

ABOUT NRPA

The National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA) is the leading not-for-profit organization dedicated to building strong, vibrant and resilient communities through the power of parks and recreation. NRPA advances this vision by investing in and championing the work of park and recreation professionals as a catalyst for positive change in service of equity, climate-readiness, and overall health and well-being. NRPA is the voice for the park and recreation profession; we invest in and advocate for park and recreation professionals because we know that an investment in parks and recreation is an investment in building communities that thrive.

For more than 50 years, the NRPA Annual Conference has been the premier meeting of the park and recreation community. NRPA Annual Conference attendees get an inside look at the latest products and services at our interactive exhibit hall, have the chance to connect with colleagues and experts in the field and have access to hundreds of education sessions.

By sponsoring the NRPA Annual Conference, you also demonstrate your commitment to the park and recreation industry and the positive impact it has on public health, equity and the environment. Your support not only elevates your brand's visibility but also helps drive change in communities. Together, we can ensure access to quality park and recreation services that create lasting, positive outcomes for all.

IN 2024, NRPA

ENGAGED	68,000+ NRPA Members , representing thousands of urban, suburban and rural communities in all 50 states . NRPA is the only national organization that connects you to decision-makers at all areas of parks and recreation.
INVESTED	More than \$3.9 million in 136 communities nationwide in collaboration with our corporate, foundation and federal partners.
IMPACTED	More than 2 million community members through NRPA's partnerships, 62% of which are people living in low-income households.

THE FIELD OF PARKS AND RECREATION

- Generates \$201 billion in economic activity, plus support for 1.1 million jobs.
- Employs 164,000 full-time and thousands of part-time staff in local park and recreation agencies in the United States.
- Supports **276,000,000 people** who have visited a local park or recreation facility in the United States at least once and **40 million youth** who participate in at least one local park and recreation program annually.



NRPA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ENGAGES	More than 8,000 attendees, NRPA Annual Conference is the largest gathering of park and recreation professionals in one place.
CONNECTS	Sponsors to attendees, including 84% of which play a role in purchasing decisions; 38% of attending agencies have an annual budget of more than \$10 million .
IMPACTS	NRPA's essential work with agencies across the country. As our largest source of unrestricted support annually, our conference raises \$2.1 million in support of our mission .

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Whether you are looking to connect with attendees year round, drive booth traffic, generate brand awareness or host an event, we can help you reach your marketing and philanthropic goals. Sponsoring NRPA Annual Conference offers unique opportunities to engage with thousands of park and recreation professionals, influencers and decision-makers from across the country. With a variety of packaged and à la carte sponsorship options, you can showcase your brand in front of a highly targeted audience who are passionate about making communities better through parks and recreation.



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES	\$100,000+	\$75,000+	\$50,000+	\$25,000+	\$10,000+	\$5,000+	\$2500+
Listed With Sponsors on Website and Onsite signage	Top Logo Listing	Secondary Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing
Thanked With Sponsors in Parks & Recreation Magazine and Two Social Posts	Top Logo Listing	Secondary Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing
Thanked in Two NRPA Emails (NRPA This Week & NRPA's Park Patron Digest)	Top Logo Listing	Secondary Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing
Thanked on Slide in Education Sessions	Top Logo Listing	Secondary Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Third-Tier Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing	Bottom Logo Listing
Listed in the NRPA Annual Report	0	۲	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø
Listing on EXPOdition Game Card (as space allows)	0	0	Ø	۲	Ø	Ø	
Bag Insert	0	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø	
Volunteer T-shirt Listing	0	0	Ø	Ø	Ø		
Invites to the VIP Chairs Reception and Opening Party	X3	X 2	X 2	X1	X1		
Conference App Ad	0	۲	Ø	Ø			
Brand Specific Email to Attendees	X3	X 2	X1	X1			
Branded Floor Decal	X 8	X 4	X 2	X1			
Full Conference Pass (Comped Attendance)	Х3	X 2	X 2				
Chairs Reception Sponsorship Logo Listing	۲	۲	0				
Conference App Push Notification Onsite	X3	X 2	X1				
Comped Exhibit Space	10x10	10x10					
Dedicated Social Media Posts	X2	X1					
Thanked From Stage: Day 2 General Session	0	Ø					
Thanked From Stage: Opening General Session	۲						

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIPS AND ADD ONS

These additional à la carte sponsorship opportunities for NRPA Annual Conference offer existing and tailored opportunities for companies to engage with attendees and maximize their visibility during the event. Sponsors can select from a variety of options, such as sponsoring specific events, networking opportunities or key conference collaterals. Other offerings may include digital sponsorships or custom content. These sponsorships allow businesses to strategically align their brand with specific aspects of the conference, ensuring a high level of exposure and engagement with industry professionals.

LIMITED AVAILABILITY

Opening Night Reception Presenting Sponsor (Category Exclusive)	SOLD			
Best of the Best Presenting Sponsor	\$10,000			
Speed Sessions Exhibit Hall Floor	SOLD			
Conference Give Away (Both Days)	SOLD			
EXPOdition Game Card Host	SOLD			
Cash Giveaway	\$5,500			
Registration	\$15,000			
Attendee Lunch	\$8,500			
Badge Holder (Includes two-page spread in the Exhibit Hall Guide)	SOLD			
Translation Sponsorship	\$5,000			
Transportation Sponsor	\$10,000			
Conference Sessions Presenting Sponsor	SOLD			
Conference App Sponsor Presenting	SOLD			
Aisle Signs	SOLD			
Puppy Pen	SOLD			
Sports Demo-Zone – Non-profit (Limited)	Sliding scale based on budget.			
Sports Demo-Zone – For Profit (Limited)	\$15,000			

MULTIPLE AVAILABLE

Opening Night Reception Supporting Sponsor (Availability Has Limitations)	\$25,000				
Bag Inserts (Deadline August 30)	\$1,500				
EXPOdition Game Card (Limited Inventory, Deadline June 20)	\$350				
Email Marketing (Limited Inventory, Run Four Weeks Before and Four After Conference)	\$1,500				
8 Floor Decals Minimum of 8 (2'x2')	\$2,200 (\$275 each additional)				
NRPA Network Membership Meetings (6 Available)	\$2,500 each				
Happy Hours (Women in Parks, Ethnic Minority Society, LGBTQ+)	\$2,500 each				
Conference Attendee Scholarships	\$4,500 with travel and food stipend \$3,500 with travel stipend \$1,000 includes only scholarship and supplies				

