



FLORIDA STATE PARKS IN PERIL PROTECT PAYNE'S PRAIRIE

Sign the petition: www.ProtectPaynesPrairie.org

TELL GOVERNOR SCOTT TO LEAVE PAYNE'S PRAIRIE ALONE!

Payne's Prairie Preserve State Park is a precious Florida resource. For 45 years, the Florida Park Service has carefully managed Payne's Prairie Preserve to restore its natural hydrology and create a refuge for its spectacular wildlife. The park may now be under assault. The Florida Department of Environmental Protection's (FDEP) "Optimized Land Management and Cost Recovery Plan," proposes to allow logging, cattle grazing, and hunting in state parks.

We oppose all efforts by Governor Rick Scott and FDEP Secretary Jon Steverson to permit any agricultural activity or hunting in Payne's Prairie Preserve State Park. Our parks were acquired for natural resource and wildlife protection and enjoyment of nature, NOT for hunting and commercial exploitation.

Sign the petition now and tell Gov. Scott and your local legislators to save OUR park!

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RALLY TO SAVE OUR PARKS - Saturday Jan 23rd, 3-5pm

Our legislators are in session now and there are several important bills being proposed. We have created this rally to raise awareness and to let them know that we are watching and we will not be silent in the face of these threats to Paynes Prairie and our other state parks. March with us and let your voice be heard!

Come early at 2pm if you would like to make a sign to carry during our march up Main St.

3pm music by Whitey Markle & the Swamprooters, speakers and presentation

4pm begin march up Main St to University Av. (1 mile)

4:30 sign waving and rallying for our parks

5pm walk back to First Magnitude.

Stay and enjoy yourself. You can purchase food from the local food trucks at the brewery, and beer from the brewery.

First Magnitude 1220 SE Veitch St. Gainesville, FL 32601 (best to park along S. Main St.)