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Cross-border initiative for land-use planning

Mobilization intends to ensure conservation of the Acre River Basin an area comprising thousands of hectares spread over Brazil, Peru and Bolivia.

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Article about protected areas and climate change

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Over the past decade, climate change has developed from being the minor concern of a few protected areas specialists to a headline issue.

Read more:

<http://bit.ly/25yUtCr>

WHO ARE WE?

The Living Amazon Initiative (LAI) is a well-integrated and strategic WWF Global Initiative that aims to inform and collaborate with civil society, governments and businesses about the importance of the Amazon and drive decisions and actions for a sustainable future of the region.

Improving cooperation on protected areas

Members of the WWF Protected Areas Community of Practice discussed how to improve cooperation between WWF offices.

Find out more:

<http://bit.ly/1M3Ki29>



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WHAT'S NEW

STORIES FROM THE AMAZON

WWF-Peru

WWF-Perú se pronuncia sobre derrames de petróleo en Amazonas y Loreto

Sabores de la naturaleza: delicias de las área protegidas del Perú

Manatí Amazónico: Todo lo que necesitas saber para conocerlo mucho más

WWF- Bolivia

Transformando la gobernanza del sector forestal

WWF-Colombia:

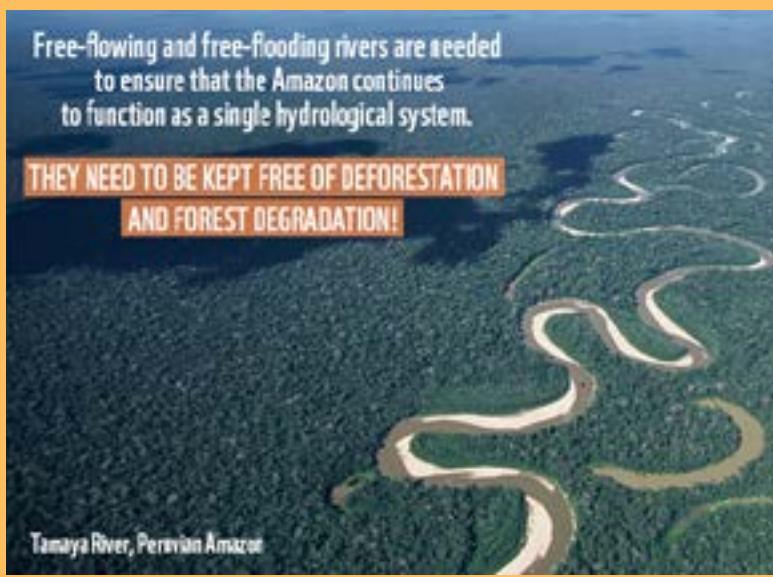
De cazadores a guardianes de la selva

Las Estrellas del Inírida

Llegó la hora de las renovables

WWF-Brazil

WWF proposes ways to boost the Brazilian Forest Code



Free-flowing and free-flooding rivers are needed to ensure that the Amazon continues to function as a single hydrological system.

THEY NEED TO BE KEPT FREE OF DEFORESTATION AND FOREST DEGRADATION!

Tamaya River, Peruvian Amazon

A scientific article written by Leandro Castello and Marcia Macedo and published by Global Change Biology magazine analyzes drivers of degradation of freshwater ecosystems in the Amazon, evaluates impacts on hydrological connectivity, and identifies policy deficiencies that hinder freshwater ecosystem protection in the Amazon. To read the article go to: <http://bit.ly/1UJwdrT>

During the World Water Day 2016, WWF Living Amazon also called attention to the impacts caused on hydrological connectivity in the Amazon Basin. <http://bit.ly/1PyV4uC>

VIDEO

On Saturday, March 19, 2016, Latin America turned off its lights and monuments to shine a light on its natural wonders. Meet the exciting events of Earth Hour around the world.





PUBLICATIONS

The report State of the Amazon: Freshwater Connectivity and Ecosystem Health, launched by WWF Living Amazon Initiative in 2015, provides a comprehensive assessment of the current state of Amazon freshwater ecosystems and highlights text boxes presenting worst case scenarios and potential positive paths with integrated approaches for watershed planning and management for maintaining Amazon ecological stability.

The full report in Spanish can be downloaded at: <http://bit.ly/1WexISb>

To read in English go to: <http://bit.ly/1RyiXFE>



AMAZON IN THE NEWS

English

Peru Reports - Oil spills contaminate major river in Peru's Amazon

Portuguese

Notícias Instituto Mamirauá-Instituto Mamirauá monitora onça pintada em gestação na Amazônia

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