Our revenue in 2021 totaled $827,632, an increase of 30% over 2020. Yes, FOI is growing and so is our work. Energized with your dollars, your “pine nuts,” below is an accounting of what we were able to accomplish last year.

Pine nuts, a high-energy food, helped sustain Native peoples of the Eastern Sierra through the winter. Friends of the Inyo’s Annual Impact Report is named thus to acknowledge the support of our donors and funders, whose generosity sustains our work of protecting and caring for the public lands of the Eastern Sierra.
Interacted with 1,992 visitors to public lands.
Hosted 13 educational hikes and outings and 5 virtual events.
Carried out 9 cleanup events, including 2 multi-day events in the backcountry.
Monitored 568 miles of trail, and maintained 7.5 trail miles.
Removed 126 illegal fire rings.
Collected and removed 677 pounds of trash.

**Outreach/Inclusion Efforts**

Increased subscribers to our e-mail list by 19% from 3,760 to 4,470.
Continued to strengthen our partnership with local Native American tribes throughout Mono and Inyo Counties.
Established a Diversity, Equity & Inclusion committee made up of FOI board and staff, as well as community members, to involve underrepresented communities in public land protection efforts.
Hired Friends of the Inyo’s first English/Spanish bilingual Communications Director.
Began contributing a monthly column on conservation issues to Inyo/Mono County Spanish-language weekly, *El Sol de la Sierra*.

**Thank you!**

Wendy Schneider, Executive Director
On behalf of Friends of the Inyo’s Staff and Board

**Stewardship/Public Lands Protection**

Created 4 Trail Ambassador seasonal jobs, and provided an opportunity for one Trail Ambassador to transition into the position of Desert Lands Organizer on our Policy Team.