

We are the Forest Preserve Foundation

As the philanthropic partner to the Forest Preserves of Cook County, the Forest Preserve Foundation is dedicated to protecting and restoring this natural treasure and to enhancing the outdoor experiences of all communities.

The Forest Preserve District of Cook County is one of the oldest and largest forest preserve districts in the United States. Nearly 70,000 acres of woods, wetlands and prairies grace this urban area. Without them, our health, air quality, water, wildlife, plants, and communities would be at greater risk. When we keep these valued natural areas healthy, we all can thrive.

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Impact Since 2012

\$3.06 million invested to enhance the outdoor experiences of all communities

677 next generation nature advocates nurtured

1,169 acres restored via ecological restoration

HIGHLIGHTED PROGRAMS WE FUND

Restoration

Funding supports restoration in areas of the highest need, where invasive species threaten sensitive ecosystems and where habitats have been damaged.

Conservation Corps

Paid hands-on restoration programs that engage adults who face barriers to employment and high-school aged youth to improve the health of the Preserves while gaining job skills and learning about conservation.

Additional Priorities for Support

Cultural, family, recreational, engagement, accessibility, and climate resiliency programs and activities.

Partnership

It's at the heart of who we are. Protecting our preserves is a collective effort and we need you.

Help strengthen our impact with your partnership.

Your donation today will allow us to invest in the future of our youth, our Preserves, and our communities.



Conserve. Educate. Enjoy.



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