Restore America's Parks

April 4, 2017

The Honorable Lisa Murkowski	The Honorable Ken Calvert
Chair	Chair
Interior Subcommittee	House Subcommittee on
Committee on Appropriations	Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies
Washington, DC 20510	Washington, DC 20515
The Honorable Tom Udall	The Honorable Betty McCollum
Ranking Minority Member	Ranking Minority Member
Interior Subcommittee	House Subcommittee on
Committee on Appropriations	Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies
Washington, DC 20510	Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Murkowski, Chair Calvert, Ranking Member Udall, and Ranking Member McCollum:

2016 marked the 100th birthday of the National Park Service (NPS), which oversees more than 400 natural and cultural areas in all 50 states and most U.S. territories. NPS faces a growing challenge in adequately maintaining its sites to ensure that visitors can experience the parks' natural beauty and learn about our nation's history. After decades of underfunding, NPS has an infrastructure repair backlog estimated at \$11.9 billion (FY 2015). This includes crucial repairs to aging historical structures and thousands of miles of roads and trails, bridges, tunnels, sewers, drainage, and other vital infrastructure.

Writer and historian Wallace Stegner said that national parks are "the best idea we ever had. Absolutely American, absolutely democratic, they reflect us at our best rather than our worst." As companies, organizations, and associations, we support addressing the infrastructure repair backlog throughout these parks.

To address the backlog and put our national parks on sound financial footing for the future, we must do the following

- Create a guaranteed federal fund that will chip away at the estimated \$11.9 billion backlog over time.
- Implement policy reforms, such as entry and vendor fees, that will help to prevent repair backlog from accruing to begin with.
- Direct more Highway Trust Fund dollars to NPS, as half of the estimated \$11.9 billion backlog is attributed to the 10,000 miles of roads and hundreds of bridges and tunnels that NPS must maintain and repair.
- Provide additional opportunities for public-private opportunities to address infrastructure repair.

From the Grand Canyon and the Great Smoky Mountains, to the Statue of Liberty to battlefields like Gettysburg, the National Park System serves as a living testament to our citizens' valor, our hardships, our victories, and our traditions as Americans. We need to ensure that our children and grandchildren are able to see and appreciate our rich history in these places, and to learn more about the people and lands that have shaped us as a nation.

We urge you to work with us to protect our national parks well into the future and, in particular, to support guaranteed funding for infrastructure repair needs.

Sincerely,

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<u>Arizona</u>

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Gateway Community businesses and organizations 6th Cavalry Museum

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Alger County Chamber of Commerce Empire Chamber of Commerce Frankfort-Elberta Chamber of Commerce Glen Lake Chamber of Commerce Greater Munising Bay Partnership for Commerce Development

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Arbor Woods Vacation Homes Art's Tavern Cherry Republic Empire Outdoors Keweenaw Convention and Visitors Bureau Leland Chamber of Commerce Munising Downtown Development Authority Suttons Bay Chamber of Commerce Traverse City Tourism

Indigo Bluffs RV Park and Resort Leelanau Coffee Roasting Company Sleeping Bear Surf and Kayak

Minnesota

Elected Officials

Nancy Tyra-Lukens, Mayor, Eden Prairie Tina Folch, City Council, Hastings Doug Menikheim, City Council, Stillwater Amy Brendmoen, City Council, St. Paul

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Cook County Chamber of Commerce Destination Voyageurs National Park Falls Chamber of Commerce International Falls, Rainy Lake and Ranier Convention and Visitors Bureau

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Arrowhead Lodge and Resort Cycle Path Paddle Finn Sisu Sporting Goods Gear West North Star Canoes Dai Thao, City Council, St. Paul Rebecca Noecker, City Council, St. Paul Russ Stark, City Council, St. Paul

Inver Grove Convention and Visitors Bureau Kabetogama Lake Association Pipestone Chamber of Commerce Visit Cook County Visit St. Paul

NorthWest Canoe Piragis Northwoods Company Superior North Outdoor Center Wilderness Inquiry

Mississippi

Gateway Community resolutions

City of Natchez City of Ridgeland City of Tupelo

Elected Officials

Hob Bryan, State Senator, 7th District (Amory) John Horhn, State Senator, 26th District (Jackson) David Blount, State Senator, 27th District (Jackson) Bob Dearing, State Senator, 37th District (Natchez) D. Stephen, State Representative, 16th District (Plantersville) Oscar Denton, State Representative, 55th District (Vicksburg) Robert Johnson III, State Representative, 94th District (Natchez)

