



BLACKWATER HERITAGE STATE TRAIL

NEAR PENSACOLA IS THE WESTERNMOST STATE
RAIL-TRAIL WINDING THROUGH THE HISTORIC TOWN
OF MILTON

2023 PARK FACTS

VISITATION

159,609

ECONOMIC IMPACT

\$19,265,416

LOCAL JOBS SUPPORTED

270



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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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FY 2022-23 Statewide Economic Data

- 175 Florida State Parks and Trails
(164 Parks / 11 Trails) comprising nearly 800,000 acres
- \$3.6 billion direct economic impact
- \$241 million in sales tax revenue
- 50,427 jobs supported
- Over 28 million visitors served



Blackwater Heritage Trail, Inc. serves as the Citizen Support Organization for the Blackwater Heritage State Trail by promoting events and activities that generate and foster use of the trail.

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