

CASSP

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Volunteer site stewardship training workshop
online on March 21, 2026, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm



Before the Covid epidemic, the two-day CASSP workshops were conducted in person over one weekend. Brian Walsh (standing) reviewed local archaeology during the Saturday classroom session for the 2017 CASSP workshop, when he was the State Parks archaeologist at the Lake Oroville State Recreation Area.

This CASSP online classroom session is the first part of a two-day workshop to train volunteer site stewards. It is free and open to the public. Please register at cassp.org/events and we will send the agenda and Zoom link to you about one week ahead. Topics will include archaeology background, resources at the California State Parks Great Basin District, safety, legal protections for archaeology, and Native American concerns.

The second day of the workshop will be offered in May or June. It will be an in-person, small group, field training at sites in the Great Basin District. You must first attend a classroom session (on March 21 or earlier), sign confidentiality agreement to not share sensitive site information with the public, and pay a \$25 fee to Partners for Archaeological Site Stewardship for the workshop notebook, snacks and lunch (sandwiches), and CASSP hat.

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