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- The National Association of Park Foundations is the trusted national leader in providing knowledge, skills and capacity to local park foundations, volunteers and other citizens who work to enhance and strengthen park systems in their communities.
- The National Association of Park Foundations vision is to build effective, active, local park foundations, volunteers and other citizens that support their park systems to enhance the park experience in their communities.

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### **BRIEF HISTORY**

### <u>2013</u>

Secured Articles of Incorporation as an Illinois Non-Profit Corporation

### <u>2014</u>

Secured IRS tax exempt 501 (c)(3) status in 2014

### <u>2015</u>

Launched the NAPF brand and services publicly at the Illinois Park and Recreation Conference in Chicago with three Park Foundation Members all from Illinois. Also had 3 board members.

Secured unrestricted operational seed funding in May

Held initial Board Retreat in Columbus with 9 board members

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### By the end of 2016 - 49 Park Foundation Members in 20 States Across the Country

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PARK FOUNDATION MEMBERS

ARIZONA Mesa Park Foundation

COLORADO ROAR Foundation

CALIFORNIA Regional Parks Foundation

FLORIDA Gainesville Park Foundation

GEORGIA Friends of Georgia State Parks

#### ILLINOIS

Addison Park & Rec Foundation Oswegoland Park & Rec Foundation Bensenville Park Foundation Park District of Forest Park Clarendon Hills Park Foundation Batavia Parks Foundation People for Channahon <u>Parks Found</u>. Rock Island Parks Foundation <u>Wheaton -</u> Play for All Foundation Wheaton – Historical Museum Found. Wheaton – Cosley Foundation

Lisle Park Foundation Barrington Hills Park Foundation Carol Stream Park Foundation Hoffman Estates Park Foundation





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ILLINOIS (continued) Palatine Park Foundation Deerfield Park Foundation Waukegan Park Foundation Elgin Park Foundation Palatine Parks and Rec. Foundation Lemont Parks and Rec Foundation Highland Park Park Foundation

#### INDIANA

Carmel Clay Park Foundation Brownsburg Park Foundation Falls of the Ohio Park Foundation Indianapolis Park Foundation

KANSAS Wichita Parks Foundation Shawnee County Parks Foundation

KENTUCKY Louisville Park Foundation

MARYLAND Prince Georges County Park Foundation Montgomery County Park Foundation

MINNESOTA Invergrove Park Foundation



#### NORTH CAROLINA

Partners for Parks Waynseville Parks and Rec Foundation

NEW YORK Hilton Parma Parks Foundation

**OHIO** Toledo Parks and Rec Foundation Five Rivers Park Foundation

PENNSYLVANIA PENN. State Park and Rec Foundation

**TEXAS** Forever Parks Foundation Dallas Parks and Rec. Foundation

VIRGINIA Olgebay Park Foundation City of Chestefield eRichmond Park Foundation

WASHINGTON City of Bothell Park Foundation

WISCONSIN City of Middleton Park Foundation





## **EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**

Webinars

### MEMBER ONLY Round Table Discussions

State and National Conferences – Educational Sessions Park Foundation School – In Person (Inaugural) Virtual *BRUNCH and LEARN SERIES* Best Practice Share with other members

### The NAPF is proud to offer the following BENEFITS OF JOINING NAPF:

- Networking with other members
- Educational programs
- Online Resources
- Updated Informational Data
- Publications and Subscriptions
- Board Development
- Strategic Planning
- Citizen & Volunteering Training
- Grant "Share" Dollars
- Micro Grants
- Fundraising Private Gifts & Grants
- Grant making.Investments.Tax and Legal
- Board and Staff Development
- Startup Strategies
- Event Production
- Public Relations
- Marketing
- Receive newsletters, annual reports and event notices.
- Receive discounts on webinars and educational programs.



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# MEMBER ONLY TOOL KITS

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# BUILDING FOUNDATIONS ENHANCING THE PARK EXPERIENCE.

JOIN TODAY FOR MEMBERSHIP ADVANTAGES:

- STARTUP STRATEGIES
- FUNDRAISING (PRIVATE GIFTS & GRANTS)
- + GRANT MAKING
- INVESTMENTS
- TAN & LEGAL
- · BOARD DEVELOPMENT
- · EVENT PRODUCTION
- PUBLIC RELATIONS
  & MARKETING
- CONFERENCES

- NETWORKING & BEST PRACTICES
- \* EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS
- ONLINE RESOURCES
- UPDATED INFORMATIONAL DATA
- \* PUBLICATIONS & SUBSCRIPTIONS

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- \* STAFF DEVELOPMENT
- STRATEGIC PLANNING
- VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS
- WEBINARS & WORKSHOPS

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