



## STEP 2: PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS

With each outing you choose, there are several factors to plan and consider before you begin. Below is a checklist to help you think through the many factors involved with planning an outing. These considerations will vary according to your location, experience and conditions.

### LOCATION LOGISTICS:

- Travel time to location: \_\_\_\_\_
- Convenient meeting location: \_\_\_\_\_
- Food, water, restroom facilities: yes /no, details: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fees: \_\_\_\_\_
- Adequate parking for a large group: Yes / No
- Nearby public transportation options: \_\_\_\_\_
- Need permission for groups over 10: Yes / No

### TYPE OF HIKE/LOCATION:

- Loop hike
- Out and back
- Easy
- Moderately rigorous
- Seasonal features: \_\_\_\_\_
- Water feature: lake, stream, pond or puddles \_\_\_\_\_
- Clothing considerations for this destination: \_\_\_\_\_
- Educational opportunities: \_\_\_\_\_
- Accessibility features: \_\_\_\_\_
- Possible safety or accessibility issues (small children, elderly, all, etc): \_\_\_\_\_

### PLAN FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER:

- Alternate meeting location: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate activity: \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER CONSIDERATIONS:

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