



Website Terms and Conditions

Acceptance of Terms

By accessing or using the Florida Native Plant Society website (FNPS.org) and any related FNPS websites or online services (collectively, the “Website”), you agree to be bound by these Terms and Conditions and all applicable laws and regulations. If you do not agree with these terms, please do not use the Website.

About FNPS

The Florida Native Plant Society (FNPS) is a Florida nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation, conservation, and restoration of Florida’s native plants and native plant communities.

Use of the Website

You may use the Website for lawful, non-commercial purposes related to FNPS programs, education, advocacy, membership, events, and general information.

You agree not to:

- Use the Website for any unlawful purpose
- Attempt to gain unauthorized access to FNPS systems or data
- Interfere with the operation or security of the Website
- Use the Website to transmit malicious code, spam, or harmful content
- Misrepresent your affiliation with FNPS

FNPS reserves the right to suspend or terminate access to the Website for violations of these Terms.

Intellectual Property

Unless otherwise noted, all content on the Website—including text, graphics, images, logos, videos, publications, and design elements—is the property of FNPS or used with permission and is protected by copyright, trademark, and other intellectual property laws.

You may view, download, and print content from the Website for personal, educational, or non-commercial use, provided that you do not modify the content and that all copyright and attribution notices remain intact.



Any other use, including reproduction, distribution, or commercial use, requires prior written permission from FNPS.

Memberships, Donations, and Transactions

Memberships, donations, event registrations, and purchases made through the Website are subject to applicable fees, terms, and conditions disclosed at the time of transaction.

All payments are processed through secure third-party payment processors. FNPS does not store full credit card numbers on its own servers.

Donations are generally non-refundable unless otherwise required by law.

User Submissions

FNPS may allow users to submit content through the Website, including but not limited to photographs, form submissions, plant database content, articles, comments, contest or award applications, and other materials (collectively, "User Submissions").

By submitting content to FNPS, you represent that:

- You own the content or have the legal right to submit it
- The content does not infringe on the rights of any third party
- The content complies with applicable laws and FNPS policies

By submitting content, you grant FNPS a non-exclusive, royalty-free, perpetual, and worldwide license to use, reproduce, display, publish, adapt, and distribute the content for FNPS-related purposes, including education, publications, marketing, programs, and digital platforms, unless otherwise stated in writing.

FNPS is not obligated to publish or retain any User Submission and reserves the right to remove or decline content at its discretion.

User Submissions containing personal information are subject to the FNPS Privacy Policy.

Links to Third-Party Sites

The Website may contain links to third-party websites or services that are not owned or controlled by FNPS. FNPS is not responsible for the content, policies, or practices of third-party sites and encourages users to review their terms and privacy policies.

Privacy



Your use of the Website is also governed by the FNPS Privacy Policy, which describes how personal information is collected, used, and protected. By using the Website, you agree to the terms of the Privacy Policy.

Disclaimers

The Website and its content are provided “as is” and “as available.” FNPS makes no warranties, express or implied, regarding the accuracy, completeness, or reliability of Website content.

FNPS does not guarantee that the Website will be uninterrupted, secure, or error-free.

Information provided on the Website is for general educational purposes and should not be relied upon as professional, legal, scientific, or land management advice.

Limitation of Liability

To the fullest extent permitted by law, FNPS shall not be liable for any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, or punitive damages arising out of or related to your use of, or inability to use, the Website.

Indemnification

You agree to indemnify and hold harmless FNPS, its officers, directors, employees, volunteers, and agents from any claims, liabilities, damages, or expenses arising from your use of the Website or violation of these Terms.

Accessibility

FNPS is committed to making its Website accessible and usable for as many people as possible. If you experience difficulty accessing Website content, please contact us at info@fnps.org.

Governing Law

These Terms and Conditions are governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, without regard to conflict-of-law principles.

Changes to These Terms



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FNPS reserves the right to update or modify these Terms and Conditions at any time. Changes will be effective immediately upon posting to the Website. Continued use of the Website constitutes acceptance of the revised terms.

Contact Information

If you have questions about these Terms and Conditions, please contact:

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