



THE ARIZONA WILDERNESS COALITION
PROTECTING ARIZONA'S WILD LANDS & WATERS SINCE 1979

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The turning of the seasons always brings change, and Arizona Wilderness Coalition is pleased to announce new directions in our Wilderness Stewardship program, *Wild Stew.*



Critical to the long-term conservation of wilderness-worthy public lands is engagement of a broad and diverse public. To that end, AWC is launching an array of new projects aimed at involving a broader range of wilderness supporters:

- Partnering with Native American Student Services at Northern Arizona University to provide students with an **exceptional learn-and-work experience** in Kendrick Mountain Wilderness
- **Joining with Veterans** in a stewardship project in the highly biodiverse Huachuca Mountains

- Restoring access to Skeleton Canyon, site of important Apache and western history, in the Peloncillo Mountains
- Providing college students with an "Alternative to Spring Break" wilderness work trip to restore remote trails in the Mazatzal Wilderness, a team effort with the Arizona Trail Association
- Collaborating with Friends of the Tonto National Forest, Arizona Trail Association and Tonto National Forest to restore habitat for threatened and sensitive species in Arnett Creek



VETERANS CLEARED TRAILS IN SADDLE MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS

Connecting with these key audiences *only happens* with the support of dedicated wilderness advocates like yourself. [Your investment today](#) of \$250, \$100 or \$50 or any other amount can help reach the diverse communities necessary to save Wilderness for tomorrow.

With your most generous contribution, we can implement projects to address pressing wilderness preservation needs in nearly *twenty areas* across the state.

You can make a [quick and secure donation](#) for our wildlands at azwild.org.

Thank you so much for your generous support,

Barbara

Barbara Hawke
Executive Director

PS – Support raised by **September 30th** will determine the extent of many project plans for 2017, so [please donate today!](#)



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