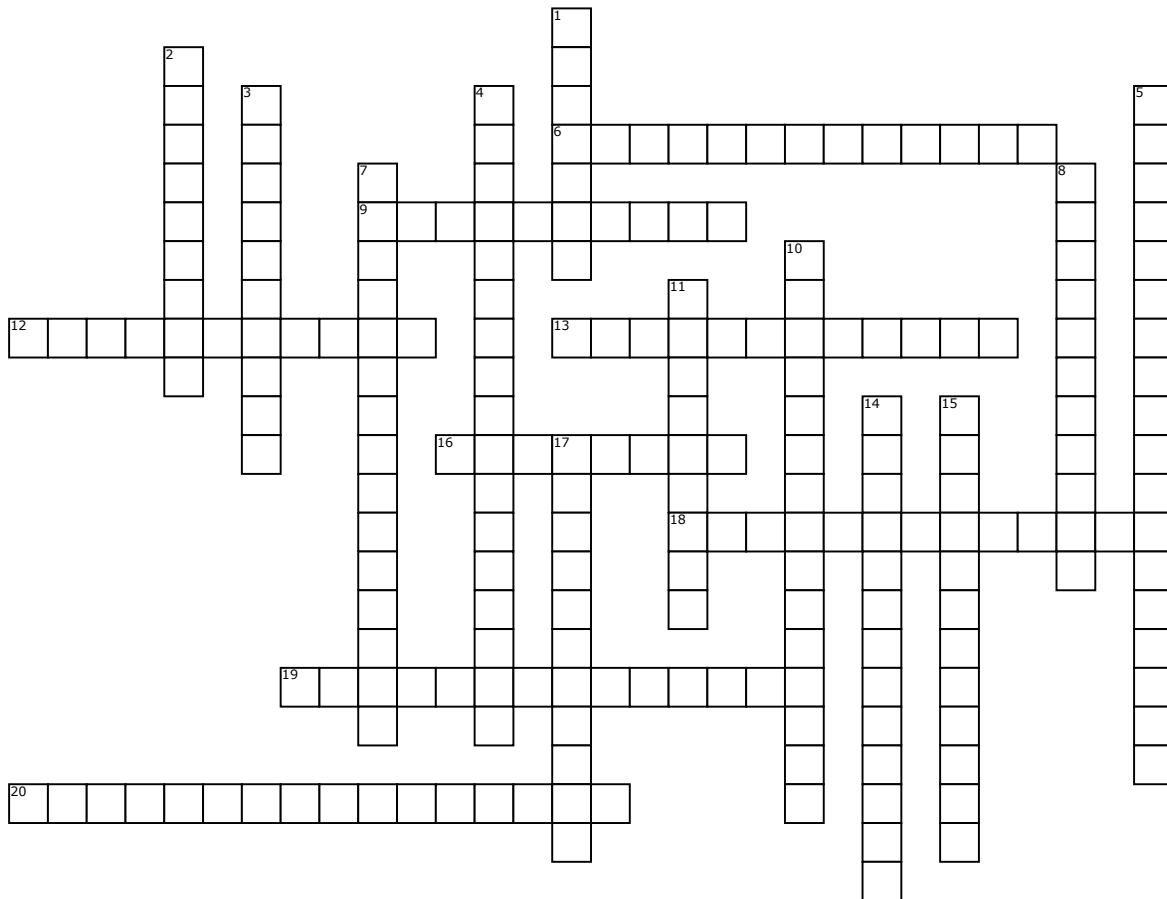


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NPS History Firsts



Across

- 6.** First woman NPS director (2001)
- 9.** First park specifically created to protect is biological resources (1947)
- 12.** First US president to be a park ranger (1936)
- 13.** First national seashore (1937)
- 16.** First cave national park
- 18.** First Black NPS director (1997)
- 19.** First NPS director (1917)
- 20.** First woman ranger (1918)

Down

- 1.** First national river (1972)
- 2.** First Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) history park (2016)
- 3.** One of the two first national preserves (1974)
- 4.** First woman regional director (1980)
- 5.** First national reserve (1978)
- 7.** First woman superintendent (1941)
- 8.** First Black woman to be chief of US Park Police (2021)

- 10.** First national monument specifically created to protect fossils
- 11.** One of two parks on the first list of World Heritage Sites (1978)
- 14.** First national lakeshore (1966)
- 15.** First woman US Park Police officer (1942)
- 17.** First national monument (1906)