



Outdoor Recreation & Natural Area Planning Assistance for Fire Impacted Communities

We are looking to develop partnerships with fire impacted communities who want to collaborate in developing recovery strategies for outdoor recreation and natural areas. The **National Park Service's Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance (NPS-RTCA)** program provides direct technical support to locally led conservation and outdoor recreation projects. Through a nationwide network of staff, NPS-RTCA helps communities develop a shared project vision, build local partnerships, and identify effective strategies for funding and implementation. NPS-RTCA can work with cities, counties, non-profit organizations, state and federal agencies, coalitions and regional efforts.

How NPS-RTCA Can Help

NPS-RTCA provides staff to work collaboratively with you and your partners to help your community plan for and recover from wildfires. Some ways RTCA can help communities and agencies in fire-impacted areas include:

- Engaging partners and stakeholders
- Building consensus around prioritized recreation resources needing rehabilitation
- Facilitating recreation resource recovery plans
- Inventorying resources and analyzing key issues
- Collaborating on the development of fire mitigation and fire resiliency plans
- Identifying funding sources and strategies for implementation
- Developing concept plans for open spaces, trails, parks, and natural areas

For More Info

If you would like to discuss how your community could benefit from NPS-RTCA assistance on fire recovery, mitigation and resiliency planning, contact Dan Miller at the Oregon RTCA office. Email dan_miller@nps.gov or call 509-281-1100.

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