

Spring Mountains Visitor Gateway

Spring Mountains National Recreation Area, NV



A deeper understanding of a sacred land

The Spring Mountains are a special place. They comprise a unique ecosystem populated with native species and provide a recreational escape for residents. Most importantly, Spring Mountains is the holy land of Nuwuvi Native American Nations.

Partnering with the project architects and consultant team, AldrichPears worked with the U.S. Forest Service, Nuwuvi and stakeholders to design an interpretive center that serves as a gateway to the mountains. APA established an interpretive vision and design concepts for the center's exhibits, which extend to outdoor exhibits that interpret the surrounding landscape. Interpretive experiences encourage visitors to use all their senses to connect with the mountains, ecosystems and the area's rich cultural heritage, as told by Nuwuvi.

APA developed detailed design documentation based on the interpretive plan and managed the exhibit fabrication and installation process.

