



**MAKING CALIFORNIA PARKS MORE WELCOMING,  
ACCESSIBLE, AND RELEVANT TO ALL VISITORS.**

## Parks California

California is home to the highest quality park system in the world. There are 280 State Parks, ranging from urban parks in the heart of our cities, to beaches along our iconic coast, to historic parks celebrating the ingenuity of humanity, to redwood groves and desert expanses.

Parks California is based on a new model for public, private, and nonprofit partnership, with our strength realized through statewide collaboration, and working together to solve complex problems more efficiently and effectively to create long term solutions.

*As California State Parks' statutory partner, we have a simple mission - to help strengthen parks and inspire all to experience these extraordinary places.*

### **WE PRIORITIZE**

- Increasing equitable access to parks
- Strengthening stewardship of parks
- Accelerating innovation across parks
- Expanding funding for parks
- Building a valued and trusted partner organization

**WE AMPLIFY** local efforts, raise public awareness, and enhance visitor experience by addressing barriers that keep many Californians from exploring and appreciating State Parks.

**WE PROMOTE** innovative partnerships among nonprofit, corporate, and governmental entities to leverage funding to achieve our goals. We seek replicable and sustainable solutions to scale statewide.

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*Parks California is based on a new model for public, private and nonprofit partnership.  
Together, we ensure protected lands remain resilient while meeting the evolving needs of all Californians.*



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