

FACT SHEET



ABOUT THE TUNNEL TOPS CAMPAIGN

The Presidio Tunnel Tops is being created with generous philanthropic support from our community. The Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, the non-profit philanthropic park partner, is leading this \$98 million campaign. To date, \$86.7 million has been raised, or 88% of the goal. A public campaign for the community will launch in Spring of 2020.

The overall project budget is \$118 million, with the Presidio Trust contributing \$20 million and \$98 million being raised by Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy. The total project budget is in line with comparable urban park projects. We invite you to learn more at www.PresidioTunnelTops.org and help us build a park for all!

PRESIDIO TUNNEL TOPS CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

- **Lynne Benioff**, Campaign Co-Chair; TIME Co-Chair; Presidio Trust Board Member
- **Mark Buell**, Campaign Co-Chair; President, SF Recreation and Park Commission
- **Randi Fisher**, Campaign Co-Chair; Co-Founder, Pisces Foundation; Parks Conservancy Board Member (*Vice Chair*)
- **Janice Barger**, Civic Leader; Parks Conservancy Board Member
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THE GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL PARKS CONSERVANCY

A Legacy of Support in Our Parks

Over the last 38 years, the generous donors and members of the Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy have contributed more than \$550 million in support of the Golden Gate National Parks in the Bay Area's backyard. Iconic places like Crissy Field, Fort Baker, and Lands End have been transformed for the better thanks to this community of dedicated people.

At Crissy Field, with the vision and leadership gifts of the community and generous donors Evelyn and Walter Haas, Jr. Fund, the Parks Conservancy and National Park Service helped turn a broken concrete parking lot into a beloved park and vital marshland habitat for more than 50 species of plants and animals. The Parks Conservancy has also supported Presidio projects like the Tennessee Hollow Watershed restoration, Mountain Lake restoration, and creation of Rob Hill Campground, one of the only campsites within San Francisco city limits.

The Parks Conservancy is working to make these parks more vibrant, more resilient, and more welcoming, with the help of thousands of volunteers and community members. The Parks Conservancy, in conjunction with the National Park Service and Presidio Trust, helped coordinate 25,000 volunteers who contributed more than 450,000 volunteer hours in 2018 (the equivalent of 218 full-time employees).

The impact of the Parks Conservancy comes home at the Crissy Field Center, which hosts more than 15,000 young people every year and helps them connect with the science and cultural history of these places while building leadership skills, exploring careers in and beyond the parks, and fostering a sense of self and community. The expanded Crissy Field Center and youth campus at the Presidio Tunnel Tops will help us take one big step closer to our goal of reaching 100,000 local young people and families by the year 2023.

The Parks Conservancy is also expanding programs that promote health and wellness throughout the Bay Area and beyond. ParkRx, which encourages doctors to write prescriptions for time spent outdoors, has grown to 71 programs in 32 states with support from the Parks Conservancy's Institute at the Golden Gate. Our partnership with the San Francisco Public Library, which includes Parks Conservancy-funded shuttle trips from library branches to national parks, has proved so popular we've expanded from summer-only to year-round.

And the future is bright in the parks. We're addressing sea-level rise at Bothin Marsh in Marin County, updating China Beach facilities for the public and NPS ocean rescue teams, and enhancing the Alcatraz visitor experience at Pier 31. The hard work of Parks Conservancy staff and dedication of our donors and members comes together in support of our mission: Parks For All Forever.