

## PALATKA-TO-ST. AUGUSTINE STATE TRAIL

2019 TRAIL FACTS					
VISITATION	ECONOMIC IMPACT	LOCAL JOBS SUPPORTED	<u>STAFF</u>	VOLUNTEERS	<u>ACRES</u>
43,888	\$3,792,944	53	9*	0	46



The Palatka-to-St. Augustine State Trail is a multi-use recreational trail along a corridor that stretches through St. Johns and Putnam counties.

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## FLORIDA STATE PARKS A MAJOR CONTRIBUTOR TO FLORIDA'S WELL-BEING!

The Florida State Parks and Trails system is one of the state's greatest success stories having won the prestigious National Gold Medal of Excellence a record four times. Florida residents and, visitors from around the world, are drawn to Florida's state parks and trails as *the places* to hike, bike, kayak, swim, fish, camp, lay on the beach, hunt for shells, learn about nature and Florida history, have family reunions, and even get married!

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## 2019 Statewide Economic Data

175 Florida State Parks and Trails

(164 Parks / 11 Trails comprising nearly 800,000 acres)

• \$2.6 billion direct economic impact

- \$176 million in sales tax revenue
- 37,119 jobs supported
- Over 29 million visitors served



The mission of the Florida State Parks
Foundation is to support and help sustain the
Florida Park Service. The Florida State Parks
Foundation supports the entire Florida State
Park system through programs that:

- preserve and protect state parks
- educate visitors and decision makers about the value of state parks
- encourage community engagement and active use of state parks
- provide financial support to supplement state funding



