



2022 COMMUNITY SENTINEL AWARD FOR ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Community Sentinel Award for Environmental Stewardship

Event Program

Spanish translation services will be provided during the program

December 8, 2022, 6-8 p.m. EST

Hosted by FracTracker Alliance and Halt the Harm Network

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6:00 p.m. Welcome music featuring Billy Traynor, an American singer-songwriter.

6:05 p.m. Welcome by Megan Nguyễn (she/her or they/them), Master of Ceremonies and Climate Justice Organizer, Sunrise Movement Bay Area *and* Shannon Smith, Executive Director, FracTracker Alliance

6:20 p.m. Keynote Speaker Casey Camp-Horinek, a member of the Ponca Nation of Oklahoma and a longtime activist, environmentalist, actress, and published author.

6:35 p.m. Honoring the Legacy of Heroes

The Legacy of Heroes honors environmental advocates who have recently passed on. We will pay our respects to:

- Melvin Russell “Russ” Blair, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, Concerned Chippewa Citizens
- Joye Braun, Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, Indigenous Environmental Network
- Mary L. Hegnauer, Wisconsin, Frac Sand Activist
- Celia Janosik, Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Beaver County Marcellus Awareness Community (BCMAC)
- Kenneth E. Lestrud, Minnesota, Frac Sand Activist
- Geraldine Mayho, Louisiana, Rise St. James
- Jody McCaffree, South Coast of Oregon, Citizens Against LNG
- Randy Moyer, Pennsylvania, Former fracking industry worker and whistleblower
- Terrence H. O’Donahue, Western Wisconsin, Eau Claire County, Wisconsin, Citizens for Environmental Stewardship
- Ronald Patrick “Jack” Read Jr., Pittsburgh/Southwestern Pennsylvania, Concerned Ohio River Residents /OVER (Ohio Valley Environmental Resistance)/Attorney for Marsh Creek Water Protectors/ Allegheny Greens

6:40 p.m. Presentation of Awards

Recognition of the 29 Sentinel Award Nominees: Mary Aguilera, Barbara Arrindell, Terrie Baumgardner, Joyce Blumenshine, Callie Coffey, Christina (PK) Digiulio, Fabian Euresti, Kathy Ferguson, Michelle Rose Glass & The Mujeres de La Tercera Edad, Gillian Graber, Lisa Graves-Marcucci, Young Grguras, Dennis Hendrix, David Hess, Gabrielle Houston, Lisa Johnson, Ginny Kerslake, Sarah Martik, Eve Miari, Patricia Garcia- Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl and Christine Peterson, Jan Ridgeway, Karina Samuel, Bob Schmetzer, Heaven Sensky, Chon Serna, Lora Snyder, Yvonne Taylor, and Ben Vong Wong

We would like to extend a special thank you to Beyond Petrochemicals for providing the funding to retroactively award our 2015 Honorees with a \$1,000 honorarium. These honorees are Dory Hippauf, Craig Stevens and Therese Vick.

2022 Awardees:

Cesar Aguirre (He/Him), Senior Community Organizer, Central California Environmental Justice Network (CCEJN), California, Introduced by TBD

Jo (She/Her) and Joy Banner (She/Her), Co-Directors and Co-Founders of The Descendants Project, Louisiana, Introduced by Paloma Henriques, Friends of the Earth

Laurie Barr (She/Her), Co-Founder, Save our Streams PA, Pennsylvania, Introduced by Melissa Troutman, Public Herald

Dr. Crystal Ann Cavalier-Keck (She/Her), Co-Founder of 7 Directions of Service, North Carolina, Introduced by Coda Cavalier, 7 Directions of Service

Chanté Davis (She/Her), Movement Lead Organizer, Sunrise Movement, Texas, Introduced by Kate Greenberg, Lonely Whale

Jill Hunkler (She/Her), Served as Executive Director of Concerned Ohio River Residents/ Ohio Valley Allies, Ohio, Introduced by Ted Auch, FracTracker Alliance

7:30 p.m. Musical performance by Billy Traynor with video homage by Nathan Hendrie

7:35 p.m. Closing Remarks by Megan Nguyễn

7:40 p.m. Optional Reception Rooms with Sentinel Awardees

Learn more at <https://www.fractracker.org/sentinels>

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