

EARTHJUSTICE

2016 ANNUAL REPORT

Our
MISSION

Earthjustice is the premier nonprofit public interest environmental law organization. We wield the power of law and the strength of partnership to protect people's health; to preserve magnificent places and wildlife; to advance clean energy; and to combat climate change.

We are here
BECAUSE THE EARTH NEEDS A GOOD LAWYER.

Earthjustice attorney Tom Waldo in
Alaska's Tongass National Forest

THANK YOU

A Letter from Our President and Board Chair

Clean air, clean water, thriving communities, a vibrant, healthy natural world—these are things that most of us hold dear. Regardless of the political party we support, we cherish our rich natural heritage and strive to make the world a better place for our children. Political winds change, but these shared values—values that drive our work here at Earthjustice—stand the test of time. These are the fights we cannot afford to lose.

Thanks to your support, Earthjustice made substantial progress in fiscal year 2016. As you will read in these pages, together we won key victories in each of our programs. We protected the wild with our fight to restore wild salmon to the Columbia and Snake Rivers in the Pacific Northwest and our efforts to put the brakes on a sprawling resort complex that threatened the Grand Canyon. With our partners and allies, we made major steps toward addressing the climate crisis, blocking a massive coal strip mine in Montana and coal export facilities on the West Coast, and defeating attacks on renewable energy while winning clean energy advances across the country. And we secured better protections for communities living in the toxic shadow of oil refineries and made significant progress in getting some of the most dangerous pesticides off the market. None of this would be possible without you.

Justice, for people and the environment, is a passion that compels us to address our society's environmental and health disparities through our legal work. But to fully realize justice and achieve our mission, we must also change from within: Like much of the environmental movement, Earthjustice does not yet fully reflect the rich diversity of our nation. Recognizing this, in fall 2015 we welcomed Charles Lopez as Earthjustice's first vice president of diversity and inclusion. He'll lead our efforts to enhance and steadily increase diversity and inclusion throughout the organization. Our commitment to achieving a more just, equitable and inclusive world both inside and outside the doors of Earthjustice is unwavering.


The coming year will bring many challenges and tough fights, especially in our efforts to avert a climate catastrophe, but together we are a powerful force for change. Together, we are working to create a more just and healthy world for all.



Trip Van Noppen
President



George Martin
Chair of the Board of Trustees



George Martin, Chair of Board of Trustees (left) and Trip Van Noppen, Earthjustice President

Making a Lasting DIFFERENCE

Earthjustice is driven by a passion for justice—for people and for the environment. We are the go-to attorneys and legal strategists for more than a thousand organizations and individuals, from large national nonprofits to small community groups. Our attorneys are expert, passionate and tenacious, and over our 45-year history, they have built a remarkable record of success.

WHAT WE DO

Earthjustice enforces and strengthens our nation’s laws in order to safeguard the irreplaceable natural world and make our communities healthier places to live, work and play. We go to court on the public’s behalf when government agencies can’t or won’t. We represent our clients free of charge, selecting cases for their potential to make a lasting difference. After we win new protections, we’re there to make sure that change really happens on the ground.

WHY IT MATTERS



WHERE WE WORK

We bring our expertise to bear in venues where decisions are made and where we can make a critical difference—in the courts, on Capitol Hill, in regulatory agencies and in international forums. We work across the country, with 12 regional offices that enable us to build strong local and regional partnerships; and around the world, taking on critical environmental issues from Australia and South Africa to Latin America and the Arctic.

Patti Goldman, Managing Attorney of the Northwest regional office, argues against Shell’s Arctic drilling plan (left); Adrian Martinez, Staff Attorney in Earthjustice’s Los Angeles office (above)

THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP

The single most powerful force for environmental progress is a partnership that brings together the people most directly impacted by environmental harms with groups that can provide deep legal, policy and communications expertise. As lawyers who represent clients, partnership is inherent in everything we do. Our legal skills give people more tools to defend their communities and way of life; their knowledge and experience inform and strengthen our work. Together, our power is amplified.

