DIRECTOR'S ORDER REGARDING FEES
for PARKING, CAMPING, BOAT LAUNCH, HISTORIC SITE ACCESS,
PROGRAMS, SANITATION, and FIREWOOD

Order Number 331
Approved: __________ Date: __________
Ricky Gease, Director

This order takes effect immediately, and supersedes previous fees established under Director’s Order #324 dated March 9, 2021.

Under authority of 11 AAC 05.170 state park fees are set at the following levels. Concessionaire managed facility fees listed are authorized under 11 AAC 18.040.

PARKING

Non-transferable calendar-year annual decal for daily parking: $60
Replacement pass with receipt or evidence of sticker: $10
Annual passes used in state park promotional purposes: $0
Third party retailers credit card fee for annual pass sales: $2.00 per transaction

Facilities Within State Park Units Where Annual Decals Do Not Apply
- The Pillars and Eagle Rock, Kenai River Special Management Area
- The Eagle River Nature Center, Chugach State Park (Separate parking fees apply)
- Arctic Valley Ski Area, Chugach State Park (Separate parking fees apply)

Daily Parking fees are waived on the day after Thanksgiving to support the nationwide OptOutside campaign that provides a platform for people to enjoy the outdoors and share their experiences with friends and family.

Daily use of designated parking areas with access to restrooms at the following locations:
(may be limited to seasonal access) $5 per vehicle per day.

Parking of vehicle overnight requires payment of two parking days (or valid annual decal): $10

Chugach/Southwest Region
Chugach State Park
  Bird Creek Fishing Access Site
  Bird Creek Campground Day Use
  Bird Creek Campground Overflow Day Use
  Bird Point
  Bird Ridge Canyon Road
  Eagle River Campground and Picnic Area
Eagle River Greenbelt Access at Briggs Bridge
Eklutna Lake Recreational Facilities
Glen Alps Trailhead
Indian Ballfield
McHugh Creek Picnic Area and Trailhead
North Fork Eagle River
Potter Section House
Prospect Heights Trailhead
South Fork Eagle River Trailhead
Thunder Bird Falls Trailhead
Upper Huffman Trailhead
Wood-Tikchik State Park
Aleknagik State Recreation Site

Kenai/Prince William Sound Region
Clam Gulch State Recreation Area
Crooked Creek State Recreation Site
Deep Creek State Recreation Area
Deep Creek South State Recreation Site
Deep Creek North State Recreation Site
Johnson Lake State Recreation Area
Kasilof River State Recreation Site
Kenai River Special Management Area
  Bing’s Landing
  Cooper Landing
  Eagle Rock
  Funny River
  Izaak Walton
  Kenai River Flats (July only)
  Morgan’s Landing
  The Pillars
Lowell Point State Recreation Site
Ninilchik River Scenic Overlook
Ninilchik View

Kodiak Region
Buskin River State Recreation Site
Fort Abercrombie State Historical Park
Pasagshak River State Recreation Site

Matsu/Copper Basin Region
Denali State Park
  Byers Lake
  Curry Ridge Trailhead
  Ermine Hill Trailhead
  Little Coal Creek Trailhead
  Lower Troublesome Creek
  K’esugi Ken Campground
  K’esugi Ken Day Use Area
  K’esugi Ken Interpretive Center
  Upper Troublesome Creek

(Day Use Parking in RV Electric Site Vehicle $10)
Finger Lake State Recreation Site
Hatcher Pass Management Area
   Archangel Trailhead
   Fishhook Trailhead
   Gold Mint Trailhead
   Independence Bowl Trailhead
   Reed Lakes Trailhead
Independence Mine State Historic Park
Matanuska Lakes State Recreation Area
   Matanuska Lake
   Canoe Lake
   Irene Lake
   Long Lake
Nancy Lake State Recreation Site
Nancy Lake State Recreation Area
Willow Creek State Recreation Area

**Northern Region**
Birch Lake State Recreation Site
Chena Pump State Recreation Site
Chena River State Recreation Area
   28-mile Flat Creek Boat Launch
   29.9-mile Compeau Trailhead
   31.6-mile Stiles/Colorado Creek Trailhead
   36.5-mile Shooting Range
   37.7-mile 1st Bridge, river access
   39-mile Granite Tors Trailhead
   39.6-mile 2nd Bridge, river access
   44-mile Boat launch
   48-mile Pond
   50.5-mile Upper Chena Dome Trailhead
   Angel Rocks Trailhead
   Lower Chena Dome Trailhead
   Red Squirrel Day Use
   Rosehip Day Use
   Tors Trailhead
Harding Lake State Recreation Area
Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area
   Olnes Pond
   Whitefish Campground
Salcha River State Recreation Site

**Southeast Region**
Alaska Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve
Chilkat State Park
Chilkoot State Recreation Site
Eagle Beach State Recreation Area
Earnest Gruening State Historical Park
Halibut Point State Recreation Area
Mosquito lake State Recreation Site
Old Sitka State Historical Park
Portage Cove State Recreation Site

**PARKING**

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"Day" means a calendar day or any portion of a calendar day.

