

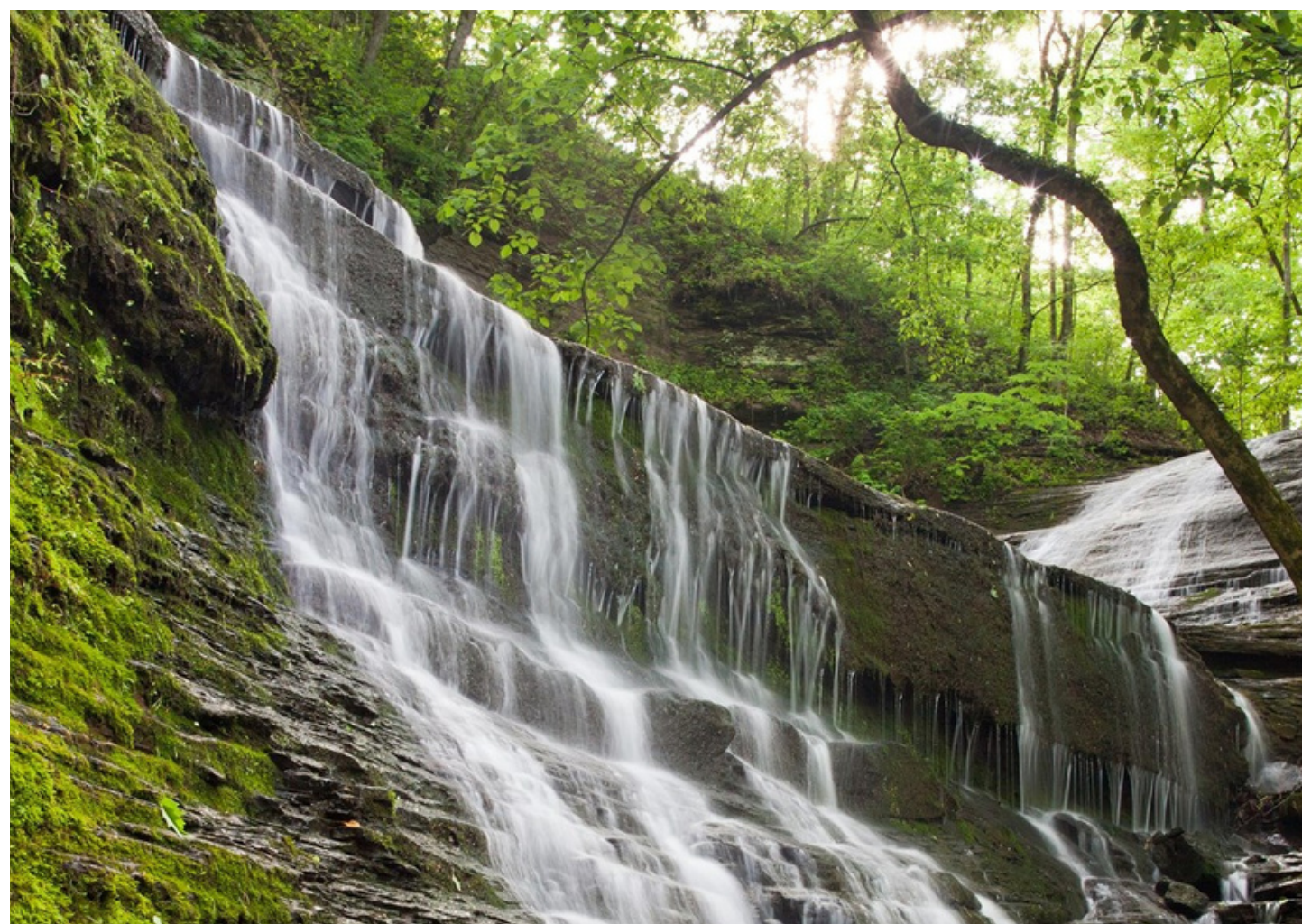
Weekend Trip: Natchez Trace State Park – Volunteer Vacations 2024

November 14th - November 17th
24845 Natchez Trace Rd Wildersville, TN 38388



Quick Facts:

- Project Rating: Moderate
- Group Size: 8-16
- Project Type: Day Hiking
- Accommodations: Cabin
- Temperature:
 - Average High: 67°
 - Average Low: 45°



Project Description:

- Under President Franklin D. Roosevelt's New Deal Program approximately 48,000 acres of land were purchased in the area of the park. This purchase provided jobs for many people. Programs such as the Civilian Conservation Corps and Works Progress Administration established many of the buildings still being used today and laid the foundation for what is now Natchez Trace State Park at the core of the large tract of public lands.
- The park's hiking trails range from a one-half mile up to 4.5 miles, and a 40 mile overnight trail. The trails wind through the forest and fields and along the lakeshores and streams of Natchez Park. Visitors also enjoy the museum that features local and park history, picnic facilities, camping, cabins and lodges, boating and the park's restaurant. Volunteers will focus on re-routing a section of the 40 mile Red Leaves Backpacking Trail, within the 48,000 acre Natchez Trace State Park and Forest.



Area and Attractions:

- Natchez Trace State Park and Forest contains 48,000 heavily forested acres of hardwood and pine, with many lakes and abundant wildlife including turkey, deer, squirrels and many bird species.

Travel Details:

- Nashville International Airport in Nashville, Tennessee is the closest major airport. Airport pick up and drop off is not available for volunteers, however carpooling and rideshare can be arranged upon confirmation of the trip.



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