

Everglades National Park contains the

largest designated wilderness east of the Rocky Mountains. A wilderness is defined as an area "where the earth and its community of life are untrammeled by man, where man himself is a visitor who does not remain." Established in 1978 and named for the Everglades' most famous champion, the Marjory Stoneman Douglas Wilderness is comprised of 1,296,500 acres—most of Everglades National Park!

Leave No Trace

Wilderness ethics dictate that visitors to the area try to leave no trace of their passage. While not regulations, the seven Leave No Trace principles will help you get the most out of your wilderness experience, and help you to preserve the park's unique values for other visitors, both today and in the future



Plan Ahead and Prepare

- Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces
- Dispose of Waste Properly
 Leave What You Find
- Minimize Campfire Impacts
- Respect Wildlife
- Be Considerate of Other Visitors
- Learn more at: www.lnt.org.