Statewide Supporters

Bed and Breakfast Association of Mississippi Gulf Restoration Network Mississippi Main Street Association Natchez Trace Compact Southeast Tourism Society City of Vicksburg City of Corinth

Butch Brown, Mayor, Natchez Gloria Holland, Mayor, Plantersville Sadie Holland, Justice Court Judge, Plantersville Gene McGee, Mayor, Ridgeland D.I. Smith, Alderman, Ridgeland Jason Shelton, Mayor, Tupelo Jim Johnson, Sherriff, Tupelo Lynn Bryan, City Council, Tupelo George Flaggs, Mayor, Vicksburg Billie Joe Holland, County Supervisor, Lee County

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Canton Chamber of Commerce Main Street Association Canton Convention and Visitors Bureau Calhoun County Economic Development Association Claiborne County-Port Gibson Chamber Clinton Chamber of Commerce Kosciusko-Attala Development Corporation

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

A2Z Printing African-American Military History Museum Ajax Diner B&B Concrete Baria-Jones Law Firm **Battle Focus** Black Jack Oil Blaylock Fine Art Photography, Inc Borum Family Health Clinic for Children and Adults Boys & Girls Clubs of North Mississippi Capital Financial Group - Tupelo office Carby And Carby PC Cathead Vodka **CDA** Hospitality Century Commercial Real Estate Servivces Charboneau Distillery Clapton Realty Company Cotton Alley Cafe **Craft Spirits LLC** Crowd Qwest LLC **Duvall Decker Architects Echo Pictures** Eichelberger Law Firm Elgin Plantation Guest House Forum Family Health Clinic FR Blankenstein Wholesale Fred Richards, CPA General Pump Hardware Store Grennell Paint Quarter Horses **Guice Agency** Harden Enterprises Hardy Reed Financial Consultants Historic Natchez Foundation Hudson Management Corp. dba McDonalds Imaginary Company J. Britt Lighting and Interiors James Bell, Attorney James L. Weir Law Firm

Mississippi Gulf Coast Regional Convention & Visitors Bureau Okolona Area Chamber of Commerce Ridgeland Tourism Commission The Alliance: Corinth and Alcorn Co. Tishomingo Co. Tourism Council Tupelo Convention and Visitors Bureau Visit Jackson

Jones Lumber Company Jordan Flooring Jordan, Kaiser and Sessions Engineering KC Grist Consulting Ketco Enterprises Kings Tavern Natchez Kossen Equipment LB Properties LLC Luckett Communications Magnolia Cultural LLC Middleton Law Firm Mindful Therapy Mississippi e-Center Mitchell McNutt Lawfirm Molpus Woodlands Group Natchez Arts Gallery Natchez Childrens Services Natchez, Inc. **Open Air Tours** P3 Strategies LLC Peters Real Estate Phelps Dunbar Tupelo Pig Out Inn **Plan House Printing** Prime Time Agency **Reed's Clothing Risk Management Partners** Ritter Law Firm **Rolling Roasters Bistro** Safe and Sound Home Care Salmon Architect, LLC Scent from Natchez Shanty Bellum Silas Simmons, CPA Slover and Associates Sportsman Lawn and Landscape Stahlman Management Services StateStreet Group, LLC Stedman Real Estate

Stephens and Hobdy Insurance Stratton Bull Law Firm The Archaeological Conservancy-Southeast The Greenlea Company The Learning Skills Center The Link Centre Tour by Design Truly, Smith and Latham PLLC Twin Oaks Natchez, LLC Walter Brown Attorney Water Fresh, Inc. Wayfil Jewelry Wood Law Firm

<u>Missouri</u>

Statewide Supporters Missouri Lodging Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Carthage Chamber of Commerce Carthage Convention and Visitors Bureau Eminence Chamber of Commerce Explore St. Louis Joplin Convention and Visitors Bureau Salem Area Chamber of Commerce Springfield Convention and Visitors Bureau Van Buren Chamber of Commerce

Montana

Statewide Supporters

Continental Divide Trail Coalition Montana Conservation Corps Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Beaverhead Chamber of Commerce Big Sky Chamber of Commerce Big Sky Convention and Visitors Bureau Dillon Convention and Visitors Bureau Gardiner Chamber of Commerce Laurel Chamber of Commerce Southwest Montana Tourism

