

Federal Lands Enhancement Act (FLREA) Entrance Fees



Fee Collection Authority

- Earliest Fee Collection 1908
(Mount Rainier)
- Land and Water Conservation
Fund Act of 1965
- Recreational Fee Demonstration
Program (1998)
- Federal Lands Recreation
Enhancement Act (FLREA) 2004
– Expires Oct. 1, 2021



Types of Fees

- **Entrance Fees**
 - Length of Pass Varies
 - Mode of Entry
 - Special Discounts
- **Expanded Amenity**
 - Camping,
 - Boat Launch
 - RV Waste Disposal
- **Special Recreation Permit**
 - Picnic Shelter rental
 - Off-road vehicle permits



Entrance Fees	
7 Day Permits	
Private Family Auto	\$20
Individual Entry Per Person	\$10
<small>Bicyclists, Motorcyclists, Organized Groups, etc.</small>	
12 Month Passes	
Yosemite Pass	\$40
Interagency Annual Pass	\$80
<small>All Federal Recreation Fee Areas</small>	
Lifetime Passes	
Interagency Senior Pass	\$10
<small>Age 62 - U.S. Residents</small>	
Interagency Access Pass	Free
<small>Permanently Disabled - U.S. Residents</small>	
Interagency Military Pass	Free
<small>Active Military and Dependents</small>	

Establishing Fees

Creating New Fees Area

- Federal Register Notice (6 months prior to implementation) & Civic Engagement



Changing Rates at Existing Areas

- Civic Engagement

Grouped Rate Structure

The park's designation generally determines the category the park belongs:

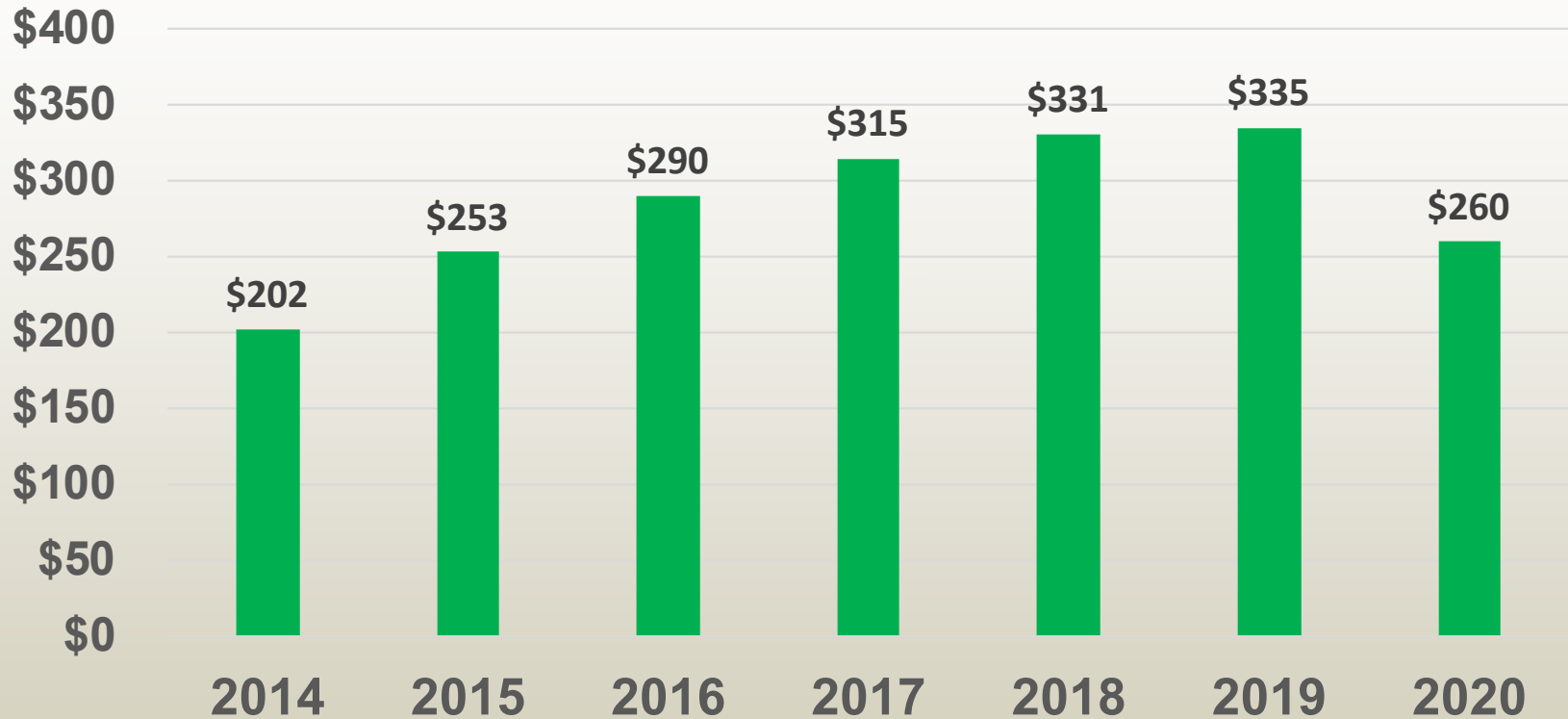
- **Group 1:** National Historic Sites, National Military Parks, National Battlefields, National Battlefield Parks, National Memorials/Shrines, National Preserves, Parkways
- **Group 2:** National Seashores, National Recreation Areas, National Monuments, National Lakeshores, National Historical Parks
- **Group 3:** National Parks w/ limited overnight lodging
- **Group 4:** National Parks w/ Overnight lodging