Jessica Ennis, Senior Legislative Representative (second from left) with clean energy coalition partners in Maryland (above)

Thanks to our more than 80,000 annual donors and more than a million online activists, Earthjustice has:

- Saved tens of thousands of lives by securing clean air and clean water protections
- Protected nearly 50 million acres of our most pristine forests and wilderness
- Safeguarded hundreds of imperiled plants and animals
- Protected national treasures like the Grand Canyon and Yellowstone
- Restored flows to Hawaiian rivers and streams
- Defended the right of communities to limit or ban fracking
- Blocked oil and gas drilling in the Arctic Ocean
- Secured bans on some of the most dangerous chemicals
- Advanced clean energy gains in more than 15 states
- Played an instrumental role in establishing the link between human rights and environmental protection

Preserving THE WILD

Defending **Special Places**

From the Grand Canyon to the ancient forests of Alaska, our great wild landscapes are our richest natural heritage. It is the work of Earthjustice to preserve that wildness from those who would diminish it for short-term economic gain. Over the years, we have been at the forefront of many critical legal decisions protecting these special landscapes.

But the persistent march of resource development—from mining and logging to industrial oil and gas development—continues, requiring our sustained fight to safeguard places such as Utah’s spectacular red rock country, Colorado’s biologically rich Roan Plateau, and the magnificent Tongass National Forest in Alaska. At a time when climate change threatens to wreak havoc on our natural world, it is critical that we stand together to protect our great wild places.

UPDATES

- In a major victory for America’s vast and lush rainforest, in 2015 we won a court ruling protecting the roadless areas of Alaska’s Tongass National Forest from new road building and logging. We continue to urge the U.S. Forest Service to put a rapid stop to large-scale old-growth logging throughout the Tongass.
- Earthjustice is assisting Bangladeshi activists and attorneys opposing two coal-fired power plants in that country. If completed, the plants would dump mercury and other toxins into the fragile Sundarbans World Heritage Site, the world’s largest mangrove forest and habitat for critically endangered Bengal tigers and river dolphins. Our assistance led an influential United Nations body to call for one plant to be cancelled.

HIGHLIGHTS

A coalition of Blackfeet tribal activists and conservationists, represented by Earthjustice, achieved a milestone win in 2016 when the federal government canceled a controversial oil and gas drilling lease in Montana’s Badger-Two Medicine region, the Blackfeet people’s sacred ancestral land bordering Glacier National Park.

A sprawling residential and commercial development proposed just five miles from the Grand Canyon’s South Rim was stopped in its tracks early in 2016 when, faced with strong opposition from Earthjustice, conservation groups and the public, the U.S. Forest Service refused to consider a permit the project needed to proceed. The development threatened to destroy the area’s peace and lower the aquifer that feeds the park’s South Rim and Havasu Falls.

Kendall Edmo, Blackfeet Tribe member, surveys bison in Montana’s Badger-Two Medicine area.



Protecting River Ecosystems

Many wild species, from salmon to whales to migratory birds, depend on the rich, complex ecosystems of rivers and estuaries. Rivers are the foundation of fisheries that support Native communities and commercial fishermen, and they provide water for our homes, farms and businesses. But we have so altered our rivers that they no longer support the abundance they once did.

Earthjustice works to protect and restore crucial water resources across the country. In Florida, we're fighting the pollution that causes massive outbreaks of algae, choking rivers and lakes. We partner with community and cultural organizations in Hawai'i to restore island streams, and on the West Coast we are fighting to restore salmon populations in once-mighty rivers by opposing excessive water diversions and bringing down harmful dams.

UPDATES

In May 2016, we filed a lawsuit to protect Arizona's San Pedro River from a massive residential and commercial development. The project would deplete groundwater resources that feed the San Pedro, the last major free-flowing river in the Southwest and vital habitat for millions of migratory birds.

On behalf of a coalition of conservation and Alaska Native groups, we petitioned the federal government to take action to protect the watersheds and wildlife of three salmon-rich rivers that flow across the Canada-United States border from the severe threats posed by six metal mines in British Columbia.

HIGHLIGHTS

In fall 2015, two abandoned dams that were killing threatened salmon were removed from Evans Creek, a tributary of Oregon's wild and scenic Rogue River, thanks to legal advocacy by Earthjustice and our partners.

In May 2016, we won a groundbreaking victory in our 20-year fight to protect and restore salmon in the Columbia and Snake rivers when a federal judge invalidated the government's inadequate salmon plan for the Columbia Basin. The judge's order requires the government to give serious consideration to removing four dams on the lower Snake River that are devastating salmon.



Hatchery coho salmon return to spawn in Oregon's Cedar Creek.

