

**Kuwoot yas.ein: His Spirit is Looking Out from the Cave**

(available on youtube.com, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HDCS56zZaNo> , 30 minutes)

Location of study (country, state/province):

What was discovered/dug up? How old were the remains?

Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA)

How did the consultation process work?

What were some of the responses from some of the local Indigenous peoples? Were feelings unanimous?

Forensic Evidence

What do the **holes in the bone** mean?

What do the **wisdom teeth** tell us?

What does the piece of the **pelvis** tell us?

How long ago was the discovered human alive?

What does this finding clarify?

Adapted to Coastal Life

Foods eaten?

Tools?

Trade Routes?

What do these findings confirm/clarify?

### Oral Tradition

What do the oral traditions say?

How do they relate (or not) to the scientific findings?

### Pacific Coast Migration

What do these findings suggest about the peopling of North America?

### Working Together

Why did this partnership work? What did the scientists do? What did the Indigenous groups do?

### Intern Program

Who were/are the interns?

What (cultural) struggles did they experience? How did they deal with them?

### Thinking Questions (answer two or three of the questions!)

- How are studies like this helpful to BOTH local communities and the scientific community?
- Why are studies like this important?
- How is knowledge in cultural anthropology essential for studies like this (in addition to archeological expertise)?