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Clark Fork Trout Rocky Mountain International

<u>Nebraska</u>

Statewide Supporters Nebraska Hotel & Lodging Association Nebraska Restaurant Association

Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Beatrice Chamber of Commerce Crawford Chamber of Commerce Gage County Tourism Main Street Beatrice Scottsbluff/Gering United Chamber of Commerce

<u>Nevada</u>

Gateway Community resolutions

City of Boulder City City of Ely

Elected Officials

James Bilbray, former U.S. Congressman Richard Segerblom, State Senator, 3rd District (Las Vegas) Elliot Anderson, State Assemblyman, 15th District (Las Vegas) Carolyn Goodman, Mayor, Las Vegas Pamela Goynes-Brown, Mayor Pro Tem, Las Vegas Mike Saunders, Deputy Attorney, Las Vegas Steve Sisolak, Chair-County Commission, Clark County Larry Brown, County Commission, Clark County Chris Giunchigliani, County Commission, Clark County Marilyn Kirkpatrick, County Commission, Clark County Andy Hafen, Mayor, Henderson

City of Henderson City of Reno

John Lee, Mayor, North Las Vegas Anita Wood, City Council, North Las Vegas Isaac Barron, City Council, North Las Vegas Richard Cherchio, City Council, North Las Vegas Melody Van Camp, Mayor, ElyKurt Carson, City Council, Ely Jolene Gardner, City Council, Ely Pat Robison, City Council, Ely San Hanson, City Council, Ely Bruce Setterstrom, City Council, Ely Roy Edgington, Jr., Mayor, Fernley Stana Hurlburt, Mayor, Caliente Allan Litman, Mayor, Mesquite David Bobzien, City Council, Reno Chris Garvey, Trustee, Clark County School Board

Statewide Supporters

Nevada Conservation League & Education Fund Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Beatty Chamber of Commerce Boulder City Chamber of Commerce Henderson Chamber of Commerce Las Vegas Asian Chamber of Commerce Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority Ward 5 Chamber of Commerce White Pine Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

1 Sun Solar Companies Accessible Trails Foundation Archaeological Institute of America Society Southern Nevada (Las Vegas) Battle Born Progress Better Education Today Billy's BBQ Carolina Chacon Consulting Carter Powersports Central Rotary Club – Las Vegas Girl Scouts of the Sierra Nevada Chung Insurance Agency Incorporated Colucci Animal Trappers and Savers Inc. Community Services of Nevada Desert Research Institute Desert Wind Coffee Roasters Doral Academy Education Space Family to Family Connection Filthy Animal Apparel Friends of Gold Butte Friends of Sloan Canyon Fundraising Fore Futures Girl Scout Troop #44 – Las Vegas Girl Scouts of Southern Nevada **GLVAR** Green Committee Go Solar Las Vegas Goldwater Consulting Goldwell Open Air Museum Great Basin Institute Heddy's Fabric Integrity Partners Inc. Kenny Guinn Center for Policy Priorities Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Kiwanis Club of the Las Vegas Strip Las Vegas Foundation Las Vegas Health & Fitness Chamber of Commerce Laborers International Union Local 872 Las Vegas Kids Directory Las Vegas Young Professionals League of Women Voters of Las Vegas Valley LM Enterprises LLC Losander Inc. Mardy's Designs Montoya Law Murrieta & Associates Consulting LLC Nevada Nuclear Waste Task Force North Las Vegas Kiwanis Club North Las Vegas Rotary Club On the Ranch Powered By Sunshine

Principal Architect LEBODESIGN Principal, Anne Johnson, AIA Principal, DECO Lights Professor, CSN Reba Labat Agency LLC **Red Rock Citizens** RoadUp Sandbags LLC Save Nevada's Water Ban Fracking In Nevada SH Architecture Sol-Up Southern Nevada Building Construction Trade Council Southwest Energy Efficiency Project - Nevada Source Direct Promotions Summer Swim School The Blue Nevadan The Magic School The Vegas Dad The Zen Speaker Trina Johnson Events Troph LLC Vegas Tows LLC Verdek Visual Eye Photography Weston Tutoring WOLF Consulting Young Democrats of Nevada

New Hampshire

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs) Lebanon Area Chamber of Commerce

