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## Community Forum on Standing Rock and Dakota Access Pipeline set for Nov. 28 in Bismarck

Tribal chairman, tribal historian, youth will inform on issues

BISMARCK – Many people have questions about Standing Rock and the Dakota Access Pipeline. Even more have been looking for thoughtful, civil dialogue, especially as responses and tensions climb.

Dakota Resource Council is sponsoring a Community Forum on Standing Rock and the Dakota Access Pipeline on Monday, Nov. 28 at 7 p.m. The forum will be held at Meeting Room A at the Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library,  $515 \, \text{N}$ .  $5^{\text{th}}$  Street in Bismarck.

The public is invited to learn the stories behind the headlines of Standing Rock and the Dakota Access Pipeline – from Chairman David Archambault, Tribal Historian Jon Eagle, Sr, as well as youth.

"It's important for communities to hold space for thoughtful, civil dialogue about issues that affect so many of us," said Don Morrison, Executive Director of DRC. "With issues as complex as the problems with the Dakota Access Pipeline and projects like it, it's vital we find ways to come together with the purpose of understanding."

If you would like to learn more about the tribal consultation process, history of the tribe in the permitting process, and where the tribe stands on DAPL, please join us for the conversation. There will be specific time for questions.

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