

Diversity, Inclusion and Equity

The work of the Florida Native Plant Society (FNPS) to conserve and restore native plants and plant communities transcends political, cultural, and social boundaries.

Just as Florida's native plants and their habitats are diverse and resilient, so must FNPS include people from all communities, within our state. We must celebrate diversity and ensure that FNPS and our chapters provide an inclusive atmosphere for everyone. To those who share our love of native plants, we must offer equal opportunities to grow, contribute and develop. Working together we will fulfill our mission of preserving, conserving, and restoring Florida's native plants and native plant communities.

We know that creating a welcoming and supportive environment will expand our horizons, nurture a wider range of creative ideas that support our work, and promote greater passion for protecting native plants and the lands that support them throughout the state.

FNPS is dedicated to treating our members, staff, and everyone with respect and we renew our commitment to fostering an atmosphere of fairness and inclusion of all.

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