Safeguarding Key Species

Since the passage of the Endangered Species Act, Earthjustice has gained protections for hundreds of imperiled species, including Puget Sound's orcas and many of Hawai'i's rare and beautiful native plants. We have defended keystone species like gray wolves and grizzly bears, and stopped rampant clear-cutting of the Northwest's remaining old-growth forests, which was driving rare birds to extinction.

Today our iconic wildlife remains under siege, threatened by climate change, habitat loss, industrial development—and increasingly by political attacks. Earthjustice is playing a leading role in countering this barrage, partnering with conservation groups, tribes and individuals to protect our irreplaceable wild heritage and the critically important law that has helped bring so many species back from the brink of extinction.

UPDATES

In May, the federal government proposed removing the Yellowstone region's grizzly bears from the endangered species list, making them more vulnerable at a time when they are faced with the loss of food sources due to climate change. We are working to ensure that these iconic bears are adequately protected.

This year, Earthjustice attorneys are defending our court win that reinstated ESA protections for gray wolves in Wyoming, and our Policy and Legislation team continues to fight congressional attempts to legislatively remove ESA protections for wolves in Wyoming and the upper Midwest.

HIGHLIGHTS

Wolverines now have a fighting chance at survival, thanks to a court ruling won by Earthjustice in April 2016. The judge overturned the federal government's decision not to grant protections to this rare species under the ESA, criticizing the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for bowing to political pressure instead of basing its decision on the best available science.

In a hopeful development for Mexican gray wolves—the “lobo” of the American Southwest—we reached a court settlement requiring the federal government to prepare a legally required blueprint for rebuilding the population of these highly endangered wolves after nearly 30 years of delay.



Advancing **CLEAN ENERGY**

Securing **Clean Energy for All**

Around the country and around the world, clean energy is gaining momentum, and a shift away from fossil fuels is already underway. But this transformational change won't come fast enough without a concerted fight against fossil fuel interests that profit from business as usual. The decisions we make today will determine whether or not we can avert a climate crisis.

Harnessing market forces that favor clean energy, Earthjustice is using the power of law to speed this energy transformation in the venues where decisions are being made: the courts and state and federal regulatory commissions. We are defending clean energy standards and distributed energy resources from coordinated attacks, pushing for stronger energy efficiency requirements, and working to make clean energy accessible to all.

UPDATES

- Solar power was booming in Nevada until state regulators decided to kill incentives for solar customers, causing applications for new installations to plummet. Earthjustice is working to overturn this disastrous decision and won a partial victory this year that restored fair rates for existing solar customers.
- To clean up some of our nation's dirtiest air and stave off the worst effects of climate change, Earthjustice and a coalition of conservation and community groups are pushing California, a leader in climate innovation, to adopt zero-emissions standards for cars, trucks and other freight and port equipment, and ensure such clean transportation is powered by clean energy.

HIGHLIGHTS

Across the country, Earthjustice is fighting utility attempts to undermine solar and other clean, renewable energy sources that threaten their bottom line. Over the past year, we defeated proposals to impose new charges on solar customers and otherwise block the rise of rooftop solar with big wins in Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico and Hawai'i.

Maryland is emerging as a national leader in pioneering community solar programs that broaden access to low-cost clean energy for communities of all income levels. Earthjustice partnered with community and solar industry groups to make this groundbreaking initiative possible and is now defending it from industry attack at the federal level.

Mark Duda, Hawai'i solar industry entrepreneur (left) speaks with Earthjustice attorney Isaac Moriwake.



Ending **Our Dependence on Coal**

The coal sector is the biggest polluter in the country, from the water pollution caused by mining coal to the millions of tons of toxic coal waste generated each year by burning it. Coal plants are our biggest single source of greenhouse gas emissions and one of the largest sources of air pollution, causing thousands of premature deaths and making people sick with asthma, emphysema and bronchitis.

To save our health and the health of our planet—and to clear the way for the growth of clean, renewable energy—Earthjustice is working to shut down coal at every stage of its life cycle. We have fought for years to put an end to mountaintop removal mining, and we are working to prevent overseas exports of U.S. coal. In close partnership with our clients and allies, our attorneys have played a critical role in securing commitments to retire 41 coal-fired power plants to date, and contributed to the actual or announced retirements of more than 242 in all—representing nearly 30 percent of coal-generating capacity in the United States.

UPDATES

Earthjustice is working state by state to ensure that coal plants comply with the new air, water and waste rules we have secured—and that utilities don't get away with making their customers pay to prop up uneconomic coal plants.