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**CAMPING**

Overnight use of a developed campsite, per site or per vehicle as specified below, at the following locations:

- Reservation sites: $5 per transaction
  - $3 per cancellation
  - $4 per change

*The Disabled U.S. Veteran Camping Pass* authorized under AS 41.21.026 is valid for free camping in a developed campsite for personal recreation in all state park campgrounds, pursuant to 11 AAC 05.170 (b) (1) (C), subject to all other park rules and stay limits. This pass does not include group camping areas. Passes must be properly displayed, and the veteran must be physically present in the campsite each night for the pass to be honored. Second vehicles that can fit
within the same defined parking space or site are exempted from paying additional camping fees. The pass is NOT valid for any Reservation Transaction Fees for reserving campsites.

**Chugach/Southwest Region**

- Bird Creek Campground Site $20
- Bird Creek Overflow Campground Vehicle $20
- Eagle River Campground Site $20
- Eklutna Lake Campground Site $20

**Kenai/Prince William Sound Region**

- Bings Landing State Recreation Site Site $20
- Clam Gulch State Recreation Area Site $20
- Crooked Creek State Recreation Site Site $20
- Deep Creek State Recreation Area  
  - Deep Creek North Site $20
  - Deep Creek South Site $20
  - Deep Creek Beach Site $20
- Funny River State Recreation Area Vehicle $20
- Izaak Walton State Recreation Site Site $20
- Johnson Lake State Recreation Area Site $20
- Kasilof River State Recreation Site Site $20
- Morgan’s Landing State Recreation Area Site $20
- Ninilchik State Recreation Area  
  - Scenic Overlook Site $20
  - River Campground Site $20
  - View Campground Site $20

**Kodiak Region**

- Buskin River State Recreation Site Site $20
- Fort Abercrombie State Historic Park Site $20
- Pasagshak State Recreation Site Site $20

**Mat-Su/Copper Basin Region**

- Denali State Park  
  - Denali View North Campground Vehicle $20
  - Denali View South Campground Vehicle $20
  - Lower Troublesome Creek Campground Vehicle $20
  - Byers Lake Campground Site $20
  - K’esugi Ken Campground  
    - RV Camping Non-Reserved Site $30
    - RV Camping Reserved Site $35
    - Tent Camping Non-Reserved Site $20
    - Tent Camping Reserved Site $25
    - RV Overflow Camping Vehicle $20
- Finger Lake State Recreation Site  
  - Finger Lake Campground  
    - Camping Regular Non-Reserved Site $25
    - Camping Regular Reserved Site $30
    - Camping Premium Non-Reserved Site $30
    - Camping Premium Reserved Site $35
- Gold Mint Trailhead and Campground Vehicle $15
Government Peak Campground Site $15
Nancy Lake State Recreation Area
  South Rolly Lake Campground Site $20
  Sites designated as “Premium” Site $25
Nancy Lake State Recreation Site Site $20
Matanuska Lakes State Recreation Area Vehicle $25
Willow Creek State Recreation Area Vehicle $20

Northern Region
Birch Lake State Recreation Site Vehicle $20
Chena River State Recreation Area
  Rosehip Campground Site $20
  Tors Trail Campground Site $20
  Red Squirrel Campground Vehicle $20
  Lower Chena Dome Trailhead Vehicle $20
Harding Lake State Recreation Area
  Lake Campground Site $20
  Lake Parking Areas Vehicle $20
Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area
  Olnes Pond Site $20
  Whitefish Campground Site $20
Salcha River State Recreation Site Vehicle $20
Upper Chatanika River State Recreation Site Site $20

Southeast Region
Chilkoot Lake State Recreation Site Site $20
Chilkat State Park Site $20
Eagle Beach State Recreation Area Site $20
Portage Cove State Recreation Site
  (walk-in or bike in only) Site $10
Settlers Cove State Recreation Site Site $20

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Overnight use of a developed campsite, per site or per vehicle as specified below, at the following locations:

Kenai/Prince William Sound Region
Anchor River State Recreation Area
  Coho Campground Site $20
  Halibut Campground Site $20
  Silver King Campground Site $20
  Slidehole Campground Site $20
  Steelhead Campground Site $20
Stariski State Recreation Site Site $20
Captain Cook State Recreation Area
  Discovery Campground Site $20
Blueberry Lake State Recreation Site Site $25

Kenai Region Permittee Reservation Information:
  Reservation Transaction Fee* Per Transaction $4
**Mat-Su/ Copper Basin Region**

Big Lake North State Recreation Site

- Camping - Premium Vehicle $25
- Camping – Premium Reserved Vehicle $30
- Camping - Regular Vehicle $20
- Camping – Regular Reserved Vehicle $25
- Tent Sites Vehicle $20
- Tent Sites -- Reserved Vehicle $25

At Big Lake North SRS, the camping fee is required for all passenger vehicles and trailers parked in the campground between 10:00pm – 7:00am nightly, unless the trailer can fit within a pre-paid designated camping space.

