

**Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Division of Recreation and Parks**

**Topsail Hill Preserve State Park
Public Meeting
August 22, 2019**

Purpose

The purpose of this meeting and commenting period is to receive public input on beach access in Topsail Hill Preserve State Park.

Background

Topsail Hill Preserve State Park protects an outstanding assemblage of natural communities on the coast of the Florida Panhandle. The park is home to multiple dune lakes, the Choctawhatchee beach mouse, one of the largest campgrounds in the Florida State Park system, and 3 miles of white sand beach in a fast-growing region.

Proposed Improvements

The following developments/improvements are proposed in the updated Topsail Hill Preserve State Park management plan:

- Addition and enhancement of day use amenities
- New open-air interpretive pavilion and other parkwide interpretive improvements
- Addition of tram shelter at existing beach access area
- Improvement of existing tram path
- Addition of bicycle amenities
- Establishment of Topsail Hill Road trailhead and trail in northwestern portion of the park
- Improvement of paddling launch facilities for access to Campbell Lake
- Ongoing parkwide resource conservation and management

Public Input

Thank you for taking the time to share your comments with us. Copies of this form are available on the park planning website: <https://floridadep.gov/parks/public-participation>. Comments may also be provided by calling (850) 245-3051, or by sending an email with the park name in the subject line to FLStateParkPlanning@dep.state.fl.us, or by standard mail at the address below.

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Please provide all comments by no later than **September 4, 2019**.

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