

Redwood Nation Earth First!

Dear Supporters,

We recently received a letter from the US Postal Service informing us that our Post Office Box 219 was vandalized and the contents stolen over the weekend of Jan. 12 and 13th, 2019. The damage appears to have been random—many boxes were broken into—so we don't believe ours was targeted. Our post office box was secure as of January 14th.

We've reported the crime to the US Postal Inspection Service, the federal law enforcement and security arm of the US Postal Service. Their representative took our report but will provide no compensation for the theft.

Our bank says it would be very difficult to actually cash the checks, however, the thief does have the personal info in them. All donors' mail received by Dec. 20th and after Jan. 14th was checked against our database and we have a record of all checks deposited through our 501(c)(3) bank account Redwood Nation Earth First. If you sent us a check arriving between December 20th and January 13th **please talk to your bank**. You may need to stop payment on the check or request fraud reimbursement.

This loss, plus the extra expense of this mailing, have pretty much wiped us out. This jeopardizes our next mailer as well as the funds we'd allocated for our upcoming Spring Action Camp. Ouch! Our shoestring just got shorter.

We have used PO Box 219 for 16 years without incident until now and believe this problem will not recur. I'm sorry to ask again so soon but please consider donating to help cover this imbroglio. If you must stop payment on your recent donation, please send another one.

I apologize for the inconvenience and hassle. Please don't hesitate to call me for more info if needed.

Solidarity,



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