



World Urban Parks Members,

Effective May 25, 2018 the European Union's (EU) Global Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) will be in effect. The GDPR is to protect EU data collected by businesses and organizations within the EU, but also outside the EU for EU citizens. The data collected that is protected under the GDPR which World Urban Parks (WUP) collects includes, but not limited to, names, addresses, photos, email addresses, banking information, social media posts, and IP addresses.

WUP works to protect all information from organizations and individuals that relates to membership, those seeking information from WUP or subscribe to e-communications and work within all legal requirements from around the world. Through WUP's Member Declaration (a requirement during membership submission),

"As a member organisation we will observe the constitution and policies of World Urban Parks and promote World Urban Parks' objectives. We agree to receive limited e-communications."

Or,

"As a member I will observe the constitution and policies of World Urban Parks and will promote World Urban Parks' objectives. I agree to receive limited e-communications."

WUP member's data is collected for limited e-communications and membership processing only. No other information is collected that is outside this scope. Any member, including EU members, can ask to review all their personal information at any time. That information will be subject to change and deletion (from all sources) upon the request of the named owner of that information or membership resignation.

In accordance with GDPR, a notification to EU authorities of a data breach will be given within 72 hours. All other world-wide governing bodies will also be notified of a data breach.

All WUP associated organizations or business will be subject to the same GDPR and other world-wide data regulatory obligations. A risk-assessment of data processing of WUP membership information will be conducted and made available for member review at the 2018 AGM and online thereafter.

For further information on how WUP is complying with GDPR and other world-wide data regulatory obligations, please contact the Secretariat Coordinator at office@worldurbanparks.org.

Sincerely,

Mr. Neil McCarthy