On the international stage, we are using innovative strategies and strong partnerships to combat some of the world's most damaging coal projects, from Australia's Galilee Basin, where we are fighting one of the world's largest proposed coal mines, to Bangladesh (see p. 8), South Africa and beyond.

HIGHLIGHTS

In March 2016, Arch Coal suspended efforts to obtain a permit to develop the Otter Creek coal mine in southeastern Montana. Working with conservation groups and tribal activists from the Northern Cheyenne Reservation, Earthjustice contested every stage of the permitting process for this mine, demanding greater regulatory scrutiny and driving up development costs for the mining proposal.

After years of Earthjustice litigation and advocacy, DTE Energy announced in June 2016 that it will retire Michigan's River Rouge, Trenton Channel and St. Clair coal-fired power plants. The closures will cut more than 10 million tons of greenhouse gases annually and help clean the air in southwest Detroit and neighboring areas, where air pollution is driving a public health crisis.

Freight train carrying coal (left); Senior Fossil Fuels Attorney Adrienne Bloch near a crude oil train derailment in Oregon (opposite page)

“We’ve reached a critical moment when the urgent need to address climate change and the opportunity to protect communities and precious natural resources are converging around the imperative to keep fossil fuels in the ground. Now is the time to enforce existing laws and support new laws that ensure a fossil-free future.”

Adrienne Bloch Earthjustice Senior Fossil Fuels Attorney

HIGHLIGHTS

This year oil companies relinquished almost all of their leases in the Arctic's Chukchi Sea, bringing to a successful end eight years of legal challenges to Arctic Ocean drilling. We are advocating that the president take advantage of this opportunity to protect the Arctic Ocean from drilling permanently.

Oil and gas operations leak or vent millions of tons of methane—a powerful climate pollutant—each year. In response to a petition from Earthjustice and its allies, the Environmental Protection Agency has issued the first nationwide standards limiting these emissions from new sources and is developing common-sense standards for existing facilities, a critical step toward arresting climate change and protecting our health.



Reining in **Oil and Gas**

The world's leading climate scientists agree that we have to limit temperature rise to 2°C or less to avoid catastrophic climate change. To do that, we not only have to stop burning coal, we also have to leave the vast majority of the world's proven oil and gas reserves unburned. It is time to curtail new oil and gas development and commit ourselves to 100 percent clean energy.

Earthjustice is rising to this climate challenge by using its legal expertise to stop investment in major new oil and gas transport infrastructure across the country that would lock us into dependence on fossil fuels for the foreseeable future. We are advocating that our fragile oceans and irreplaceable wild lands be forever protected from the hazards and industrialization of drilling. And we are defending the right of communities across the country to protect themselves from the dangers posed by fracking and oil and gas transport.

UPDATES

In March, federal officials proposed to exclude the Atlantic Ocean from oil and gas leasing until at least 2022, a step forward in protecting sensitive marine resources. With its partners, Earthjustice is urging the administration to permanently protect both the Atlantic and Arctic Oceans from drilling, and to end new leasing in the Gulf of Mexico and begin a just transition away from drilling there.

Two years ago, Earthjustice litigation for the Quinault Indian Nation halted three proposed crude oil shipping terminals in Grays Harbor, Washington. In late 2015, that win grew stronger when two of those terminals abandoned their plans. We continue to represent the Quinault in their challenges to oil shipping through Grays Harbor, and in 2016 argued for broad protection of coastal natural resources before the Washington Supreme Court.



Fighting for
**HEALTHY
COMMUNITIES**

Angela Scott (right) and her daughter, Leatha, live near a proposed crude-by-rail facility in Albany, NY.

Reducing **Environmental Health Disparities**

Millions of people in our country live in the shadow of power plants, refineries, manufacturing plants and other industrial facilities that spew hazardous chemicals into the air and water. Even more live near freeways, railroads, ports and airports, where they are exposed to high levels of vehicle exhaust. All face greatly increased health risks, from higher rates of asthma to greater incidences of lung and heart disease, cancer, strokes, neurological disorders and birth defects. People of color and low-income communities are disproportionately affected.

No parent should have to fear for their child's health when pollution controls are readily available. No community should be a dumping ground for toxic industrial waste. Earthjustice is working to ensure that our nation's environmental laws are equitably enforced to protect us all. We're securing stricter safeguards to clean up air and water pollution from industrial sources across the country, and allying with community groups to make sure these protections are enforced on the ground. We're opposing construction of new polluting facilities in communities that already bear more than their fair share of pollution—and holding the government accountable for failing to protect them.

