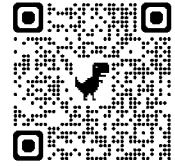


The National Voice for Recreation and Parks in Canada



Recreation and parks are a necessary public good. They build the health, belonging, and resilience Canada needs now, in every community, for everyone.

The Canadian Parks and Recreation Association champions the vital role the recreation and parks sector plays in creating healthy, vibrant, and resilient communities across Canada. We envision a Canada where vibrant public spaces, parks, programs, and services thrive, enrich every community, and enhance the wellbeing of all who live here.

OUR NATIONAL ALLIANCE

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Provincial and territorial member associations, reaching every corner of Canada

95%+

Of Canadian municipalities connected through our alliance

50+

Years advancing recreation and parks in Canada

What We Do



Sector Collaboration and Leadership

We convene, connect, and empower practitioners, municipalities, and members, strengthening local recreation and parks efforts through partnership and a shared national agenda.

Support and Development

We equip the sector with the knowledge, tools, data, and funding it needs to plan, manage, and innovate, and we lead the evolution of the Framework for Recreation and Parks.

Advocacy and Influence

We advocate for public policies that deliver healthy, accessible parks, spaces, programs, and services, and we amplify the sector's voice in the national policy conversation.

We champion recreation and parks as a necessary public good, honour the professionals who bring the sector to life, and hold inclusion, equity, and sustainability at the centre of our work.