EPISODE 6: Imagining a safe secure and biodiverse future with nature based citizen led bioregional governance.

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In this episode we talk about Nature-based governance and bioregionalism - two visionary, system-level approaches to ecological land management

Nature-based governance is an evolving framework for decision-making that centres around nature's systems, values, and processes. It promotes collaboration among diverse communities—including proper recognition of Indigenous interests—and addresses issues of power, justice, and fairness to ensure long-term ecological health which respects the interests of more than human species.

The allied concept of bioregionalism has been defined as a philosophy and a scientific framework that defines regions based on their natural characteristics like climate, geology, and plant and animal communities, rather than political boundaries. This approach seeks to create policies, cultures, and economies that are in harmony with the local environment, promoting regional self-sufficiency and a deeper connection to and caring for place.

Both Nature-based and bioregional approaches to land management offer better pathways toward regenerative, flourishing futures where the deeply interconnected wellbeing of humans and nature is mutually reinforcing – and exists in far better balance than it does today

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