

I am concerned over Gov. Malloy's proposed budget that drastically cuts support for state parks. The extent of the slashed funding would seriously compromise park operations and threaten some parks with closure during the summer period. The state has a remarkable 100-year history of opening natural landscapes to the public, providing education on the environment as well as maintaining critical wildlife habitats. Do not allow this legacy of state parks to suffer such severe setbacks in the upcoming budget votes. Thank you.

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