



EGMONT KEY STATE PARK

2018 PARK FACTS

<u>VISITATION</u>	<u>ECONOMIC IMPACT</u>	<u>LOCAL JOBS SUPPORTED</u>	<u>STAFF</u>	<u>VOLUNTEERS</u>	<u>ACRES</u>
224,470	18,145,426	254	24*	31	272

*24 staff manage Honeymoon Island State Park, Anclote Key Preserve State Park, Caladesi Island State Park, Egmont Key State Park,



Accessible only by private boat, Egmont Key has a unique natural and cultural history, including a lighthouse that has stood since 1858. During the 19th century, the island served as a camp for captured Seminoles at the end of the Third Seminole War and was later occupied by the Union Navy during the Civil War. In 1898, as the Spanish - American War threatened, Fort Dade was built on the island and remained active until 1923.

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FLORIDA STATE PARKS

A MAJOR CONTRIBUTOR TO FLORIDA'S WELL-BEING!

The system of Florida State Parks and Trails is one of the state's greatest success stories. It's the ONLY system in the nation thrice awarded the Gold Medal of Excellence by its national peer group. 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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2018 Statewide Economic Data

- **175 Florida State Parks and Trails**
(164 Parks / 11 Trails) comprising nearly 800,000 acres
- **\$2.4 billion direct economic impact**
- **\$158 million in sales tax revenue**
- **33,587 jobs supported**
- **Over 28 million visitors served**



The Egmont Key Alliance was founded in 1991 with the goals of restoring, preserving and protecting Egmont Key and all of its resources both natural and man-made, for people to enjoy now and for future generations. We have assisted with restoring historic buildings, invasive species removal, beach re-nourishment, sea turtle nesting, protection of nesting seabirds, education of the public and government leaders, and providing a place for recreation that is family friendly.

Find Out More - Get Involved
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