A Framework for Reopening Lane County Campgrounds

Lane County Parks is requesting a review of this document which outlines a plan for reopening campgrounds. This outline includes a restricted opening of all five campgrounds operated by Lane County Parks. The Guidelines for Outdoor Recreation issued by the Oregon Health Authority will instruct how we operate and maintain park facilities. Precautions to safeguard the public from exposure to COVID-19 include: restricting access to gathering areas within the parks, additional cleaning and sanitation of high-touch areas like public restrooms, and providing bi-lingual signage at highly visible locations. Additionally, messaging in multiple formats will inform the public what facilities are open and what will remain closed along with the measures put in place to keep park employees safe and allow the public to recreate responsibly.

Detailed Opening Schedule

The following campgrounds are scheduled to reopen on May 21, 2020:

1. Harbor Vista Campground (Florence)
2. Armitage Campground (Eugene)
3. Richardson Campground (Junction City)
4. Baker Bay Campground (Dorena)
5. Archie Knowles Campground (Mapleton)

Facilities Closed within Individual Campgrounds (See attached maps)

1. Harbor Vista Campground
   - Group picnic area will remain closed
   - Playground will remain closed
   - Shower facilities will remain closed
   - Campsite #12 will remain closed to provide additional space between Campsite #11 & Campsite #13 to allow for appropriate physical distancing

2. Armitage Campground
   - All shelters and pavilions will remain closed
   - Off-Leash Dog Park will remain closed
   - Picnic Areas will remain closed
   - Group camping areas will remain closed
   - Group tent areas will remain closed (tents will be allowed in designated camp sites)
   - Shower facilities will remain closed
3. Richardson Campground
   - B-Loop campsites will remain closed to prevent overcrowding of campground
   - Campsites 7, 9, 45, & 48 will remain closed since these campsites are spaced close together
   - Showers will remain closed
   - Day-Use area will remain closed
   - Amphitheatre will remain closed
   - Playground will remain closed
   - Volleyball area will remain closed
   - Pavilions will remain closed
4. Baker Bay Campground
   - Concessions will remain closed
   - Picnic areas will remain closed
   - Playground will remain closed
   - Group campgrounds and tent camping will remain closed
   - Shower facilities will remain closed
5. Archie Knowles Campground
   - No closed facilities (Site has no group areas and operates with a vault public restroom

Reopening Framework

1. General
   a. Lane County Parks will reopen campgrounds following guidance issued from the Governor’s office and the Oregon Health Authority
   b. Lane County Parks will consult with County Health Officials for additional guidance and to clarify State guidelines as needed
   c. Staff will adhere to best practices outlined in this reopening framework
   d. When reservations are made and customer information is on file, personal conduct rules will be emailed out in advance of arrival

2. Facilities
   a. Staff will ensure that either soap, or hand sanitizer is available in the flush restroom in each campground
   b. Restrooms will be serviced on a conspicuously posted routine schedule using approved cleaners and disinfectants for coronavirus in campgrounds
   c. Showers in campgrounds will remain closed
d. Signs will be placed throughout the parks and in restroom facilities encouraging social distancing and proper hygiene to minimize COVID-19 spread

e. All Large gathering places will remain closed.

3. Camping
   a. Campsites that cannot provide required physical distancing will remain closed to ensure that occupants are spread out to meet distancing guidelines
   b. Existing rules applicable to maximum number of occupants per campsite (8) will be strictly enforced
   c. Campers will be informed to not comeingle families in the same campsite and rent separate campsites for each family
   d. Group camp sites will remain closed
   e. No sale of park goods, such as ice and firewood will occur unless physical distancing with customers can be attained
   f. To the extent possible, use of campsites shall be limited to a reservation-only basis, allowing for operators to have occupant contact information for future correspondence shall it be needed for contact tracing or other notification purposes and limiting the use of cash transactions

