



WASHINGTON'S
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PARK FUND

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Quick Facts

Official Name

Washington's National Park Fund (WNPF)

Who We Are

A 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization based in Seattle, Washington, we serve as the official philanthropic partner to Mount Rainier, North Cascades, and Olympic National Parks.

What We Do

Our **mission** is to raise funds to preserve and enhance the natural beauty, cultural heritage, and recreational opportunities of Mount Rainier, North Cascades, and Olympic National Parks so that they remain vibrant, thriving ecosystems and cherished destinations for future generations. Our **vision** is for Washington's national parks to ignite a deep sense of wonder and awe in the hearts of all who experience them.

Established

In 1993 by former Governor and Senator Dan Evans, legendary mountaineer Lou Whittaker, and other prominent community leaders in Washington state.

Executives

Elizabeth Gonzalez, Chief Operating Officer and Acting Chief Executive Officer

Accomplishments

Washington's National Park Fund has awarded more than \$7.5 million to Mount Rainier, North Cascades, and Olympic National Parks over the last decade. We are the only philanthropic organization dedicated solely to these three parks and the funds we raise help fund more than 40 park projects annually.

We work closely with the superintendent and staff at each park, who determine the priority projects most in need of philanthropic support. Projects fall into four core areas: science and research, visitors' experiences, volunteerism and stewardship, and embracing inclusion.

With the help of thousands of individual and corporate supporters and foundations, we have funded critical search and rescue equipment, countless miles of trail maintenance, wildlife studies, meadow restoration teams, invasive species removal, glacier studies, and many other projects.

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