



# TARKILN BAYOU PRESERVE STATE PARK

WET-PRAIRIE LANDSCAPES SURROUND A PICTURESQUE COASTAL BAYOU TEEMING WITH RARE PLANT AND ANIMAL SPECIES

## 2019 PARK FACTS

<u>VISITATION</u>	<u>ECONOMIC IMPACT</u>	<u>LOCAL JOBS SUPPORTED</u>	<u>STAFF</u>	<u>VOLUNTEERS</u>	<u>ACRES</u>
38,155	\$3,262,814	46	11*	4	4,473

\* Shares staff with Big Lagoon State Park and Perdido Key



At over 4000 acres, Tarkiln Bayou Preserve is home to four species of endangered pitcher plants, as well as other rare and endangered plant species.

**Plan Your Visit at [FloridaStateParks.org](http://FloridaStateParks.org)**



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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!

### 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**



Friends of Pensacola State Parks is a non-for profit organization that supports Big Lagoon State Park, Perdido Key, and Tarkiln Bayou Preserve. We are an organization of volunteers committed to the preservation of the parks for the enjoyment of park visitors for generations to come.

The three parks we cover are perhaps the most popular outdoor destination in the Florida Panhandle. Combining all three State Parks we cover miles and miles of sugar-white sand beaches, striking coastal dune formations, nature trails, a boat launch, kayak rentals, picnic areas, a playground, 75 family camp sites, event space, and 5200 acres of wilderness preserve.

**Find out more and get involved visit**  
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