UPDATES

Earthjustice is challenging the Environmental Protection Agency's unreasonable delay in enforcing Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and failing to protect communities of color from highly polluting power plants, refineries and waste dumps.

The first-ever national limits on mercury and other toxic air pollution from coal plants went into effect in 2015 and are already saving lives. Earthjustice battled for these protections for over 15 years, side by side with a large coalition of clients and partners. In April 2016, the EPA reaffirmed the limits in response to a ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court.

HIGHLIGHTS

In Albany, New York, a proposed crude-by-rail facility expansion to handle polluting tar sands oil threatens nearby residents' health and safety. Earthjustice challenged the project, and this year, state regulators notified the company that it must conduct a comprehensive environmental review—a major victory for our clients, a coalition that includes the environmental justice community threatened by the expansion.

Assisting community partners, Earthjustice secured stronger standards for oil refineries in 2015, including a first-ever requirement to monitor releases of cancer-causing air emissions into neighborhoods. Now we're advocating for the full health benefits from the new air toxics protections and working with groups in Houston and across the country to ensure monitoring data is publicly accessible.

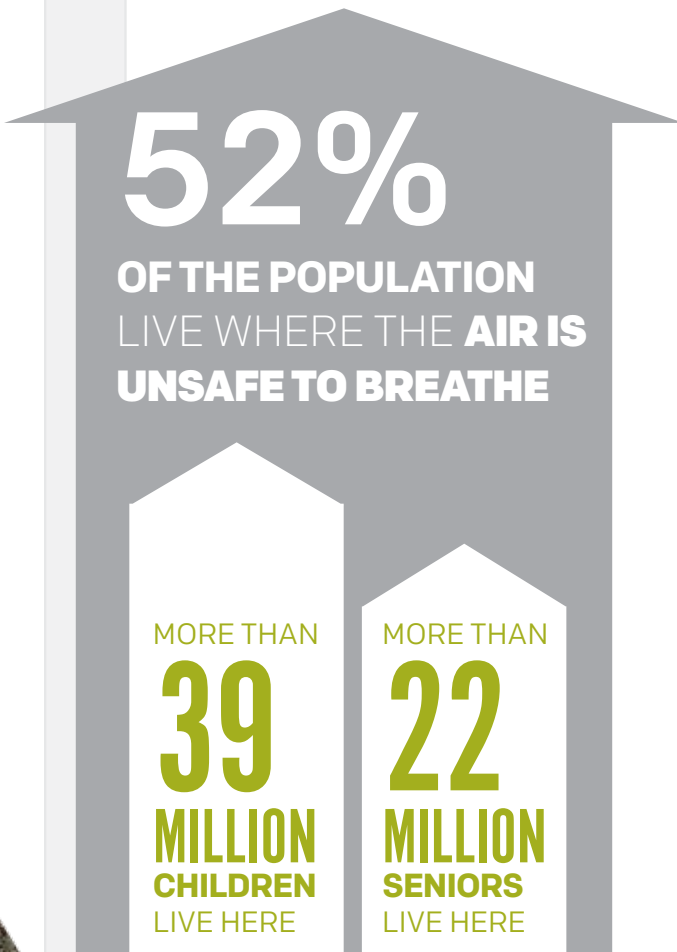
“There is no place for a dirty and dangerous commodity like coal in Oakland, and this ordinance allows the city to build an economy based on good, clean jobs and progressive climate policies.”

Senior Associate Attorney Irene Gutierrez provided legal support to West Oakland community members fighting a proposed coal export facility that would have added toxic coal dust to their neighborhood’s already heavy burden of air pollution. In June 2016, the Oakland City Council voted to ban coal storage and handling.



Senior Associate Attorney Irene Gutierrez stands before the Port of Oakland, California.

Disproportionate Rates of Asthma in U.S. Children of Color



Reforming our **Food System**

The way we produce, distribute and consume food has changed dramatically over the last 50 years. Small, family-run farms that nourished both people and the land have largely been replaced by heavily polluting industrialized operations devoted to a single crop or animal product. Agriculture is now our biggest source of water pollution and a major source of air and climate pollution. Many of the worst paid and least safe jobs are in the food and farming sector. For years, Earthjustice has fought to reform some of the most damaging practices of this flawed system, winning court decisions that forced toxic pesticides off the market and helping to strengthen protections for farmworkers.

