

## BY THE NUMBERS

The Pennsylvania Parks and Forests Foundation and friends chapters across the state steward YOUR parks and forests through volunteerism, education, and projects. In 2022, we collectively hosted:



168

service projects

167

SPECIAL EVENTS  
AND OUTREACH  
PROGRAMS

held reaching over  
71,848 participants



3,402

volunteers who provided 41,671  
volunteer hours of service

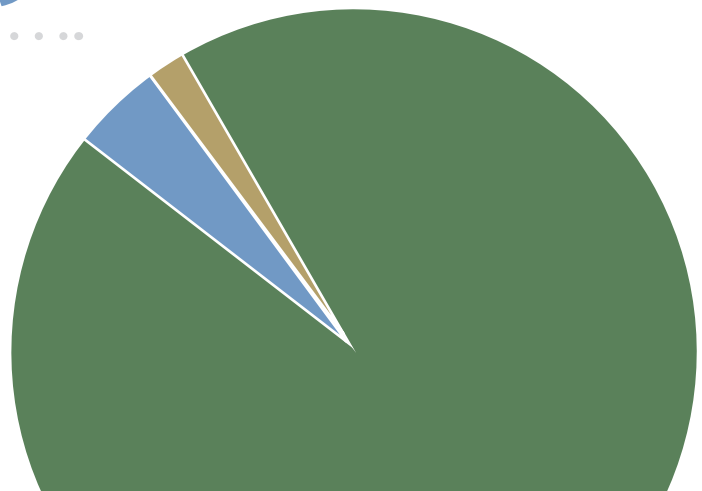
The value of this volunteerism is worth more than

\$1,248,000

## EXPENSES

The Pennsylvania Parks and Forests Foundation focuses on program, which is reflected in the annual allocation of expenditures.

PROGRAM MANAGEMENT FUNDRAISING



# A YEAR IN REVIEW

In 2022, the theme of the Foundation was clean water. What better time than during the 50th anniversary of the Clean Water Act! Pennsylvania's Forestry Commission formed out of the need to protect water quality by reforestation. Lands were acquire to protect watersheds.

Trees, and forests, still serve this very important function—reducing flooding, preventing erosion, and allowing water to filtrate through soil.

One we way shared this story was with the production of a new video, Forests, Clean Water and Craft Beverages!

We also formed a partnership with New Trail Brewing to plant trees with funds being raised through the sale of Replenish IPA. And plant trees we did! Through the support of members and donors, and funding from Replenish IPA, we hosted tree plantings across the state. Not only does water benefit, but wildlife and humans. Who doesn't enjoy sitting in the shade on a hot day!



Advocating for parks, forests and recreation are an important role that PPFF plays in conserving parks and forests and leveraging funding for infrastructure and maintenance needs. You came through in 2022, helping to secure \$75 million in American Rescue Plan funding to address critical maintenance needs.

Addressing need in parks and forests continues to be role that you make possible.

**14** Playground Built/Maintained

**992** Trees Planted

**26** Gardens Planted/Maintained

**4450** Native Plant Plugs

**128** Number Of Trails Maintained

**262** Trail Miles Built/Maintained

**20** Trail Bridges Built/Maintained

**142** Bluebird Boxes  
Installed/Maintained

**3** Interpretive Panels Installed

**7** Roadside Clean-Ups Conducted

**4** Amphitheater/Education Center  
Built/Updated

**2** Leave No Trace Trainings

**1** Ada Fishing Pier

**3** Wheelchairs Purchased

**2** Informative Videos Created

**3** Graffiti Removal Sites

EITC Programming Supported **1095**  
Programs Reaching **5900** Students

**26** Latino Conservation Week Events

**1** ADA Beach Developed

**1** Industrial Size Refrigerator  
purchased

**2** Bird Blinds Built

**70** Blogs

**34** Press Releases

**12** Paint By Numbers

**4** Pa Outdoor Corps Crews Supported

**1** Wood Shelter

**6** Spanish Language Radio Shows

**2** High School Interns

**1** College Intern

**18** Benches

**1** Trail Mower

**1** Historic Cabin Restoration  
Project Launched