New Jersey

Elected Officials Susan McCartney, City Council, West Orange

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Eastern Monmouth Area Chamber of Commerce Greater Newton Chamber of Commerce Hudson Co. Chamber of Commerce Morris County Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Friends of Thomas Edison National Historic Park Morris County Economic Development Corporation Morris County Tourism Bureau Sussex Co. Chamber of Commerce West Orange Chamber of Commerce

New Mexico

Gateway Community resolutions

City of Los Alamos City of Santa Fe

Elected Officials

Mimi Stewart, State Senator, 17th District (Albuquerque) Brian Egolf, Speaker of the House, 47th District (Santa Fe) Dale Janway, Mayor, Carlsbad Ken Miyagashima, Mayor, Las Cruces

Statewide Supporters

Americans for Indian Opportunity Backcountry Horsemen of New Mexico Conservation Voters NM Continental Divide Trail Coalition Environment New Mexico EPICS (Education for Parents of Indian Children with Special Needs) Interfaith Power & Light Native American Voters Alliance New Mexico Hospitality Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

New Mexico Chamber Executives Association Alamogordo Chamber of Commerce Albuquerque Chamber of Commerce Albuquerque Westside Chamber of Commerce Clayton-Union Co. Chamber of Commerce Espanola Valley Chamber of Commerce Farmington Chamber of Commerce Gallup-McKinley County Chamber of Commerce Grants-Cibola County Chamber of Commerce Las Cruces Green Chamber of Commerce Los Alamos Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Albuquerque Wildlife Federation Amigos Bravos Atlixco Productions LLC Bold Visions Conservation Buffalo Tours in Los Alamos CB Fox Department Store – Los Alamos Conservation Legacy EDJ Ink – Los Alamos EdwardJones Investing--Los Alamos Javier Gonzales, Mayor, Santa Fe Susan O'Leary, Vice Chair County Council, Los Alamos Pete Sheehey, County Commissioner, Los Alamos Pat Davis, City Council, Albuquerque

New Mexico Restaurant Association New Mexico Voices for Children New Mexico Wilderness Alliance New Mexico Wildlife Federation One New Mexico Opportunity New Mexico Southwest Conservation Corps Strong Families New Mexico Western National Parks Association Wildearth Guardians

Los Alamos Commerce & Development Corporation Mora Valley Chamber of Commerce Otero County Economic Development Council Raton Chamber and Economic Development Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce Santa Fe Chamber of Commerce Santa Fe Green Chamber of Commerce Silver City Arts and Cultural District Silver City Grant Co. Chamber Visit Carlsbad Visit Raton

Far Flung Adventures Focus Ink – Los Alamos Friends of Bandelier Gila Conservation Coalition Gila Resources Information Project Green Fire Times Infinity Wellness JACO Outfitters, LLC Jewish Community Center of Greater Albuquerque Juntos, a project of CVNM Education Fund Los Alamos Historical Society Los Alamos National Labs (LANL) Foundation Metzger's Hardware – Los Alamos North Road Inn – Los Alamos Pajarito Environmental Education Center/Los Alamos Nature Center Partnership for Responsible Business Rio Grande Chapter of the Sierra Club Rio Grande Valley Great Old Broads for Wilderness Rio Puerco Alliance Southwest Organizing Project Taos Land Trust Teres Kids Voces LLC YWCA Middle Rio Grande

New York

Elected Officials Anthony Picente, County Executive, Oneida County

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Columbia County Tourism Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce Dutchess Tourism Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce Oneida County Tourism Oyster Bay Main Street Association

North Carolina

Statewide Supporters North Carolina Restaurant & Lodging Association Southeast Tourism Society

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Alleghany County Chamber of Commerce Andrews Chamber of Commerce Asheville Area Chamber of Commerce Asheville Convention and Visitors Bureau Avery County Chamber of Commerce Blowing Rock Chamber of Commerce Blowing Rock Tourism Development Authority Boone Area Chamber of Commerce Brevard/Transylvania Chamber of Commerce Crystal Coast Tourism Authority Greensboro Convention and Visitors Bureau Henderson County Chamber of Commerce Henderson County Tourism Development Authority Outer Banks Chamber of Commerce Outer Banks Visitors Bureau Watauga/Boone Tourist Development Authority Wilmington and Beaches Convention and Visitors Bureau Wilmington Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Antler Ridge Vacation Rentals Di Santi Watson Capua Wilson & Garrett, PLLC – Blowing Rock Jerome D. Miller, CFP – Blowing Rock Mast General Store, Inc. -- Boone ZAP Fitness – Blowing Rock