To build on this record of success, in 2015 Earthjustice launched a sustainable food and agriculture program that will explore legal opportunities for reform throughout the food system. Our aim is to significantly reduce its health, environmental and climate harms and promote a broad, systemic shift toward greater sustainability. Bringing the power of the law to bear on a broad range of issues, Earthjustice will support the growing movement by farmers, farmworkers, environmental and community advocates, and others to remake our food system into one that nourishes and sustains life. Working together, we can bring healthy, sustainable, affordable food to all.

UPDATES

- People who live near North Carolina’s industrial hog facilities, which are disproportionately located in communities of color, are forced to cope with unbearable odors and pollution from the millions of gallons of fecal waste produced every year. In 2015, the EPA agreed to investigate a civil rights complaint filed by Earthjustice on behalf of community groups.
- Three Hawai’i counties adopted measures to better protect their residents from the effects of pesticides routinely sprayed on fields of genetically engineered crops, and were sued by big agrochemical companies in response. In June 2016, in a federal appeals court hearing, Earthjustice defended the right of these communities to protect themselves.



HIGHLIGHTS

No one faces a more toxic, unregulated workplace than the farmworkers who grow and harvest our food. A decade-long effort by a broad coalition of advocates, including Earthjustice, resulted in new safeguards that promise significant safety improvements for agricultural workers. Now we and our farmworker allies are working to ensure that the standards are implemented thoroughly and effectively, and that farmworkers are engaged at every step of the process.

In September 2015, Earthjustice won a key victory for bees, beekeepers and our food supply when a federal court overturned the Environmental Protection Agency’s registration of sulfoxaflor, a neonicotinoid pesticide. “Neonics” have been linked to the alarming die-off of honeybees across North America.

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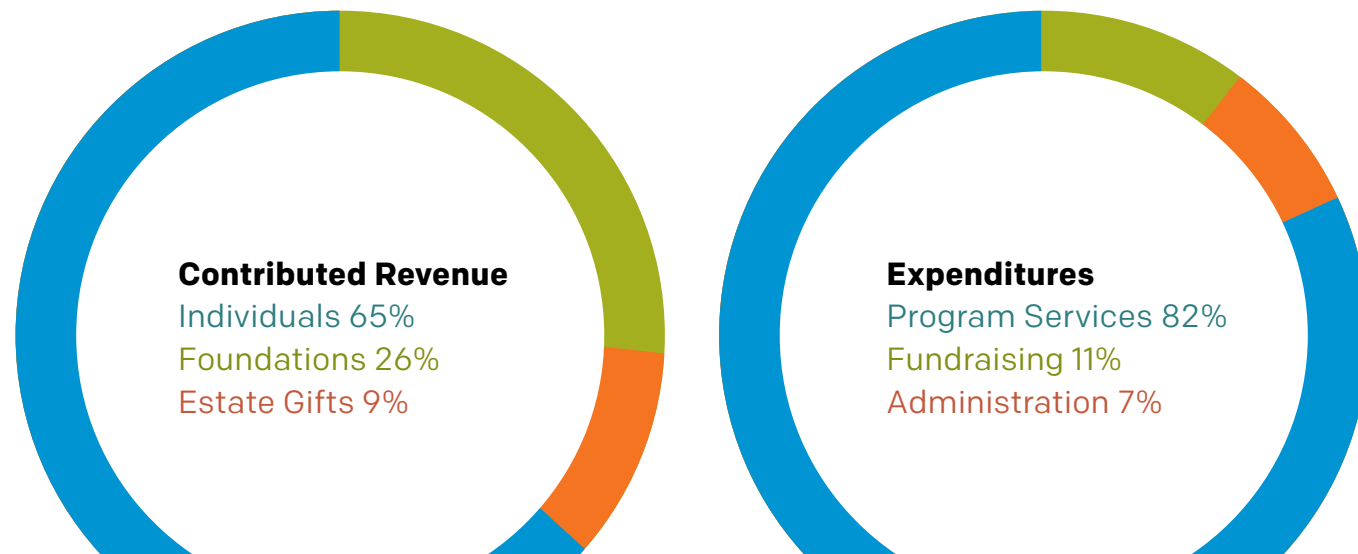
The crucial work described in this report was made possible by the commitment and generosity of our donors. Your support enabled us to finish the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016 (FY16) strong with a \$2.5 million increase in contributed support.