4. General Conduct
   a. Signage will be place throughout parks reminding the public of the physical distancing guidelines and encouraging customers to wear cloth masks
   b. Staff will be provided Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for cleaning of facilities, including cloth masks and gloves
   c. Staff will be held accountable to follow strict physical distancing requirements between coworkers and customers
   d. Customers will be encouraged to pay via credit/debit card to the extent possible. Any cash received will be collected in fee envelopes and opened at a later date.
   e. Staff will be strongly encouraged to wear cloth masks and to follow the four key pillars of employers, per OHA recommendations
      i. Stay home if sick
      ii. Practice good hygiene- especially frequent handwashing
      iii. Cover coughs
      iv. Avoid touching face
Harbor Vista Campground
87658 Harbor Vista Rd. - Florence, OR 97439 - Lane County
Campground Office: (541) 997-5987

Open Year Round

Legend
- Restrooms
- Showers
- Dump Station
- ADA Site
- Day Use
- Dumpster
- Parking
- Swings
- 30 Amp
- 30/50 Amp/Sewer
- 30 Amp/Sewer
- 30/50 Amp

Visit the other Lane County Parks & Campgrounds as shown below:

Lane County Parks
3050 N. Delta Hwy - Eugene, OR 97408
Campground Reservations Are Available!
Please Call 541-682-2003 - Online Reservations At: reservations.lanecounty.org
Each reservation requires a fee in addition to the camping fee, and is non-refundable. We accept Visa and Mastercard.
Armitage Park Campground
90064 Coburg Road • Eugene, OR 97408 • Lane County
Campground Office: (541) 357-5481
Open Year Round

Legend
- Tent Only
- Camp Sites (ADA)
- Group Camp Sites
- Gate
- Paved Walkway

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Richardson Park
25950 Richardson Park Rd. • Junction City, OR 97448 • Lane County
Campground Office: (541) 935-2005

Legend
- Dumpster
- Phone
- Boat Launch
- Picnic Shelter
- Rest Rooms
- Showers
- Dump Station
- ADA Site
- 30/50 AMP Hook-Up
- Dishwasher Disposal
- Recycling Bin
- Amphitheater
- T1-T6 Primitive Tent Only

SPEED
10 MPH

EMERGENCY
911

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Archie Knowles Campground
Mile Post 17.5 Hwy. 126 • Mapleton, OR 97453 • Lane County

LEGEND
- Restrooms
- ADA Site
- Day Use
- Trash/Recycle
- Water

SPEED LIMIT 10 MPH

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Phase One Reopening Guidance

Sector: Outdoor Recreation

Specific Guidance for Outdoor Recreation Organizations:

**Outdoor recreation organizations are required to:**

- Prior to reopening after extended closure, ensure all parks and facilities are ready to operate and that all equipment is in good condition, according to any applicable maintenance and operations manuals and standard operating procedures.
- Prohibit parties (a group of 10 or fewer people that arrived at the site together) from congregating in parking lots for periods longer than reasonable to retrieve/return gear and enter/exit vehicles.
- Reinforce the importance of maintaining at least six (6) feet of physical distance between parties (a group of 10 or fewer people that arrived at the site together) on hiking trails, beaches and boat ramps through signs and education.
- Keep day-use areas that are prone to attracting crowds (including but not limited to playgrounds, picnic shelters/structures, water parks and pools, sports courts for contact sports like basketball) and overnight use areas closed.
- Prohibit contact sports.
- Thoroughly clean restroom facilities at least twice daily and, to the extent possible, ensure adequate sanitary supplies (soap, toilet paper, hand sanitizer) throughout the day. Restroom facilities that cannot be cleaned twice daily should be kept closed or a sign should be posted stating that the restroom is unable to be cleaned twice daily.
- Frequently clean and disinfect work areas, high-traffic areas, and commonly touched surfaces in both public and non-public areas of parks and facilities.
- Post clear signs (available at healthoregon.org/coronavirus) listing COVID-19 symptoms, asking employees, volunteers and visitors with symptoms to stay home and who to contact if they need assistance.
- Keep any common areas such as picnic tables not in shelters/structures, day-use shelters, and buildings open to the public arranged so there is at least six (6) feet of physical distance between parties (chairs, benches, tables). Post clear signs to reinforce physical distancing requirements between visitors of different parties.

