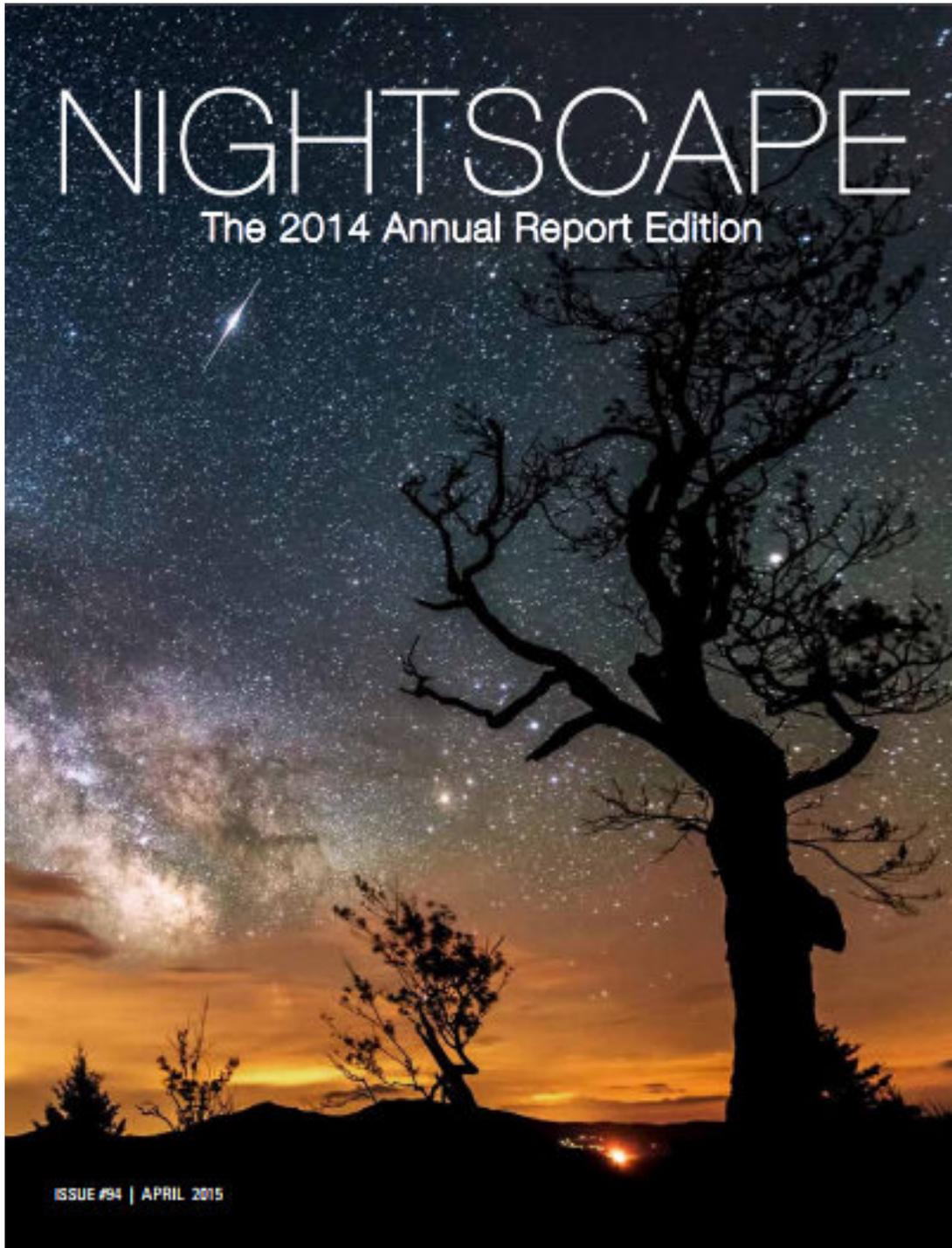


NIGHTSCAPE

The 2014 Annual Report Edition



ISSUE #94 | APRIL 2015

Community engagement is an important aspect of successful Dark Sky Places, and for Dark Sky Communities that means gaining support from various local stakeholders. **The Dark Sky Community of Borrego Springs** (Calif., USA) leads the way with its new “Night Sky Friendly Business” program. The Borrego Springs Dark Sky Coalition has started recognizing local businesses with dark sky friendly lighting. Businesses apply and if recognized, they receive a window sticker announcing their participation. Presentation of the first ten certificates was made at the end of February. Other aspiring Dark Sky Communities are studying the Borrego Springs model as they plan to start similar programs.”