

April 2019

Arizona Office of Tourism  
 Monthly National Parks Vistiation Report



| National Park Service Visitation |                  |                  |             |                  |                  |              |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| National Park                    | April 2019       | April 2018       | % Change    | 2019 YTD         | 2018 YTD         | % Change YTD |
| Canyon de Chelly NM <sup>1</sup> | 18,779           | 38,049           | -50.6%      | 94,519           | 121,116          | -22.0%       |
| Casa Grande NM                   | 6,509            | 5,897            | 10.4%       | 34,937           | 40,029           | -12.7%       |
| Chiricahua NM                    | 9,002            | 8,415            | 7.0%        | 29,283           | 34,696           | -15.6%       |
| Coronado NM                      | 8,739            | 8,898            | -1.8%       | 36,335           | 36,723           | -1.1%        |
| Fort Bowie NHS                   | 945              | 915              | 3.3%        | 3,867            | 4,453            | -13.2%       |
| Glen Canyon NRA <sup>1</sup>     | 333,186          | 282,433          | 18.0%       | 673,309          | 544,972          | 23.5%        |
| Grand Canyon NP                  | 562,265          | 549,416          | 2.3%        | 1,451,599        | 1,576,015        | -7.9%        |
| Hubbell Trading Post NHS         | 4,665            | 4,938            | -5.5%       | 8,071            | 10,503           | -23.2%       |
| Lake Mead NRA <sup>1</sup>       | 111,079          | 94,300           | 17.8%       | 316,999          | 290,945          | 9.0%         |
| Montezuma Castle NM              | 46,903           | 49,191           | -4.7%       | 130,930          | 158,788          | -17.5%       |
| Navajo NM                        | 6,052            | 13,235           | -54.3%      | 10,845           | 20,945           | -48.2%       |
| Organ Pipe Cactus NM             | 17,564           | 17,263           | 1.7%        | 125,232          | 125,684          | -0.4%        |
| Petrified Forest NP              | 56,567           | 49,638           | 14.0%       | 148,438          | 156,683          | -5.3%        |
| Pipe Spring NM                   | 3,371            | 2,265            | 48.8%       | 6,819            | 3,935            | 73.3%        |
| Saguaro NP                       | 117,803          | 98,936           | 19.1%       | 502,417          | 487,675          | 3.0%         |
| Sunset Crater Volcano NM         | 13,274           | 11,270           | 17.8%       | 27,935           | 31,394           | -11.0%       |
| Tonto NM                         | 4,354            | 4,080            | 6.7%        | 17,580           | 22,733           | -22.7%       |
| Tumacacori NHP                   | 4,548            | 4,201            | 8.3%        | 16,568           | 20,700           | -20.0%       |
| Tuzigoot NM                      | 12,329           | 12,350           | -0.2%       | 35,532           | 43,975           | -19.2%       |
| Walnut Canyon NM                 | 18,723           | 19,396           | -3.5%       | 45,084           | 53,513           | -15.8%       |
| Wupatki NM                       | 14,767           | 20,635           | -28.4%      | 37,181           | 60,241           | -38.3%       |
| <b>Total All Parks</b>           | <b>1,371,424</b> | <b>1,295,721</b> | <b>5.8%</b> | <b>3,753,480</b> | <b>3,845,718</b> | <b>-2.4%</b> |

Note: The above figures are for recreational visitors only.

<sup>1</sup>Glen Canyon NRA and Lake Mead NRA both encompass two states. Only the Arizona portion of visitors are represented here. Revised formulas are being used by both Glen Canyon NRA and Lake Mead NRA for 2018 and 2019 relative to prior years. At Glen Canyon NRA, Horseshoe Bend counts are now being reported separately and are included above. Canyon de Chelly NM also reported using a revised counting protocol in 2018 and 2019. April Notes: April 20th was an NPS fee free day (Beginning of National Park Week). Navajo NM reported issues with traffic counters and resulting loss of data.

Source: National Park Service. Compiled by: Arizona Hospitality Research and Resource Center (AHRRC).

Note: Canyon de Chelly NM, Lake Mead NRA, Saguaro NP, Tuzigoot NM and Walnut Canyon NM revised 10-18-19. Glen Canyon NRA revised 1-30-20.