North Dakota

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Beulah Chamber of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureau Hazen Chamber of Commerce McKenzie County Tourism Bureau Medora Convention and Visitors Bureau

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Rocky Mountain International

<u>Ohio</u>

Statewide Supporters Ohio Hotel & Lodging Association

Ohio Travel Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Akron Summit Convention and Visitors Bureau Canton Regional Chamber of Commerce Cuyahoga Valley Chamber of Commerce Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce Dayton Convention and Visitors Bureau Destination Cleveland Lake County Ohio Visitors Bureau Lake Erie Shores and Islands Visitors Bureau Mentor Area Chamber of Commerce Nordonia Hills Chamber of Commerce Put-in-Bay Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau Stark County Convention and Visitors Bureau Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce

Oklahoma

Statewide Supporters Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs) Cheyenne Roger Mills Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Green Country Inn

Oregon

Statewide Supporters

Association of Northwest Steelheaders NW Guides & Anglers Association Northwest Youth Corps Oregon Restaurant & Lodging Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Astoria-Warrenton Chamber of Commerce Grant County Chamber of Commerce Grants Pass & Josephine County Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Central Oregon Fly Tyers Guild Level Beer Gigantic Brewing Company Illinois Valley Community Development Organization Klamath County Chamber of Commerce Travel Portland

Sagara Outdoor Products Wasatch Custom Angling Products

Pennsylvania

Elected Officials

Annette Atkinson, Supervisor, Middle Smithfield Township Mark Oney, Supervisor, Middle Smithfield Township Michael Dwyer, Middle Smithfield Township

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Allegheny Ridge Corporation Destination Gettysburg Explore Altoona Fayette Chamber of Commerce Great Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce Greater Johnstown/Cambria County Convention and Visitors Bureau Greater Reading Convention and Visitors Bureau Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce Lackawanna County Convention and Visitors Bureau Middle Smithfield Township Economic Development Committee Philadelphia Convention and Visitors Bureau Phoenixville Regional Chamber of Commerce Pocono Mountains Visitor Bureau Somerset County Chamber of Commerce TriCounty Area Chamber of Commerce Tyrone Chamber of Commerce Valley Forge Tourism and Convention Bureau Visit Philadelphia

Rhode Island

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs) Providence Convention and Visitors Bureau

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Collette Travel Preserve Rhode Island

South Carolina

Elected Officials Mike Rowe, Mayor, Town of Ninety Six

Statewide Supporters Southeast Tourism Society

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Cherokee County Chamber of Commerce Greenwood SC Chamber of Commerce Orangeburg County Chamber of Commerce Sea Islands Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Arcadia Publishing and The History Press Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce Visit Greenwood York County Convention and Visitors Bureau

South Dakota

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Hill City Area Chamber of Commerce Hot Springs Area Chamber of Commerce Rapid City Convention and Visitors Bureau South Dakota Hotel & Lodging Association South Dakota Retailers Association Vermillion Area Chamber of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureau Yankton Area Chamber of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureau

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Rocky Mountain International

Tennessee

Gateway Community resolutions

Town of Dandridge City of Gatlinburg Town of Greeneville City of Maryville

Elected Officials

Steve McDaniel, State Representative, 72nd District Andy Berke, Mayor, Chattanooga Madeline Rogero, Mayor, Knoxville Don Mull, Mayor, Alcoa Connie Ball, Mayor, Alcoa Connie Ball, Mayor, Newport Ann Davis, Mayor, Newport Ann Davis, Mayor, Athens David Wear, Mayor, Pigeon Forge Gary Jacobs, Mayor, Centerville Gary Welch, City Manager, Savannah Christa Martin, Vice Mayor, Columbia

Statewide Supporters

Dollywood Scenic Tennessee Southeast Conservation Corps Southeast Tourism Society Sustainable Tennessee Tennessee Chapter of the Sierra Club Tennessee Citizens for Wilderness Planning Tennessee Clean Water Network Tennessee Conservation Voters Tennessee Council of Trout Unlimited Tennessee Environmental Council City of Pigeon Forge City of Savannah City of Sevierville

