



JAN-DEC 2025

# ANNUAL REPORT

MISSOULA PARKS AND RECREATION • HIGHLIGHTS AND IMPACT FROM OUR PARTNERS

## SPECIAL THANKS TO FRIENDS OF MISSOULA PARKS SUPPORTERS (501c3)

[WWW.FMPARKS.ORG](http://WWW.FMPARKS.ORG)

BILL PHELPS FAMILY  
Silver Lagoon Improvements

BRYAN TIPP  
NEVA HASSANEIN  
TRUST MONTANA  
Open Space property donations  
TYKESON FAMILY CHARITABLE TRUST  
Youth Programming Support

## WHO ARE WE?

Missoula Parks and Recreation provides places, programs and services essential to our quality of life; reflects community values; fosters a sense of place; and develops and preserves infrastructure and lands critical to supporting a healthy community.

Our Partners In Parks support this mission by providing recreation grants for low-income families, helping to build new parks and trails and enhance existing facilities, and volunteering their time to work with Parks and Recreation projects and recreation programs.

## FMRP LEAF-A-LEGACY

Visit [www.missoulaparks.org](http://www.missoulaparks.org) today or phone 721-PARK to more about Fort Missoula Regional Park's donor program, Leaf-A-Legacy.

**DONATE TODAY!**

[WWW.MISSOULAPARKS.ORG/DONATE](http://WWW.MISSOULAPARKS.ORG/DONATE)

# \$465,576

Cash and in-kind donations for  
Parks projects and programs



# 3406

Volunteer hours from

# 187

individuals

For special events,  
parks, trails, urban forest  
and open space



# \$105,391

To families in need  
through Share the Fun  
recreation & aquatics grants



# 931

residents\*

Received financial assistance for  
swim lessons, aquatics passes,  
camps, sports, and more

\*City and County residents



# Parks & Recreation

Visit [www.missoulaparks.org/donate](http://www.missoulaparks.org/donate) or phone 721-PARK to donate to Partners In Parks.

Learn more about Friends of Missoula Parks (501c3) at [fmparks.org](http://fmparks.org).

Contact Associate Director [Ryan Applegate](#) at 721-PARK (7275) to learn more about PIP.

Volunteer: Contact [Mike Sharp](#), Outreach/Stewardship Coordinator, at (406) 529-4590.

## PARTNERS IN PARKS VOLUNTEERS

VOLUNTEERMISSOULA.ORG

Bancroft Neighborhood Association

Conservation Lands Program Stewardship Volunteers

Enterprise

High Road Edibles

Marsh McLennan Agency

Missoula Aging Services

Missoula Mountain Bike Coalition

Missoula Prairie Keepers

Missoula Resists

Missoula Trail Ambassadors

Montana Senior Olympics Volunteers

OnX

Pineview Ice Rink Volunteers

Run Wild Missoula

Trees for Missoula

University of Montana

UM Big Sky Experience

UM Marketing and Communications Department

Wild Rockies Field Institute

Parks Fall Family Fest volunteers

Parks Jr. Playmakers Football and Basketball Coaches

Parks Kiwanis Basketball Coaches

Parks Teen-Workreation volunteers

Parks Trail Ambassadors

Parks ZTD Coaches

...and many more wonderful groups and individuals! Thank you!

Thanks to everyone who helped informally by picking up litter, watering plants, and supporting conservation—making Missoula a better place to live and play! Contact [Mike Sharp](#), Outreach/Stewardship Coordinator, at (406) 529-4590.

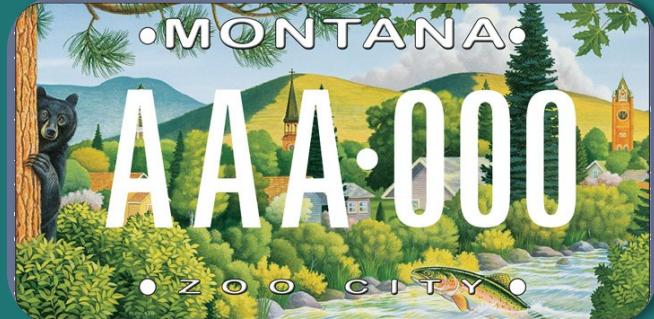
## TREES FOR MISSOULA

Trees for Missoula, a program of Climate Smart Missoula, is committed to the belief that a healthy urban forest is essential to building a livable, climate resilient community. Our goal is to build and sustain an urban forest that benefits the Missoula community. To do this, we plant and prune trees, educate residents about the benefits of urban trees and tree care. Learn more at [treesformissoula.org](#).

## FRIENDS OF MISSOULA PARKS



Friends of Missoula Parks  
@FMParks



## STEP UP TO THE PLATE

Since 2013, Partners In Parks license plates have generated \$130,365 for Recreation and Aquatics grants for families in need.

**2025 PARKS PLATES RAISED \$10,685!**

Get your very own Parks and Recreation license plate today at the [County Treasurer's office](#).

## PARTNERS IN PARKS DONORS

MISSOULAPARKS.ORG/DONATE

### PARKS ALL-STARS \$5000+

Milton & Roselyn Clark

Corner Farm Village

Kiwanis Club

Pepsi Cola of Missoula

Bill Phelps Family

Bryan Tipp

Trust Montana

Tykeson Family Charitable Trust

### PARKS TEAMMATES \$2999 - \$1500

Boyce Lumber

Children's Dentistry of the Rockies

### PARKS FANS \$1499 - \$500

Funk It Coffee and Thrift

James & Susan Brown Revocable Living Trust

Boyce Lumber Co

### PARKS PARTNERS \$499 AND BELOW

Big Dipper Ice Cream

Kembel, Kosena & Company Inc

Jennifer Mayo

Virginia Tribe

Many thanks to our generous community partners.