San Francisco Bay is the largest estuary in the western United States. Here, fresh and salt water meet and mix. Myriad plants and animals rely on this protected habitat for the resources they need to thrive.

Discover more about this first-ever California marine reserve (now a marine conservation area): stop by the Visitor Center. Exciting exhibits and aquariums showcase bay critters and area history. Did you know this area was once known as the “Coney Island of the West?”

Please help protect the fragile life found in this unique area. Be a respectful visitor as you enjoy the park!

Use trash and recycling receptacles.

Leave what you find: no collecting is permitted.

Dogs are not allowed on the beach at Crab Cove or Crown Beach.

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