Kevin Davis, Mayor, Hardin County Mike Werner, Mayor, Gatlinburg Bryan Atchley, Mayor, Sevierville Mark Potts, Mayor, Jefferson City Jonathan Dagley, Mayor, Wartburg Jack Lay, Mayor, Oneida George Potter, Mayor, Huntsville Jim Hickman, City Manager, Waynesboro Jeff Howell, Mayor, Waynesboro Ken Moore, Mayor, Franklin Shane McFarland, Mayor, Murfreesboro

Tennessee Geographic Alliance Tennessee Green Hospitality Program Tennessee Hospitality and Tourism Association TenneSEA Tennessee Orinthological Society Tennessee Returned Peace Corps Volunteers Tennessee Urban Forestry Council Tennessee Walkingmen Tennessee Wildlife Federation The Land Trust for Tennessee

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Blount Chamber of Commerce Carter County Tourism Association Chattanooga Convention & Visitors Bureau Cocke County Partnership Sevierville Chamber of Commerce Stewart County Chamber of Commerce Wears Valley Area Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

212 Market A Walk in the Woods A/Trail. Inc. Author Johnny Molloy Benjamin Walls Fine Art Gallery Benton MacKaye Trail Association **Big East Fork Retreat and Farms** Biketopia Black Bear Solar Institute Bowman Adventures Bradfield Environmental Consulting Brent McCamish Photography **Caney Fork Outdoors** Cedar City Consulting Center for Sustainable Stewardship Chattanooga Audubon Society Cherokee Rafting **CLIMB** Nashville Clinch River Chapter of Trout Unlimited Coast 2 Coast Coker Creek Village Cole Scott Consulting Creekview Farm Retreat B&B **Cumberland Transit** D.A. Ramsey Photography Dynamic Capabilities Group Eastern Fly Outfitters Equestrian Legacy Radio Escape to the Southeast Travel Guide Explore Oak Ridge Fly South Fort Donelson Camp #62 Four Bridges Outfitters Friends of Mocassin Bend National Park Friends of Shiloh National Military Park Friends of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park Gear Closet Glen Leven Farm Gran Fondo Cycles Greater Knoxville Hospitality Association Greater Nashville Hospitality Association Green Spaces Green View Properties Greenways of Nashville **GSM** Outfitters Hike The Smokys.com Hikey Mikey JK Woodworks

Johnson City Hiking Club Johnson City Parks and Recreation Johnson Management and Media Kilowatt Ours Knoxville Botanical Garden and Arboretum Kristin Knoll Legacy Parks Foundation Lequire Gallery Lifeview Outdoors Lilly Pad Obed Little River Chapter of Trout Unlimited Lori Putnam - Artist Mahoney's Outfitters Mast General Store, Inc. McKee Outdoors Melinda Welton Bird Works Consulting Memphis Cyclist Mid-Appalachian Highlands Morning Pointe Mud Creek Farms Nashville Underground Radio New Paradaigm Development Partners North Chickamauga Creek Conservancy Old Timers Hiking Club Once Upon a Time Wilderness Adventures Outdoor Chattanooga **Over Your Head Productions** Overmountain Chapter of Trout Unimited Panther Creek Bike Shop Pride of Place/Tennessee Bottle Bill Project R and R Fly Fishing R.B.'s Cyclery Inc. **Rock Creek Outfitters** Scenic Knoxville Shiloh Accounting Sierra Club - Cherokee Group Smoky Mountain Navigator Smoky Mountains Outdoor Unlimited **Smoky Mountains Rafting** South Chickamauga Creek Greenway Alliance Southeast Pack Trips Stones River Paddle Company Strategic Solutions Partnership LLC Team Green Adventures Tellico Grains Bakery Inc Tennessee Fly Company Tennessee Ornithological Society - Memphis Chapter Tennessee State Naturalist Emeritus

The Art of David Wright The Blue Mason Coffeehouse The Compost Company The Crash Pad Chattanooga The Nugget on Coker Creek Trace Bikes Trees Knoxville Trekka Outfitters Trout Unlimited - Appalachian Chapter Trout Unlimited - Cumberland Chapter Trout Unlimited - Hiwassee Chapter Trout Unlimited - Overmountain Chapter Viking Mountain Lodge Wahoo's Adventures Walk Bike Tennessee Watauga Group of the Tennessee Sierra Club Watauga Watershed Alliance Wayne County Chamber Webb Brothers Float Service West Bicycles Wild Birds Unlimited Will Skelton