Entrance Fee Rates

	Seven-Day Vehicle Pass	Per Person Pass	Motorcycle Pass	Park Specific Annual Pass
Group 1	\$20	\$10	\$15	\$35
Group 2	\$25	\$15	\$20	\$45
Group 3	\$30	\$15	\$25	\$55
Group 4	\$35	\$20	\$30	\$70

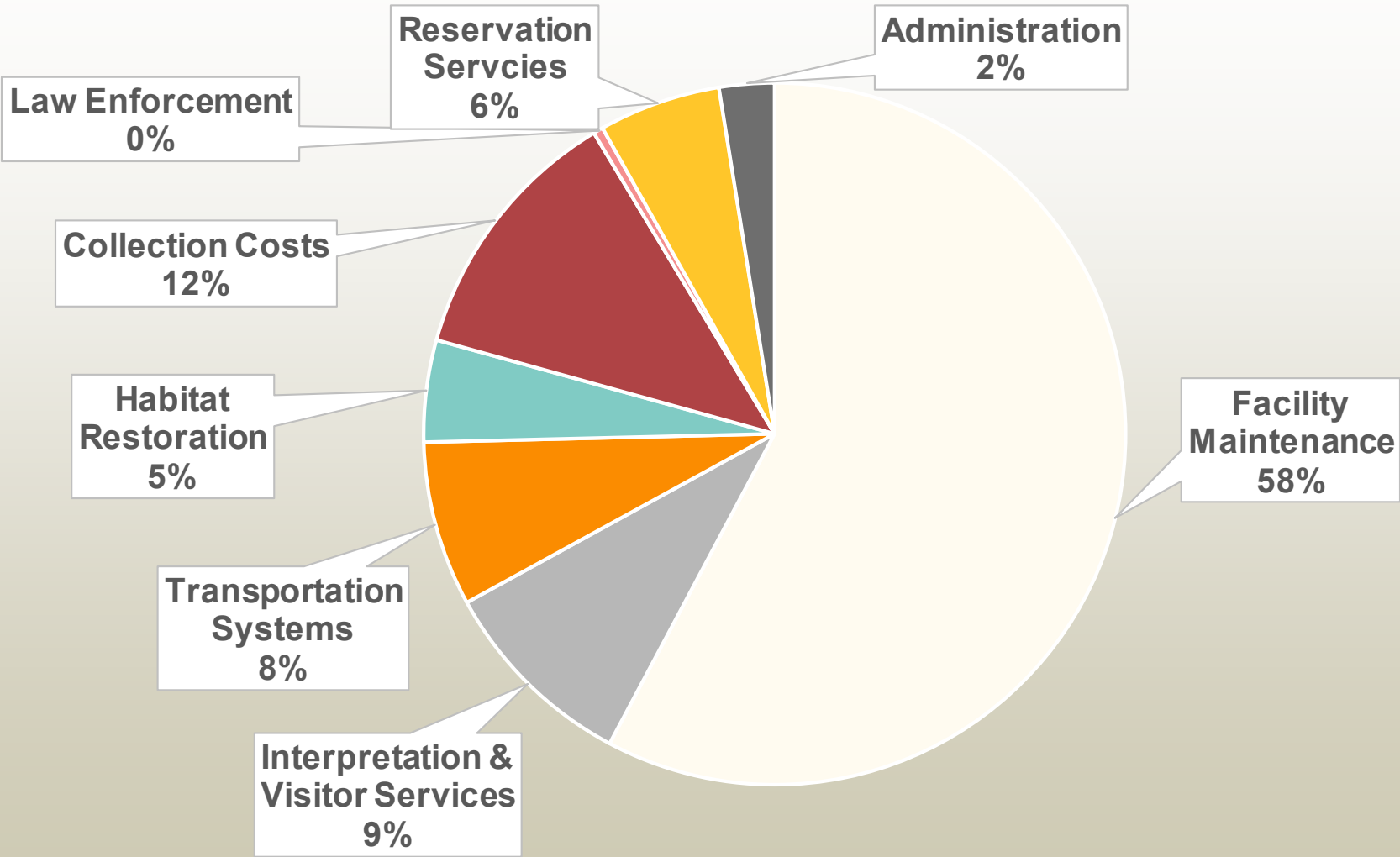
- Currently, 108 parks collect an entrance fee
- A **current list** of [Entrance Fees by Park](#) is available on the NPS.gov website

FLREA Revenue



- 2014 Moratorium on fee increases was lifted
- 2018 Service wide increase in rates

How we use our fees



* 2019 Expenditures

The Future

- **Continue to Evaluate our Fee Model**
 - Increase Revenue
 - Decrease cost
- **Continue to Improve the Visitor Experience**
 - Improve Speed of Transactions
 - Reduce line wait times through new technologies
- **Continue to Meet Visitor Expectations**
 - Greater emphasis on digital passes
 - Greater emphasis on cashless transactions

Questions