## Wild & Scenic Film Festival A benefit to support the Grand Canyon Wolf Recovery Project The Orpheum Theater, Flagstaff, AZ

# Film Program - Saturday, April 11, 2015

Doors open at 6:15 pm; Film program starts at 7:00 pm

# Earthbook

#### Bernd Hezel, Ephraim Broschkowski (2014, 2 min)

What would Planet Earth post about humans on its profile? The Earth fast forwards through a virtual relationship with humans -- but soon starts to ask itself whether it wants to be friends with a species that exploits its national resources and threatens animals and plants.

## I Heard

## Michael Ramsey Director, Abbey Smith Producer, Stacy Bare Executive Producer (2014, 3 min)

A Seuss-esque journey into some of the 110+ million acres of designated American wilderness that we have to enjoy. Award-winning filmmaker Michael Ramsey's short film celebrates the 50th Anniversary of the Wilderness Act which ensures that we will have places "...where the earth and its community of life are untrammeled by man, where man himself is a visitor who does not remain."

#### Pride

## Roshan Patel (2014, 15 min)

Pride explores the cultural relationship between residents of Gujarat, India and the last remaining population of Asiatic Lions in the world. With fewer than 50 lions in the wild at the turn of the 20th century, rural communities started working with the government to create a haven for this top predator and are successfully securing its place in the ecosystem.

## A Line in the Sand

## Justin Clifton, Chris Cresci (2014, 2 min)

If you only had 2 minutes to advocate for Wilderness, what would you say?

## Our Power: Black Mesa, AZ

## Mark Decena, Teri Heyman, Kontent Films (2013, 8 min)

The Navajo people in Black Mesa, Arizona are trying to protect their aquifer from a nearby coal mining plant's pollution. The cities of Phoenix and Flagstaff get their water at the expense of the Navajo Nation. As part of the Climate Justice Alliance, they strive to generate "energy without injustice, power without pollution" by using solar power instead of fossil fuels.

## **OR7** - The Journey

#### Clemens Schenk, CS Production (2014, 67 min)

An inspiring film about a wild Northern gray wolf named Journey. This lone wolf's incredible journey from Oregon to California—the first to enter California in ninety years—and the story of the Wolf as a species in the United States is told in this film. Brought to the brink of extinction, wolves have begun a fragile recovery. Hear what wolf experts and biologists have to say about this amazing creature; take the journey.