**To the extent possible, outdoor recreation agencies should, but are not required to:**

- Consider closing alternating parking spots to facilitate at least six (6) feet of physical distance between parties.
• Consider opening loop trails in a one-way direction to minimize close contact between hikers. Designate one-way walking routes to attractions if feasible.

• Encourage all employees, volunteers and visitors to wear cloth, paper or disposable face coverings when around others.

• Encourage the public to visit parks and recreation areas during off-peak use times as defined and publicized by park or recreation area management.

• Encourage the public to visit parks and recreation areas close to home, avoid overnight trips and minimize travel outside their immediate area for recreation. Especially caution the public to not travel outside of their home area if they live in an area with a high number of reported COVID-19 cases to prevent asymptomatic COVID-19 positive individuals from inadvertently bringing the virus into an area with many fewer cases.

• Consider opening private, municipal, county and federal campgrounds as long as physical distancing requirements can be maintained. Oregon State Parks may make a separate determination on opening state campgrounds depending on readiness, ability to maintain physical distancing requirements and consultation with the Governor.

• Consider opening skate parks as long as physical distancing requirements can be maintained.

• Encourage visitors to bring their own food, water bottles and hygiene supplies (including hand sanitizer), as well as to take their trash with them when they leave.

• Encourage the public to recreate with their own household members rather than with those in their extended social circles.

• Encourage the public to recreate safely and avoid traveling to or recreating in areas where it is difficult to maintain at least six (6) feet from others not in their party.

• Position staff to monitor physical distancing requirements, ensure groups are no larger than 10 people, and provide education and encouragement to visitors to support adherence.

• Provide handwashing stations or hand sanitizer in common areas such as picnic areas, day-use shelters, and buildings open to the public.

• Consider placing clear plastic or glass barriers in front of cashiers or visitor center counters, or in other places where maintaining six (6) feet of physical distance between employees, volunteers and visitors is more difficult.

• Review and implement General Guidance for Employers, as applicable.

Additional Resources:

• OHA Guidance for the General Public
• OHA General Guidance for Employers
• CDC’s Guidance for Administrators in Parks and Recreational Facilities

You can get this document free of charge in other languages, large print, braille or a format you prefer. Contact Mavel Morales at 1-844-882-7889, 711 TTY or OHA.ADAModifications@dhsoha.state.or.us.
Re-opening services based on the Governor’s Roadmap for Reopening Oregon, using a phased-approach and particular strategies to contain the spread of disease, and coordinated through our Emergency Operations Center.

**Implementation**
- Campsites will allow for physical distancing, not every site and loop will open.
- Group camping & tent sites to remain closed
- Reservations in advance only – no walk up/drop in reservations
- 8 occupants per site, with strict enforcement

**End State**
Campgrounds will be open in a modified state to ensure safety of our customers as the first priority.

**Implementation**
- Showers & laundry facilities will remain closed
- Picnic tables, group fires, shelters to remain closed
- Soap & sanitizer regularly stocked in flush restrooms
- Posted signage encouraging social distancing and hygiene
- Facilities cleaned between each customer
- Limited sale of park goods (ice & firewood) in campgrounds

**End State**
Lane County Parks staff, caretakers and hosts will monitor and keep facilities clean for all customers.

**Implementation**
- Limit cash interactions when possible, use a credit card.
- Encourage public to wear masks
- Campers should bring personal PPE
- Practice physical distancing at all times
- Multiple families must rent multiple sites, no comingling
- Follow OHA recommendations to stop the spread of COVID-19

**End State**
Campgrounds remain open and safe for continued public recreation. This relies on public support and participation.

Lane County Parks (LCP) will follow the prescriptions outlined by OHA and follow the recommendations of the Lane County Department of Health and Human Services. Campgrounds will open in a safe and responsible manner that follows all national, state, and local restrictions for COVID-19. LCP will remain flexible and rely on advice from our local health on when to open campgrounds and when to close campgrounds to protect the local community.

As of: 5/12/20