

The 150 Largest City Parks

These are the largest parks located within the limits of a U.S. city. Most are owned by the municipality, but some are owned by a state, a county, a regional agency or the federal government. If a park extends beyond the boundary of the city, only the acreage within the city is noted here.



Key: (M): Municipally Owned Park (R): Regional Park
 (S): State Park (NP): National Park
 (C): County Park (NWR): National Wildlife Refuge

Rank	Park Name	Type	Acres	City
1	Chugach State Park	S	490,125	Anchorage, Alaska
2	Franklin Mountains State Park	S	23,909	El Paso, Tex.
3	Bayou Sauvage National Wildlife Refuge	NWR	22,770	New Orleans, La.
4	South Mountain Preserve	M	16,094	Phoenix, Ariz.
5	McDowell Sonoran Preserve	M	11,250	Scottsdale, Ariz.
6	Cullen Park	M	9,270	Houston, Tex.
7	Topanga State Park (part)	S	8,960	Los Angeles, Calif.
8	Timucuan Ecological and Historic Preserve	NP	7,870	Jacksonville, Fla.
9	George Bush Park	C	7,800	Houston, Tex.
10	North Mountain Preserve	M	7,500	Phoenix, Ariz.
11	Gateway National Recreation Area (part)	NP	7,138	New York, N.Y.
12	Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge (part)	NWR	6,800	San Jose, Calif.
13	Jefferson Memorial Forest	M	6,011	Louisville, Ky.
14	Eufaula National Wildlife Refuge (part)	NWR	6,000	Eufaula, Ala.
15	Mission Trail	M	5,840	San Diego, Calif.
16	William B. Umstead State Park	S	5,579	Raleigh, N.C.
17	Ahupua'a O Kahana State Park	S	5,229	Honolulu, Hawaii
18	Forest Park	M	5,157	Portland, Ore.
19	Eagle Creek Park and Golf Course	M	4,766	Indianapolis, Ind.
20	Far North Bicentennial Park	M	4,500	Anchorage, Alaska
21	Griffith Park	M	4,217	Los Angeles, Calif.
22	Fairmount Park - Wissahickon Valley	M	4,167	Philadelphia, Pa.
23	Pumpkin Hill Creek Preserve	S	3,896	Jacksonville, Fla.
24	Walter E. Long Park	M	3,715	Austin, Tex.
25	Bidwell Park	M	3,670	Chico, Calif.
26	Fort Worth Nature Center/Wildlife Refuge	M	3,662	Fort Worth, Tex.
27	Mountain Creek Lake Park	M	3,643	Dallas, Tex.
28	Bays Mountain Park	M	3,585	Kingsport, Tenn.
29	False Cape State Park and Natural Area Preserve	S	3,572	Virginia Beach, Va.