These contributions expanded Earthjustice’s work in our focal areas of Climate and Energy; Lands, Wildlife and Oceans; and Healthy Communities. Expenses reflected additional staff growth in our clean energy and sustainable food and farming programs, as well as the launch of Earthjustice’s office in Los Angeles.

We are holding steady from last year’s membership gains with approximately 80,000 members nationwide who donate to Earthjustice. In FY16, we saw an increase in realized bequests. Designating Earthjustice in your will is one of the most powerful and personal gifts a donor can make to our work. Roughly 10 percent of our budget is funded through this giving vehicles.

For the eighth year in a row, we are honored to report that Charity Navigator has awarded Earthjustice its highest possible rating of 4 stars. Per Charity Navigator, “Only 2% of the charities we evaluate have received at least 8 consecutive 4-star evaluations, indicating that Earthjustice outperforms most other charities in America.” Earthjustice is also an accredited member of the Better Business Bureau’s Wise Giving Alliance, meeting all 20 of its standards for charity accountability and transparency.

At Earthjustice, partnership is a core value. It is reflected in the relationships we hold with our clients and allies and with the individuals and foundations who invest in our mission. Your support both sustains and inspires us. Thank you.



Statement of Activities & Change in Net Assets

REVENUES	2016	2015
Contributions	\$43,102,167	\$41,826,118
Donated services	3,925,410	6,077,198
Bequests	4,313,250	3,237,005
Court awards	3,529,854	2,168,829
Investment income	733,096	1,018,316
Other income	115,766	79,945
Total Revenue	55,719,543	54,407,411
EXPENSES		
Program Services		
Litigation	27,434,948	19,082,441
Donated services	3,211,199	7,137,935
Public information	9,123,811	8,326,663
Donated public information services	674,672	2,850,466
Total Program Services	40,444,630	40,792,358
Supporting services		
Management & administrative	3,512,344	2,879,147
Fundraising	5,564,456	5,539,965
Total Supporting Services	9,076,800	8,419,112
Total Expenses	49,521,430	49,211,470
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	6,198,113	5,195,941

Statement of Financial Position

ASSETS	2016	2015
Cash & investments	\$63,378,657	\$58,821,229
Split-interest gift agreements	8,883,905	9,255,135
Accounts receivable	6,774,823	5,828,894
Property & equipment, net	3,333,191	3,630,420
Other assets	1,638,438	1,454,082
Total Assets	84,009,013	78,989,760
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	980,281	2,272,503
Accrued vacation payable	1,671,120	1,625,035
Client trust funds	166,575	192,211
Reserve for gift agreements	4,893,279	4,982,917
Deferred lease liabilities	1,413,776	1,402,994
Other liabilities	652,850	481,081
Total Liabilities	9,777,881	8,244,593
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted	56,893,911	51,697,559
Temporary restricted	15,889,688	14,887,627
Permanently restricted	1,447,833	1,447,833
Total Net Assets	74,231,432	68,033,019
TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	84,009,313	78,989,760

CLIENTS

As the world's premier public-interest environmental law organization, we represent a wide diversity of clients, from small grassroots groups to large national organizations. Thanks to the generous support of individual donors and foundations, we are able to represent our clients free of charge, which allows us to choose cases strategically, rather than based on a client's ability to pay. In addition to the hundreds of clients listed here that we formally represent, there are scores of others with whom we partner, co-counsel, and ally to achieve our goals.

1000 Friends of Maryland
350 Colorado

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A Community Voice
Acadia Center
Adirondack Conservation Association
Adirondack Mountain Club
Adirondack Wild -
Friends of the Forest Preserve
AIDA
Air Alliance Houston
Alaska Center for the Environment
Alaska Community Action on Toxics
Alaska Public Interest Research Group
Alaska Survival
Alaska Villagers and Native Groups
Alaska Wilderness League
Alaska Wilderness Recreation
and Tourism Association
Albany County, NY
Alliance for the Wild Rockies
Alpine Lakes Protection Society
Alternative Zero Coalition

