



Tongass National Forest Sustainable Trails Strategy

Updates from around the State - Southeast

2021 COMMUNITIES/RANGER DISTRICTS

Craig and **Coffman Cove** - Prince of Wales Ranger District (Thorne Bay and Craig Ranger Districts)

Hoonah - Hoonah Ranger District

Kake - Petersburg Ranger District

Sitka - Sitka Ranger District



EMERGING THEMES

High cost of building and maintaining trails

Persistent understaffing of Ranger Districts

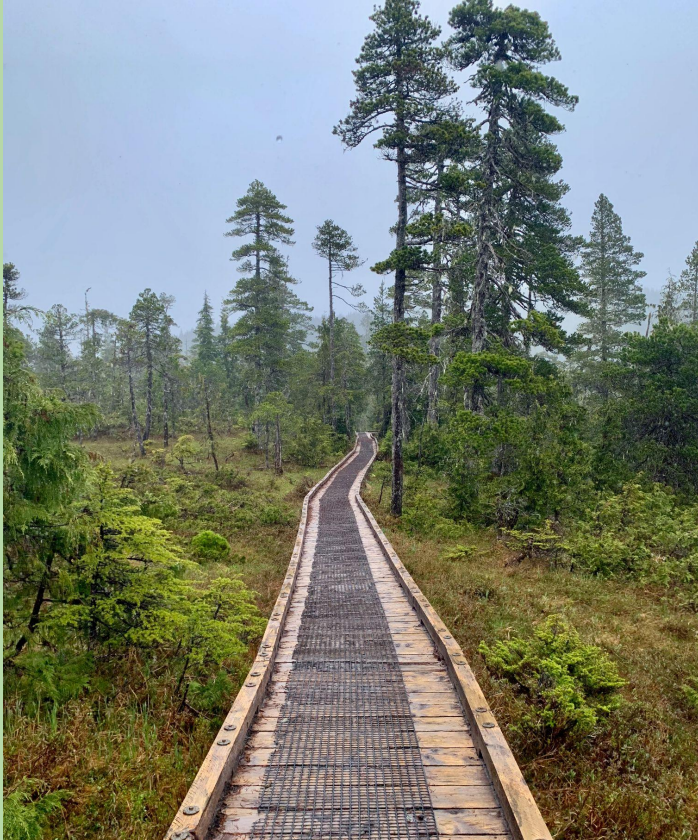
Lack of a local workforce

Need for nonprofit and community partners

Strong community desires for maintenance, alpine access and looping trails

Demand from outfitter/guides for shore access

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Additional Communities - Prince of Wales Ranger District

Wrangell - Wrangell Ranger District

Ketchikan - Ketchikan Misty Fjords Ranger District

Yakutat - Yakutat Ranger District

Angoon - Admiralty National Monument

FORMATS FOR OUTREACH

Virtual Meetings - Ranger District staff, community members and stakeholders, Outfitter/Guides

In-person Listening Sessions - At least one per Ranger District, open to the public

Online Feedback - Google form(s) linked to on popular social media pages, posted at trailheads and other points of interest within Ranger Districts

Direct Outreach - One-on-one conversations with stakeholders we hope to engage.

GET INVOLVED AND/OR PROVIDE FEEDBACK!

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