30	Bonita Lakes Park	M	3,462 Meridian, Miss.
31	North Landing River State Natural Area Preserve	S	3,440 Virginia Beach, Va.
32	First Landing State Park	S	3,410 Virginia Beach, Va.
33	Shelby Farms Park	C	3,200 Memphis, Tenn.
34	Trinity River Park	M	3,173 Dallas, Tex.
35	Mohawk Park and Golf Course	M	3,100 Tulsa, Okla.
36	Brecksville Reservation (part)	R	3,026 Brecksville, Ohio
37	Cecil Field Greenway	M	2,866 Jacksonville, Fla.
38	Pelham Bay Park	M	2,765 New York, N.Y.
39	Newport News Park (part)	M	2,688 Newport News, Va.
40	Otter Creek Park	M	2,600 Louisville, Ky.
41	Los Penasquitos Canyon	M	2,405 San Diego, Calif.
42	Longview Lake Park (part)	C	2,381 Kansas City, Mo.
43	Blue River Parkway	C	2,319 Kansas City, Mo.
44	Mill Stream Run Reservation (part)	R	2,238 Strongsville, Ohio.
45	Fleming Park (part)	C	2,229 Lee's Summit, Mo.
46	Steele Creek Park	M	2,224 Bristol, Tenn.
47	Bear Creek Pioneers Park	C	2,168 Houston, Tex.
48	Tilden Park	M	2,077 Berkeley, Calif.
49	Percy Warner Park	M	2,058 Nashville, Tenn.
50	Sepulveda Basin Recreation Area	M	2,031 Los Angeles, Calif.
51	Galveston Island State Park	S	2,013 Galveston, Tex.
52	Smith and Bybee Wetlands Natural Area	R	1,973 Portland, Ore.
53	White Rock Lake Park	M	1,952 Dallas, Tex.
54	Swope Park	M	1,805 Kansas City, Mo.
55	Torrey Pines State Reserve	S	1,800 San Diego, Calif.
56	Calero County Park	C	1,782 San Jose, Calif.
57	Greenbelt Park	M	1,778 New York, N.Y.
58	Barton Creek Greenway	M	1,771 Austin, Tex.
59	Little Talbot Island State Park	S	1,768 Jacksonville, Fla.
60	Mission Bay Park	M	1,756 San Diego, Calif.
61	Rock Creek Park (part)	NP	1,754 Washington, D.C.
62	Tijuana River Valley Regional Park	C	1,710 San Diego, Calif.
63	Big Talbot Island State Park	S	1,708 Jacksonville, Fla.
64	Fort Harrison State Park	S	1,640 Lawrence, Ind.
65	Lake Leatherwood Park	M	1,620 Eureka Springs, Ark.
66	Pennypack Park	M	1,618 Philadelphia, Pa.
67	Claremont Hills Wilderness Park	M	1,589 Claremont, Calif.
68	Burns Park	M	1,575 North Little Rock, Ark.
69	Adobe Dam Recreation Area	C	1,526 Phoenix, Ariz.
70	Hidden Valley Wildlife Area	R	1,510 Riverside, Calif.
71	Water Works Park	M	1,500 Des Moines, Iowa
72	Beaman Park	M	1,493 Nashville, Tenn.
73	The Presidio	NP	1,491 San Francisco, Calif.

74	Wilderness Park	M	1,472 Lincoln, Neb.
75	Mt. Airy Forest	M	1,471 Cincinnati, Ohio
76	Memorial Park	M	1,466 Houston, Tex.
77	Glenn Cunningham Lake	M	1,439 Omaha, Neb.
78	Hansen Dam Recreation Center	M	1,437 Los Angeles, Calif.
79	Stumpy Lake Park	M	1,435 Virginia Beach, Va.
80	Longview Lake Park (part)	C	1,429 Lee's Summit, Mo.
81	Sycamore Canyon Wilderness Park	M	1,424 Riverside, Calif.
82	Kincaid Park	M	1,411 Anchorage, Alaska
83	Rancho Diana	M	1,392 San Antonio, Tex.
84	Sacred Falls State Park	S	1,374 Honolulu, Hawaii
85	Latta Plantation Nature Preserve	C	1,343 Huntersville, N.C.
86	Garden of the Gods Park	M	1,319 Colorado Springs, Colo.
87	City Park	M	1,300 New Orleans, La.
88	Forest Park	M	1,293 St. Louis, Mo.
89	Black Mountain Park	M	1,284 San Diego, Calif.
90	North Cheyenne Canyon Park	M	1,260 Colorado Springs, Colo.
91	Flushing Meadows/Corona Park	M	1,255 New York, N.Y.
92	Martin Luther King, Jr. Shoreline Park	R	1,220 Oakland, Calif.
93	Lincoln Park	M	1,216 Chicago, Ill.
94	Anacostia Park	NP	1,215 Washington, D.C.
95	Cave Buttes Recreation Area I & II	M	1,200 Phoenix, Ariz.
95	Gwynns Falls/Leakin Park	M	1,200 Baltimore, Md.
97	Liberty State Park	S	1,188 Jersey City, N.J.
98	Thunderbird Conservation Park	M	1,185 Glendale, Ariz.
99	McClay Gardens State Park	S	1,179 Tallahassee, Fla.
100	Three Creeks Parks	M	1,156 Columbus, Ohio.
101	Van Cortlandt Park	M	1,146 New York, N.Y.
102	Red Mountain Park	M	1,144 Mesa, Ariz.
103	Pioneers Park	M	1,139 Lincoln, Neb.
104	T.O. Fuller State Park	S	1,138 Memphis, Tenn.
105	Emma Long Park	M	1,137 Austin, Tex.
106	Rouge Park	M	1,100 Detroit, Mich.
107	McDowell Nature Preserve	M	1,098 Charlotte, N.C.
108	Balboa Park	M	1,091 San Diego, Calif.
109	Cheyenne Mountain State Park	S	1,060 Colorado Springs, Colo.
110	Bedford Reservation (part)	R	1,033 Bedford, Ohio
111	Rochester Park	M	1,032 Dallas, Tex.
112	River Legacy Park	M	1,031 Arlington, Tex.
113	Golden Gate Park	M	1,027 San Francisco, Calif.
114	Olmos Basin	M	1,010 San Antonio, Tex.
115	North Chagrin Reservation (part)	R	1,004 Willoughby Hills, Ohio
116	Stinchcomb Wildlife Refuge	M	988 Oklahoma City, Okla.
117	Richmond Parkway	M	984 New York, N.Y.