Big Lake South State Recreation Site

- Camping -- Regular Vehicle $20
- Camping – Regular Reserved Vehicle $25
- Tent Sites -- Regular Vehicle $20
- Tent Sites -- Reserved Vehicle $25

Dry Creek State Recreation Site

- Site $20

King Mountain State Recreation Site

- Camping -- Regular Site $25
- Camping – Regular Reserved Site $30

Lake Louise State Recreation Area

- Site $20

Liberty Falls State Recreation Site

- Site $25

Matanuska Glacier State Recreation Site

- Upper Site Site $20
- RV site Site $25

Montana Creek State Recreation Site

- Vehicle $25

Porcupine Creek State Recreation Site

- Site $25

Rocky Lake State Recreation Site

- Camping -- Regular Vehicle $20
- Camping – Regular Reserved Vehicle $25

Squirrel Creek State Recreation Site

- Site $25

**Matsu Region Permittee Reservation Information:**

- Reservation Transaction Fee* Per Transaction $5
- Credit Card Fee Per On-Site Transaction 3.5%

*Minimum Length of Stay limits may apply to reservations made for the following major holiday weekends:

**Northern Region**

Big Delta State Historical Park

- Site $20

Clearwater State Recreation Site

- Site $15

Delta State Recreation Site

- Site $15

Donnelly Creek State Recreation Site

- Site $15

Eagle Trail State Recreation Site

- Site $20

Moon Lake State Recreation Site

- Site $20

Tok River State Recreation Site

- Site $20
Quartz Lake State Recreation Area
  Lake Campground Site $15
  Lake Camping/Parking Lot Site $15
  Lost Lake Campground Site $15

**BOAT LAUNCH**

Non-transferable calendar-year annual decal for use of an improved boat ramp in a park facility developed principally for boat launching - $150.

For park facilities with both a boat launch and daily parking fee, the payment of a boat launching fee through either a daily launch fee or the annual boat launch pass entitles the vehicle operator one launch, one retrieval and to park the towing vehicle with boat trailer attached without paying an additional daily parking fee on launch days. Each additional day parked requires an additional daily parking fee.

Hand-carried boats that do not use a boat ramp are exempt from the fee, Day use parking fee or annual decal applies. Daily use of designated improved boat launch at the following park units is as listed.

**Chugach/Southwest Region**
Lake Aleknagik State Recreation Site $15

**Kenai/ Prince William Sound Region**
Deep Creek State Recreation Area* $15
Kasilof River State Recreation Site* $25
Kenai River Special Management Area*
  Bings Landing* $25
  Cooper Landing $25
  Eagle Rock $25
  Izaak Walton* $25
  The Pillars $25

* Commercial operators that hold a state park permit are exempt from paying boat launch fees at most state parks while engaged in commercial business. Commercial operators using boat launches at Bing’s Landing, Cooper Landing, Izaak Walton, Kasilof River, and Deep Creek must pay the daily launch fee or obtain an annual boat launch decal and commercial operators using the Pillars and Eagle Rock boat launches must pay the daily boat launch fee.

**Mat-Su/Copper Basin Region**
Finger Lake State Recreation Site $20
Nancy Lake State Recreation Site $20

**Northern Region**
Birch Lake State Recreation Site $15
Flat Creek Slough $15
Harding Lake State Recreation Area $15
Lower Chatanika River State Recreation Area
  Whitefish Campground $15
Salcha River State Recreation Site $15

**Southeast Region**
Alaska Chilkat Bald Eagle Preserve $15
Chilkat State Park $15
Chilkoot Lake State Recreation Area $15
Mosquito Lake State Recreation Site $15
Old Sitka State Historical Park $15

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**Mat-Su/Copper Basin Region**
- Big Lake North State Recreation Site $25
- Big Lake South State Recreation Site $25
- Lake Louise State Recreation Area $15
- Rocky Lake State Recreation Site $15

**Northern Region**
- Clearwater State Recreation Site $10
- Fielding Lake State Recreation Area $10
- Quartz Lake State Recreation Area $10

**HISTORIC SITE ACCESS**

**Kodiak Region**
- Fort Abercrombie Military Museum $5 per person

**Mat-Su/Copper Basin Region**
- Independence Mine State Historical Park $15 per person for mine tours

Applies only to vehicles driving through gate. Walkers are free.

**Southeast Region**
- House of Wickersham State Historical Site $5 per person
- Totem Bight State Historical Park $5 per person, parking fee waived when paying historic park entrance fee.

**Northern Region**
- Big Delta State Historical Site $5 per person

**FIREWOOD**
Per bundle - $10 or less.

**PROGRAMS**
$10 per person or $80 per hour for group.
SANITATION

The use of a recreational vehicle holding tank dump station at the below listed locations is $10.

The Dump fee is not included in the camping fee.

Big Delta State Historical Park
Byers Lake Campground
Harding Lake State Recreation Area
Ninilchik State Recreation Area