

Wildfire solutions film to show at North Columbia Schoolhouse

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Film still

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Wildfires are becoming a global issue, and California is one of the places that is hit the hardest because of its dry climate. We discovered that in the face of the imminent danger, communities, and organizations that were opponents in the past are coming together to find innovative solutions. They are forming large scale unprecedented partnerships that have adopted cutting edge solutions implementing the latest data models along with Native American ecological knowledge. If they are successful, this can influence work around the world. However, it will take every one of us to solve the wildfire issue. Be informed, be involved, be part of the conversation and part of the solution.

The film is based on interviews with leading experts from state, federal, and grassroots organizations, water agencies, community partnerships, and so on.

Located just 20 miles from downtown Nevada City on the San Juan Ridge, at 17894 Tyler Foote Road, the North Columbia Schoolhouse Cultural Center draws visitors from all over the region. Popular annual events include Valentine Erotique, the Autumn Shindig, and the nationally renowned Sierra Storytelling Festival. A calendar of events can be found on the center’s website: northcolumbiaschoolhouse.org.
