National Park Service

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Canyonlands National Park

Working with Utah

By the Numbers

Almost every American city and town claims a little bit of the National Park Service. Communities invite us to help them. Together we build trails and playgrounds, return historic buildings to productive use, revitalize neighborhoods, expand affordable housing, protect watersheds, recognize and promote local history, and introduce the next generation to stewardship opportunities. When we combine our expertise and resources we can accomplish great things.

13 national parks

8,975,525 visitors to national parks (in 2010)

$565,592,000 economic benefit from national park tourism (in 2009)

1,453 National Register of Historic Places listings

$174,909,059 of historic rehabilitation projects stimulated by tax incentives (since 1995)

108,539 hours donated by volunteers (in 2010)

2 National Heritage Areas

4 National Natural Landmarks

13 National Historic Landmarks

$48,180,040 in Land & Water Conservation Fund grants (since 1965)

2,765 federal acres transferred for local parks and recreation (since 1948)

$21,344,571 in historic preservation grants

48 community conservation and recreation projects (since 1987)

642 historic places documented by the National Park Service

1,773,638 objects in national park museum collections

23 threatened and endangered species in national parks

6,428 archeological sites in national parks

89 Certified Local Governments

2 Teaching with Historic Places lesson plans

1 Discover Our Shared Heritage travel itineraries

These numbers are just a sample of the National Park Service's work. Figures updated 12/2010.

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