<u>Texas</u>

Statewide Supporters American Youthworks/TX Conservation Corps Gulf Restoration Network

Texas Restaurant Association Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Alpine Chamber of Commerce Bellmead Chamber of Commerce Del Rio Chamber and Convention and Visitors Bureau Dumas/Moore Chamber Dripping Springs Visitors Bureau El Paso Chamber of Commerce El Paso Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Fort Davis Chamber of Commerce Greater Waco Chamber of Commerce Hewitt Chamber of Commerce Johnson City Visitor Center and Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Taxa Outdoors **Bureaus (CVBs)** Marble Falls/Lake LBJ Chamber of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureau Odessa Chamber of Commerce Odessa Convention and Visitors Bureau

Port Aransas Chamber of Commerce Port Isabel Chamber of Commerce South Padre Island Chamber Tyler County Chamber of Commerce Visit El Paso Visit Fredericksburg TX Waco Convention and Visitors Bureau

<u>Utah</u>

Statewide Supporters Utah Hotel & Lodging Association Utah Restaurant Association Utah Scenic Byways

Utah Tourism Industry Association Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Corporation of Utah Bear River Valley Chamber of Commerce Brigham Area Chamber of Commerce Cache Chamber of Commerce

Cache Valley Visitors Bureau Cedar City Chamber of Commerce Cedar City-Brian Head Tourism Davis County Tourism and Events Hurricane Valley Chamber of Commerce

Kanab Area Chamber of Commerce Moab Area Travel Council Utah Valley Chamber of Commerce Utah Valley Convention and Visitors Bureau Vernal Area Chamber of Commerce Visit Salt Lake Visit St. George Washington Area Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Boy Scout Troop 1874 Goulding's Lodge & Tours

Vermont

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs) Woodstock Area Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations Inn Consulting Partners

<u>Virginia</u>

Statewide Supporters Southeast Tourism Society

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce Botetourt County Chamber of Commerce Businesses of Rappahannock Chincoteague Visitor's Center and Chamber of Commerce Colonial Beach Chamber of Commerce Colonial Heights Chamber of Commerce Crater Planning District Commission Culpeper Tourism and Economic Development Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Floyd County Chamber of Commerce Greater McLean Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Danbra Tours LLC Friends of Dyke Marsh Great Appalachian Valley Conservation Corps Loudoun County Visitor Center Petersburg Area Regional Tourism Petersburg Chamber of Commerce Stanardsville Area Revitalization Top of Virginia Regional Chamber of Commerce Tysons Regional Chamber of Commerce Visit Fairfax Visit Virginia's Blue Ridge Winchester – Frederick County Convention and Visitors Bureau York County Chamber of Commerce

Mast General Store, Inc. Trust for the George Washington Memorial Parkway

Washington

Gateway Community resolutions

City of Covington City of Seattle City of Shoreline

Elected Officials

Pat McCarthy, Washington State Auditor Dave Somers, Executive, Snohomish County Jerome Delvin, Commissioner, Benton County Mark Ozias, Commissioner, Clallam County Mark Boldt, Commissioner, Clark County David Sullivan, Comm., Jefferson County Claudia Balducci, Commissioner, King County Jean Kohl-Welles, Commissioner, King County Frank Wolfe, Commissioner, Pacific County Dan Roach, Commissioner, Pierce County Derek Young, Commissioner, Pierce County Rick Talbert, Commissioner, Pierce County Ken Dahlstedt, Commissioner, Skagit County Ron Wesen, Commissioner, Skagit County James Duncan, Commissioner, Walla Walla Co. James Johnson, Commissioner, Walla Walla Co. Todd Vanek, Mayor, Colfax Louis Janke, Mayor, Colville Tom Trulove, Mayor, Cheney Pete Kmet, Mayor, Tumwater Crystal Dingler, Mayor, Ocean Shores Randy Taylor, Mayor, Prosser Liz Reynolds, Mayor, Enumclaw

Statewide Supporters

Backcountry Horsemen of Washington Conservation Northwest Washington Bed & Breakfast Guild (WBBG) Washington Council of Trout Unlimited

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Downtown Bellingham Partnership Greater Seattle Business Association Jefferson County Washington Tourism Coordinating Council Kent Downtown Partnership Langley Main Street Association North Hood Canal Chamber of Commerce

