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## Big News



### *Back a Community Science Project Today*

Do you want to help a community science project progress to the next stage? Are you a fan of crowd-funding?

We have launched three community science projects as part of our partnership with Experiment.com, a crowd-funding platform for scientific research. Each project has identified a community challenge, and is ready to implement scientific research.

Here are the three projects:

- Drought and Local-Scale Precipitation Research (Kentucky)
- Water Monitoring For Wild Rice Production (Minnesota)
- Metal Contamination in Water Supplies (South Dakota)

[Help a project by pledging funds or sharing with like-minds.](#)

## Cool to Know



### *Crowds and Climate: From Ideas to Action*

[ClimateCoLab](#) are hosting a day-and-a-half conference program from November 6 – 7<sup>th</sup> 2014 on how new technology-enabled, crowd-based approaches can help to develop new ideas and take meaningful action on climate change.

Find the full conference details [here](#).  
To help support the live webcast, visit [here](#).



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