

CRITERIA FOR PEDESTRIAN ONLY BEACHES

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- 1. No motorized vehicles allowed.**
- 2. Desirable Features:**
 - a. Unaltered state with little adjacent infrastructure.**
 - b. Natural physiographic process in progress with a natural dune system.**
 - c. Rich in observable wildlife resources.**
 - d. Wide, preferably at least 60 meters.**
 - e. Unaltered natural state with minimal slope.**
- 3. Easy access and egress through Park Service property with ramps, boardwalks, or other established breaks through the dunes.**
- 4. Preference for beaches that in the past have been used extensively for pedestrians only.**
- 5. Some with proximity to established infrastructure including nearby parking and bathroom amenities.**
- 6. Some near high visitation areas such as villages, lighthouses, and museums.**
- 7. Some convenient to Park Service campgrounds.**