118	Belle Isle Park	M	982	Detroit, Mich.
119	Bryan Park	M	980	Greensboro, N.C.
120	Anderson Lake County Park	C	975	San Jose, Calif.
121	Riverfront Park	M	955	Kansas City, Mo.
122	Longview Lake Park (part)	C	952	Grandview, Mo.
123	Koko Head Regional Park	R	951	Honolulu, Hawaii
124	Eisenhower Park	C	930	East Meadow, N.Y.
125	Bedford Reservation (part)	R	924	Walton Hills, Ohio
126	San Diego National Wildlife Refuge Complex	NWR	900	San Diego, Calif.
127	Papago Park	M	895	Phoenix, Ariz.
128	Lake Wheeler Park	M	869	Raleigh, N.C.
129	McAllister Park	M	856	San Antonio, Tex.
130	El Dorado Park	M	850	Long Beach, Calif.
131	Delaware Park	M	846	Buffalo, N.Y.
132	Central Park	M	840	New York, N.Y.
133	San Antonio Missions National Historical Park	NP	835	San Antonio, Tex.
134	Scripps Miramar Open Space	M	822	San Diego, Calif.
135	San Jacinto Battleground State Historic Park	S	820	La Porte, Tex.
136	Tierrasanta Open Space	M	818	San Diego, Calif.
137	William T. Davis Wildlife Refuge	M	814	New York, N.Y.
138	Shelby Bottoms	M	810	Nashville, Tenn.
139	Bell's Bend Park	M	809	Nashville, Tenn.
140	Mill Creek Park (part)	M	802	Youngstown, Ohio
141	Oak Point Park	M	801	Plano, Tex.
141	Robert H. Hodge Park	M	801	Kansas City, Mo.
143	Tres Rios	M	800	Phoenix, Ariz.
144	Gerritsen Beach (Marine Park)	M	798	New York, N.Y.
145	Hamilton Creek Park	M	790	Nashville, Tenn.
146	Cobb's Creek Park	M	786	Philadelphia, Pa.
147	Sabre Springs Open Space	M	780	San Diego, Calif.
148	Ka'ena Point State Park	S	779	Honolulu, Hawaii
149	White Rock Creek Greenbelt	M	773	Dallas, Tex.
150	Bear Creek Canon Park	M	769	Colorado Springs, Colo.