The Economic Impact of *Florida's Coastal State Parks*



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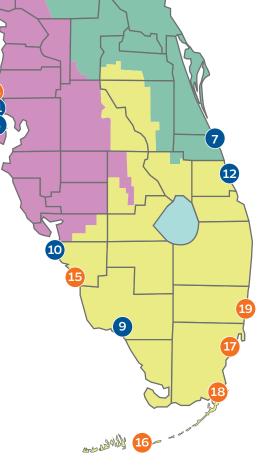
In 2019, Florida's coastal state parks were visited by more than **8 million** visitors, who spent over **\$570 million** in local economies, supporting **10,196** jobs.

Florida Keys and Coral Reef State Parks

In 2019, Florida's keys and coral reef state parks were visited by more than **3 million** visitors, who spent over **\$300 million** in local economies, supporting **4,308** jobs.

Florida Water Management Districts

- Northwest Florida
- Suwannee River
- St. Johns River
- Southwest Florida
- South Florida







*Direct Economic Impact (DEI): The amount of new dollars spent in a local economy by non-local park visitors and park operations.

Florida Coastal State Parks

- Grayton Beach State Park (Walton County) 212,050 park annual attendance \$19.5 million DEI* 274 total jobs supported
- Henderson Beach State Park (Okaloosa County) 476,296 park annual attendance \$41.3 million DEI* 578 total jobs supported
- St. Andrew State Park (Bay County)
 650,335 park annual attendance \$57 million DEI*
 798 total jobs supported
- Big Talbot Island State Park (Duval County)
 337,068 park annual attendance \$29 million DEI*
 407 total jobs supported

5. Anastasia State Park

(St. Johns County) 967,489 park annual attendance \$83.9 million DEI* 1,175 total jobs supported

- 6. North Peninsula State Park (Volusia County)
 249,751 park annual attendance \$21.3 million DEI*
 299 total jobs supported
- Sebastian Inlet State Park (Brevard County)
 761,339 park annual attendance \$66.5 million DEI*
 931 total jobs supported
- Caladesi Island State Park (Pinellas County)
 288,445 park annual attendance \$25.5 million DEI*
 357 total jobs supported
- 9. Delnor-Wiggins Pass State Park

(Collier County) 539,633 park annual attendance \$46.9 million DEI* 657 total jobs supported **10.** Gasparilla Island State Park

(Lee County) 281,241 park annual attendance \$24.4 million DEI* 341 total jobs supported

11. Honeymoon Island State Park (Pinellas County)

1,610,871 park annual attendance \$140.3 million DEI* 1,965 total jobs supported

12. Fort Pierce Inlet State Park

(St. Lucie County) 248,599 park annual attendance \$21.8 million DEI* 306 total jobs supported

Florida Keys and Coral Reef State Parks

13. Perdido Key State Park

(Escambia County) 215,257 park annual attendance \$18.4 million DEI* 258 total jobs supported

14. Anclote Key State Park

(Pasco & Pinellas counties) 226,846 park annual attendance \$19.5 million DEI* 274 total jobs supported

15. Lovers Key State Park

(Lee County) 806,978 park annual attendance \$69.7 million DEI* 976 total jobs supported

16. Bahia Honda State Park

(Monroe County) 438,179 park annual attendance \$40.6 million DEI* 568 total jobs supported

17. Bill Baggs Cape Florida State Park (Miami-Dade County) 675,000 park annual attendance

\$58.9 million DEI* 824 total jobs supported

18. John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park

(Monroe County) 569,194 park annual attendance \$50.3 million DEI* 704 total jobs supported

19. Dr. Von D. Mizell-Eula Johnson State Park

(Broward County) 340,778 park annual attendance \$30.3 million DEI* 424 total jobs supported

Source: Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Florida State Park System: Economic Impact Assessment, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 10/2/2019.