American Academy of Pediatrics
American Beekeeping Federation
American Bird Conservancy
American Canoe Association
American Civil Liberties Union
American Honey Producers Association
American Lands Alliance
American Lung Association
American Medical
Women's Association
American Nurses Association
American Prairie Reserve
American Rivers
American Wildlands
Amigos Bravos
Amigos del Rio Guaynabo, Inc.
Anacostia Riverkeeper
Anacostia Watershed Society
Anglers Conservation Network
Animal Welfare Institute
Apalachicola Riverkeeper
Appalachian Mountain Club
Appalachian Trail Conservancy
Appalachian Voices

Aqua Permanente
Arctic Athabaskan Council
Arizona Wilderness Coalition
Arkansas Canoe Club
Army for a Clean Environment
Ashurst Bar/Smith
Community Organization
Asian Pacific Environmental Network
Association of Irrigated Residents
Association of Northwest Steelheaders
Atlantic States Legal Foundation
Audubon Alaska
Audubon California
Audubon New York
Audubon Society of Portland
Audubon Society of the Everglades
Australian Climate Justice Program

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Badlands Conservation Alliance
Baltimore Harbor Waterkeeper -
Blue Water Baltimore
Bark
Basel Action Network
Bay Institute of San Francisco
Bear Creek Council
Ben & Jerry's
Beyond Pesticides
Biodiversity Conservation Alliance
Black Belt Citizens
Fighting for Health and Justice
Blackfeet Headwaters Alliance
Blue Ocean Institute
Blue Ridge Environmental
Defense League
BlueGreen Alliance
Border Power Plant Working Group

Brandywine-TB, Southern Region
Neighborhood Coalition
Brave Dog Society
Breast Cancer Fund
Bristlecone Alliance
Buffalo Field Campaign
Buffalo River Watershed Alliance

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Cabinet Resource Group
California Communities Against Toxics
California Environmental
Health Initiative
California Native Plant Society
California Public Health
Association - North
California Rural Legal
Assistance Foundation
California Sportfishing
Protection Alliance
California State Parks Foundation
California Trout
California Wilderness Coalition
Californians Against Waste Foundation
Californians for a Healthy and
Green Economy
Californians for Alternatives to Toxins
Californians for Pesticide Reform
Californians for Renewable Energy
Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids
Campaign to Safeguard
America's Waters
Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society
Canyonlands Watershed Coalition
Cape Cod Commercial
Hook Fishermen's Association
Cape Fear River Watch
Carmel Mountain Conservancy

Carson Forest Watch
Cascabel Conservation Association
Cascadia Wildlands
Catskill Mountainkeeper
Center for Biological Diversity
Center for Community Action
and Environmental Justice
Center for Environmental Health
Center for Environmental Law
& Policy
Center for Food Safety
and Justice
Center for International
Environmental Law
Center for Native Ecosystems
Center for Policy Analysis
on Trade and Health
Center for Science in the
Public Interest
Center for Sustainable Economy
Central Sierra Environmental
Resource Center
Centro Mexicano de
Derecho Ambiental
Charlie Russell Back
Country Horsemen
Chesapeake Bay Foundation
Chesapeake Climate Action Network
Chesapeake Physicians for
Social Responsibility
Chickaloon Village Traditional Council
Chinese Progressive Association
Chuitna Citizens Coalition
Chukchi Sea Watch
Circumpolar Conservation Union
Citizens Action Coalition of Indiana
Citizens Against Pollution

Citizens Campaign
for the Environment
Citizens Coal Council
Citizens' Environmental Coalition
Citizens for Alternatives to
Radioactive Dumping
Citizens for Clean Air
Citizens for Clean Energy
Citizens for Clean Water
Citizens for Eastshore Parks
Citizens Opposing Active
Sonar Threats
Citizens United for Responsible
Energy Development
City of Albany, CA
City of Bellingham, WA
City of Berkeley, CA
City of Issaquah, WA
City of Richmond, CA
Ciudadanos en Defensa Del Ambiente
Clark County Natural
Resources Council
Clark Fork Coalition
Clean Air Council
Clean New York
Clean Water Action
Clean Wisconsin
Clearwater Biodiversity Project
Climate Solutions
CO Native Plant Society
Coal River Mountain Watch
Coalition for a Healthy County -
Indiana County, PA
Coalition For A Safe Environment
Coalition for Clean Air
Coalition for Responsible Growth
& Resource Conservation
Coalition of National Park
Service Employees

Coalition to Prevent
Chemical Disasters
Coalition to Protect America's
National Parks
Coast Action Group
Coast Range Association
Coastal Conservation
Association of New York
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