

Klamath River restoration documentary to be shown at runoff conference

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Jason Atkinson

A special screening of a documentary focusing on the Klamath River restoration and subsequent conflicts will be shown at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 5 as part of Utah State University's 2016 Spring Runoff Conference.

Following the screening of "A River Between Us," filmmaker Jason Atkinson will be in attendance to answer questions and lead discussion. The film chronicles the process of rancor and compromise. The river flows through Oregon and northern California.

"If you heal people, they would heal the river," Atkinson said.

The viewing takes place at the USU's Eccles Conference Center Auditorium, and is free and open to the public.

Screening of the film and the panel discussion are co-sponsored by iUTAH and a "Let's Talk About Water" small grant from the Consortium of Universities for the Advancement of Hydrologic Science Inc.

Utah State University's Spring Runoff Conference is a two-day conference April 5-6. The conference brings together researchers, scientists and top experts in Utah and the Intermountain West to discuss water issues.

This year's conference will be held at the Eccles Conference Center on USU's Logan campus.

Hosted by the USU Water Initiative, this year's conference is supported by the Utah Water Research Laboratory, the USU College of Engineering, USU's department of civil and environmental engineering, the USU Ecology Center, iUTAH and the National Science Foundation's Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research, or EPSCoR.

Regular registration is \$75 for both days, \$25 for students. One-day registration is available. For more information, visit water.usu.edu.