



We need your help! Please take a few minutes to provide your input on an important survey.

Every five years, the National Park Service requires Arizona State Parks and Trails to update the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP). This plan gathers information and recommendations to guide the management of outdoor recreation in Arizona, across all types of recreation activities, providers, and geographic areas of the state.

Information is gathered from 1) outdoor recreation stakeholders, 2) members of tribal nations, 3) professionals in the parks, recreation and conservation fields from both public and private organizations, 4) members of the public, and 5) outdoor recreation advocates and organizations. The information gathered identifies statewide issues and priorities for the next five years.

The priorities identified in the plan will:

- Update the open project selection process (including grant rating criteria) for the distribution of the Land and Water Conservation Fund and other outdoor recreation-related grants, like the Heritage Fund and the State Lake Improvement Fund.
- Promote a common understanding of state and regional issues, goals, objectives and actions impacting outdoor recreation interests.
- Provide a framework for strengthening collaboration among outdoor recreation advocates, providers, elected officials, and others to be more effective in championing and sustaining Arizona's outdoor recreation opportunities and economies

The SCORP is being developed by Arizona State University, Partners in Brainstorms and Arizona State Parks and Trails. Together, we will be gathering information in multiple formats from multiple audiences to produce a well-informed, inclusive plan that will be a valued resource for all.

Feedback from recreation providers is an important part of the process to help establish the funding and management priorities for outdoor recreation in Arizona. **Please [take the survey here!](#)**

Everyone who completes this survey will be eligible for a drawing for recreation-related prizes. At the end of the survey, you will be asked for your email address if you wish to participate in the drawing.

If other recreation providers in your organization or professional network can provide additional information and unique perspectives, please forward this invitation and survey link to them as well. More than one person may take the survey from each organization.

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