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The Biennial Conference for Research on the Colorado Plateau (BCRCP) has primarily served for the past 20 years as a forum for presentation of typical western science focused research results of interest to federal land managers on the Colorado Plateau. Lacking from this conference has been both a focus on land issues of interest and importance to Tribes of the Colorado Plateau, as well as participation in the conference by Tribal members. As a way to raise awareness of Tribal land management and resource issues and to engage tribal participation, staff of the Colorado Plateau Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit and the Southern Colorado Plateau Inventory and Monitoring Network will work collaboratively with staff from the Anthropology Department and Cline Library to offer a session at the BCRCP in which several relavant filmes will be shown, followed by a discussions of the issues raised by the films.