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I'm an anthropologist and here to say,

I study resources every day.

Sometimes I write a paper, sometimes I read a book, But usually I go and take a look.

Renewable, natural, depleted too, Doin' the resources bugaloo.

A renewable resource is here to stay. Use the wind and you'll have it another day. Use the sun and tomorrow the sun will shine again. We use it now; ancient peoples used it then.

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A natural resource is what you've got From the Earth you live on. You need a lot. Water, and fuel, and a way to get food. If resources are plenty, then life is good.

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Depleted resources - those run low. Wood is one of the first to go. Fresh water's another that many lack. Forests and wells can be slow coming back. Renewable, natural, depleted too, Doin' the resources bugaloo.

A place like Chaco - why did they go?
That's something I'd really like to know.
Was it their resources? Did they use up what they had?
I want to find out, cause I want to know bad.

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