

Parks and Recreation Authority Meeting

Merchants Millpond State Park, Visitors Center

November 7, 2025



Nov P&R Authority Meeting Agenda				
Time	Agenda Item	Action	Presenter	Support
8:00 am	Guided hike	Cypress Point Trail	Floyd Williams	
9:30 am	Welcome to the park	Information	Charles Rogers	
9:40 am	Call to open		Margaret Newbold	
9:45 am	Swearing-in new members		TBD	
10:00 am	Members present/absent	Information	Margaret Newbold	
10:05 am	Ethics statement/recusals	Information	Margaret Newbold	
10:10 am	August minutes approval	Vote	Margaret Newbold	
State Park System Business				
10:15 am	State Parks Request – Land & Capital	Vote	Dave Head	
10:45 am	Division Update	Information	Brian Strong	
11:25 am	Break			
Department of Natural and Cultural Resources				
11:30 am	Department Update	Information	Jeff Michael	
12:00 pm	Break for Lunch			
Local Grant Program Business				
1:00 pm	Local Grant Update	Information	Vonda Martin	
1:45 pm	PARTF Periodic Rules Review: Classification	Vote	Vonda Martin / Jonathan Avery	
2:30 pm	Break			
Other Business				
2:45 pm	NCSU-Dept of Parks, Recreation, and Tourism	Information	NCSU Staff	
3:30 pm	Final remarks and adjourn	Information	Margaret Newbold	

Trailhead address for 8:00am guided hike: 288 Millpond Rd., Gatesville NC

Next meeting: March 27, 2026, at Lake James State Park.