

I am a member of the Friends of Fort Trumbull State Park and believe that state parks offer great value to the citizens of our state. I am sympathetic to the fact that parks require staff and funding to achieve their full potential. I also believe that there is a need for a well thought out, 5-year public plan for how the parks are to be staffed and maintained. Having said that, the current proposed law: Bill SB 215, that is opposed by the Friends of CT state parks is more bureaucratic and restrictive than necessary and I, too, recommend opposing it in its current form.

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