

# WHY ARE PROFITEERS STILL PUSHING Grand Canyon Escalade?

Escalade's memorandum with Ben Shelly said, if the Master Agreement is not executed "by **JULY 1, 2013,**" then the relationship with the Nation "shall terminate without further action."



## THEIR ORIGINAL PLAN:

- Gondola Tram to the bottom of the Grand Canyon
- River Walk & Confluence Restaurant
- A destination resort hotel & spa, other hotels, RV park
- Commercial/retail space/opportunities, and an airport
- 5,167 acres developed at the confluence of the Colorado and Little Colorado rivers.

Escalade partner Albert Hale (left) and promoter Lamar Whitmer (right) present to Navajo Council, June 2014.



## People of Dine' bi'keyah REJECT Grand Canyon Escalade.

### IT'S TIME TO ASK:

- Where is the **MASTER AGREEMENT**?
- Where is the "solid public support" President Shelly said he needed before December 31, 2012?
- Where is support from Navajo presidential candidates and Navajo Nation Council?
- Who is going to profit?
- Who is going to pay **\$300 million** or more for roads, water, and infrastructure?
- Where is the final package of legislation the Confluence Partners said they delivered to the Navajo Nation Council Office of Legislative Affairs on June 10, 2014?

**WE ARE** the Save the Confluence families, generations of Navajo shepherds with grazing rights and home-site leases on the East Rim of Grand Canyon.

"Generations of teachings and way of life are at stake."  
—Sylvia Nockideneh-Tee Photo by Melody Nez



"It has been a long hard journey and we have suffered enough."  
—Delores Aguirre-Wilson, at the Confluence 1971



Resident Lucille Daniel stands firmly against Escalade.



"If there is a development there, at the confluence, where are our prayers going to go?"  
—Rena Yellowhorse



The Nockideneh and Saganitso families oppose Escalade. Photo by Melody Nez

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## Call your council delegate NOW!

Council Delegate (928-871-7160). Navajo Nation President and Vice-President (928-871-7000). Please state your opposition to Escalade and outside developers.

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