



Eastern Sierra Sustainable Recreation Partnership (ESSRP)

Monday May 5, 2025 – 3:30 PM

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The Partnership Current Signatories: *Alpine County*; BLM* City of Bishop*; Inyo County*; CALTRANS*; Mono County; Town of Mammoth Lakes; Inyo National Forest; Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, National Park Service* *have voted or otherwise agreed to sign partnership agreement* **Partners in Process:** NPS; LADWP

1. Land Acknowledgement

2. What is the ESSRP

3. Farewells & Welcomes + Housekeeping

- a. Madison Kirshner - *R5 Conservation Finance Coordinator, U.S. Forest Service*
- b. Support Federal Workers
- c. Welcoming Tribes
- d. Meeting Calendar Update - *Starting with the June 2 Meeting*
- e. ESSRP MOU - *Update*
- f. U.S. Congressman Kevin Kiley's Office - *Natalia Vasquez, Representative*
- g. Hot Links - May 5, 2025

4. Eastern Sierra Sustainable Outdoor Recreation: Regional Projects

a. ESSRP Local Agency Partners

- i. Summer 2025 Recreation Project Updates
 1. Presentations at June 2 ESSRP Meeting

b. Sierra Jobs First

- i. Catalyst Project Updates - *Sierra Business Council*
 1. Catalyst Timeline and Contracting - *Update*
- ii. Recreation and Tourism Catalyst Projects - *MLTPA + Sierra Focus Media*
 1. Rec and Tourism Catalyst Projects - Overview
 2. Activation Plan Update - *MLTPA + Sierra Focus Media*
 3. Rec and Tourism Catalyst Project Support via "Sierra Works"
 - a. Funding + Technical Assistance - *MLTPA*
 4. Statewide Recreation and Tourism Cohort - *MLTPA*

c. Eastern Sierra Council of Governments (ESCOG)

- i. SREMP Program - *Elaine Kabala, Executive Director*
 1. April 30 ESCOG Board Meeting - *Updates*
 2. Whitebark Institute
 - a. Eastern Sierra Climate and Community Resilience - *Updates*
 - b. Eastern Sierra Wildfire Alliance - *Updates*

d. MLTPA Foundation

- i. "Wildfire Prevention in the Eastern Sierra: Visitor Education and Outreach" - *Updates*



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- ii. “Eastern Sierra Campground Improvement Projects” - *Updates*
- iii. CALREC Vision
 - 1. CA Joint Strategy for Sustainable Outdoor Recreation & Wildfire Resilience
 - a. Statewide Agency Adoption - *Updates*
 - 2. Recreate Responsibly California - *Updates*

5. Happenings of Interest

- a. **Regional + State + Federal**
 - i. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*

6. State of California - Sustainable Recreation and Tourism

- a. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*

7. Federal Government - Sustainable Recreation and Tourism

- a. **House + Senate Reconciliation Budget Process - Proposed Actions**
 - i. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*
- b. **President Trump’s Draft Discretionary “Skinny” Budget - Proposed Actions**
 - i. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*
- c. **Trump Administration Executive Orders and Reductions in Force (RIFs)**
 - i. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*
- d. **Federal Public Lands**
 - i. *See Hot Links and Meeting Presentation*

8. Partner Insights and Updates in REVERSE Alphabetical Order

- a. Town of Mammoth Lakes
- b. National Park Service
- c. Mono County
- d. Inyo National Forest, USFS
- e. Inyo County
- f. HT National Forest, USFS
- g. ESCOG
- h. City of Bishop
- i. CALTRANS
- j. BLM
- k. Alpine County

9. Next Meetings

- a. **Regular Meeting** - Monday, June 2, 2025 @ 3:30 Via Zoom