers and streams, among other unroaded forests. **The comment deadline is October 6th.**

Wolves, like many things we care about, are under attack too. Join some of our state's youth in speaking up for wolves on October 14th. See details below.

Finally, Trump's Environmental Protection Agency is seeking to undo more climate protections by eliminating the Endangerment Finding for power plants and to prohibit the agency from acting in the future to limit greenhouse gas emissions. See below as well and take action.

Many thanks!



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If you have any questions, reach out to sandy.bahr@sierraclub.org.

Act to Protect Our National Forests!



More than 1.1 million acres of our undeveloped forests in Arizona will be at risk, including in the Santa Rita Mountains, Lime Creek in the Tonto National Forest, Chevelon Canyon, and Black River Canyon, among other locations, if the Roadless Conservation Rule is repealed.

The Roadless Rule was created by the Forest Service because it was ecologically critical, fiscally responsible, and overwhelmingly popular. Now this administration is repealing it citing fire concerns and timber value -- but neither of those justifications stands up to scrutiny. And on the flip side, we need unfragmented wildlife habitat more than ever.

We want to continue to demonstrate how popular this policy is, and to raise more awareness about it, by submitting even more comments to the administration than last year. **Comment by October 6th!**

To see a map of affected forest areas, go here.

📣 **Join your voice with thousands of others by submitting your comment today!**

Take Action for Our Forests!

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Wednesday, October 14, 2026
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
AZ State Capitol
1700 W. Washington St.
House Lawn
Phoenix

This is part of the "Students Teach" Campaign!
Join the students as they educate the public about the importance of our wildlife and the role they play in our ecosystems!

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We will be meeting on the House lawn at the Arizona Capitol. RSVP to make sure you get updates.

RSVP for Wolves Here!

Tell the EPA to do its Job by Protecting us from Power Plant Pollution!



Clear skies over the Cholla power plant with no coal or gas burning.

This summer – the hottest on record in the U.S. – there was more extreme heat and for us in Arizona we saw the hottest March on record, not to mention the extreme drought and reduced flows in the Colorado River. Donald Trump and his Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Administrator Lee Zeldin are doubling down on this harm by striking down limits on power plants, one of the largest sources of climate-change causing pollutants. They are ignoring scientific consensus and abandoning the EPA’s core mission. Adding insult to injury, they are trying to block future administrations from reversing the damage and doing anything to limit carbon pollution.

Tell the EPA to reverse course and start doing its job by protecting the environment and putting the health of people in this country ahead of the billionaire polluters.

Take action below!

Act on Climate!