Earthworks is dedicated to protecting communities and the environment from the adverse impacts of mineral and energy development while promoting sustainable solutions.
Protected Oceans from Mine Waste Dumping – Citigroup and Standard Chartered announced that they would stop financing the risky practice of dumping mine waste into oceans. The archaic process does not belong in modern mining and poses serious risks to fisherfolk, communities, and the environment.

Protected the Cabinet Mountains – For the first time, Montana initiated enforcement of the “Bad Actor” law to prevent Hecla’s CEO from obtaining new mining permits – because he failed to clean up past operations.

Exposed an Air Pollution Loophole – The California Air Resources Board (CARB) audited a key district’s loophole-riddled pollution credit system after our report, Undeserved Credit: Why emissions banking in California’s San Joaquin Valley puts air quality at risk exposed how companies were abusing it. Any resulting changes could give California’s San Joaquin Valley respite from rampant ozone and particle pollution from oil and gas drilling.

Protected Core Federal Environmental Laws and Regulations – The mining lobby attempted to eviscerate community and environmental oversight of their industry with a proposed rider to the defense bill in Congress that would have allowed federal agencies to forgo National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) compliance for virtually any type of mining operation. The rider was removed after our campaign – a huge victory in the face of unprecedented Trump administration environmental rollbacks.

Took Aim at Proposed Alaskan Mine Investors – The proposed Pebble Mine was dealt a major blow when First Quantum Minerals backed out of their deal with Northern Dynasty Minerals to construct the mine. The proposed mine threatens Alaska’s Bristol Bay, home to the largest sockeye salmon fishery in the world.
REVEALING THE OIL AND GAS THREAT
We’ve revamped our Community Empowerment Project website with new information and updated maps, making it easier than ever to find pollution in your community, follow complaints filed with regulators, hear stories from people on the front lines, and contact us about coming to your community.

Explore the revamped website at Earthworks.org/CEP

YOU MADE THIS POSSIBLE IN 2018
• 501 sites visited (367 unique sites)
• 11 states visited
• 175 complaints filed with regulators
  23% of cases of reduced pollution
  43% prompted responses from regulators

POWERFUL REPORTS
Earthworks’ 2018 reports have educated lawmakers and citizens, shaping the discussion through powerful research and analysis.

Find reports and more at earthworks.org/publications.

Thank You! Your support makes our work possible!

We would like to recognize the many people who support Earthworks’ mission. Your commitment to protecting communities and the environment made our successes last year possible! 100% of Earthworks’ budget is raised from private sources.

Special thanks to members of Earthworks’ giving circles: Defender Circle donors who give $1,000 or more annually; Sustainability Circle donors who make donations monthly; and Legacy Circle members who have pledged to include Earthworks in their estate plans.
FINANCIALS

Income
Corp. & Foundation Grants $2,665,213
Individual Contributions $844,740
Other $87,305
Total Income: $3,597,258

Year End Net Assets: $1,782,585

Expenses
Programs
Energy $2,167,658
Mining $690,769
General $369,137
Partnerships $248,685
Subtotal $3,476,249

Core Mission Support
Fundraising $360,214
Finance & Administration $199,886
Subtotal $560,100

Total Expenses: $4,036,349

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