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The Earth Day Film Festival 2020
International films and locally relevant workshops
that celebrate the Earth and nourish human community.

The Earth Day Film Festival 2020 will take place March 12-19, 2020 in Chico, CA. Offering film screenings and engaging special events—both ticketed and free—this festival invites Butte County to be inspired and connect with one another. Venues include: Pageant Theatre, Gateway Science Museum, Chico Idea Fab Labs, and Paradise Alliance Church. Tickets available in advance and at the door.

The Earth Day Film Festival receives film submissions from around the world (40+ countries). The team of judges selects the top films and curators create thematic film blocks 80-100 min in length. The 2020 Official Selection includes 57 diverse films from 19 countries. Film screenings of unique curations will take place at the Pageant Theatre 2-3 times daily. Themes include post-disaster recovery, community resilience, youth activism, wildfires, ocean health, environmental justice and more. Audiences will have the opportunity to meet several of the visiting filmmakers and ask questions. Plus, venues will be powered with clean energy through a partnership with Arcadia Power. See schedule

Special Events include VR Experiences, Cohousing Workshop, Climate Change Adaptation Workshop, and Wildfire Solutions Film + Panel Discussion. The goal of these events is to offer an immersive experience beyond the screen and to connect audiences with local organizations actively addressing community-based environmental solutions.

Films capture images and stories that have the capacity to inspire action. Director Allen Myers says, “The films we show make us fall back in love with the Earth. Their messages are too important to ignore. This is our motivating force in producing The Earth Day Film Festival.” The Earth Day Film Festival 2020 has something for everyone. Schedule, tickets and more information can be found at www.earthdayfilmfest.org.

About: The Earth Day Film Festival is nourishing the movement toward a more harmonious relationship to our environment from the ground up. They work to make the festival honor the Earth: in content and in practice. The Earth Day Film Festival hosts a

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week-long film festival in Chico, CA as well as facilitates Global Screenings of films on Earth Day.