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Bellevue-Issaquah Trout Unlimited Bitterroot Net Company Calyx Sustainable Tourism Clark County Trout Unlimited Columbia River Chapter - Association of NW Steelheaders Dianna Denny Design Duna Fisheries, LLC Emerald Water Anglers, LLC

Terry Goetz, Mayor Pro Tem, Odessa Glorida Kuchenbuch, Mayor, Wilbur Andy Ryder, Mayor, Lacey Pat Johnson, Mayor, Buckley Royal DeVaney, Mayor, Waterville Marilyn Strickland, Mayor, Tacoma Ryan Mello, Deputy Mayor, Tacoma Frank Chestnut, Mayor, Cosmopolis Linda Lehman, Mayor, Benton City Glenn Johnson, Mayor, Pullman Val Tollefson, Mayor, Bainbridge Island Ann McEnerney-Olgle, Mayor Pro Tem, Vancouver Alishia Topper, City Council, Vancouver Sean Smith, Mayor Pro Tem, Covington Debora Juarez, City Council, Seattle Kshama Sawant, City Council, Seattle Lisa Herbold, City Council, Seattle Lorena Gonzalez, City Council, Seattle Mike O'Brien, City Council, Seattle Sally Bagshaw, City Council, Seattle John Creighton, Port of Seattle Commission

Washington Tourism Alliance Washington Trust for Historic Preservation Washington Wild Washington Wildlife Federation

Olympia-Lacey-Tumwater Visitor & Convention Bureau Olympic Peninsula Gateway Visitor Center Seattle Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce The Port Townsend Main Street Program Vancouver Downtown Association Whidbey and Camano Islands Tourism Yakima Valley Tourism

Emerging Rivers Guide Services Etta's Place Suites Evergreen Escapes ExOfficio Filson Fort Vancouver National Trust Hiatt Consulting, LLC Historic Downtown Chelan Association Historic Seattle Icicle Valley Trout Unlimited Islandwood Izaak Walton League - Seattle Chapter Laird Norton Wealth Management Mountain Gear. Inc. Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust National Parks Revealed North Sound Chapter Trout Unlimited Norvise Fly Tying System Oak Harbor Main Street Olympia Chapter Trout Unlimited **Olympic Peninsula Fishing Innovations** Olympic Raft & Kayak Orca Conservancy

Orca Network **Recreation Northwest** Sandstone Distillery SMJ Management Spokane Preservation Advocates The Avid Angler The Inn at Mallard Cove, a Bed & Breakfast Troutwater - Fly Shop, Guide Service, Outfitters Vancouver Audubon Society Vancouver Wildlife League Visit Seattle Washington Hometown Willapa Hills Audubon Society Wirta Hospitality

West Virginia

Statewide Supporters Southeast Tourism Society

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Beckley-Raleigh County Chamber of Commerce Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce Mercer County Convention and Visitors Bureau

Summersville Convention and Visitors Bureau Visit Southern West Virginia

Gateway Community businesses and organizations **BRIDGE** Network

Wisconsin

Elected Officials

David Bowen, State Representative, 10th District Jonathan Brostoff, State Representative, 19th District Bryan Kennedy, Mayor, Glendale

David Metille, City Council President, Ashland Kate Beaton, City Council, Eau Claire John Gelhard, City Council, Glendale

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Bayfield Chamber and Convention and Visitors Bureau **Bayfield County Tourism**

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Animaashi Sailing Company Artha Antique Garden Inn Bay Point Inn Blue Bike Burrito CamRock Cafe and Sport Crystal River Inn

Falls Chamber of Commerce Madeline Island Chamber of Commerce Washburn Area Chamber of Commerce

Door County Kayak Tours Ecology Sports Franklin Victorian Bed & Breakfast **Golden Properties** Greens N Grains Kavarna Coffeehouse Lake Ripley Lodge

Pine Harbor Campground Rutabaga Paddlesports LLC Sandy's Clothing & Art Tangled Up In Hue The Konkapot Lodge The Lamar Center The Purple Tree True Blue Houskeeping White Winter Winery WI River Outings Wisconsin Canoe Company

Wyoming

Statewide Supporters

Continental Divide Trail Coalition Western National Parks Association

Chambers of Commerce and Convention and Visitors Bureaus (CVBs)

Campbell County Convention and Visitors Bureau Go Goshen/Goshen Co. Chamber

Gateway Community businesses and organizations

Rocky Mountain International