



DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS



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Commercial Photography Permit Application for Oregon Ridge Nature Center

Note: Any photographic images or video captured/recorded on County Park property and sold for profit, commercial gain, or in return for any form of compensation, constitutes a "Commercial Enterprise".

Date of Application _____ Name of Permittee _____

Company Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

Vehicle Make _____ Model _____ Tag Number _____

No vehicles off pavement. All vehicles must remain in designated parking areas only.

All applicants must provide a Certificate of Insurance with this application. Insurance limits and wording below must be included on the Certificate.

Company shall have comprehensive general liability insurance for combined bodily injury and property damage with a minimum policy limit of \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 in the aggregate, and shall name Owner as an additional insured on the policy as follows:

Baltimore County, Maryland a body corporate and politic
Courthouse, 2nd Floor, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, MD 21204
and Oregon Ridge Nature Center Council

Area Requested _____

Date of Session _____ Time _____ # of people _____ Cost of Session _____

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Include additional pages as necessary.

Agreement

1. The Permittee agrees that they and their employees or guests shall not destroy, mutilate, injure, or deface any park property and shall protect the park property from any and all injury and damage; that upon failure to do so the park reserves the right to make repairs of damage caused by the Permittee and be reimbursed by the Permittee for the expense of any repairs.
2. The Permittee shall not permit rubbish, trash, garbage and other refuse to accumulate in the session area and the Permittee must take all trash with them upon leaving the park.
3. The Permittee is prohibited from removing, relocating, modifying or attaching any item to any structure, appurtenance or other feature of the park.
4. The Permittee agrees that they and their employees or guests shall not interfere or disturb any activities, whether conducted by the park or any of its affiliated organizations. Photo sessions should not in any way restrict park visitors from enjoying any area of the park.
5. The Permittee must adhere to the scheduled park hours of operation; opening at sunrise and closing at sunset March – October or during the months of November – February during the hours of 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
6. The Permittee may not stage areas for photo sessions using materials other than hand held items.
7. The Permittee may not use the interior of any facility located in the park. Sessions may not be held on driveways, parking areas, historic structures or surrounding stone walls. Use of walkways and trails must not restrict usage or inconvenience the general public in any way.
8. SWIMMING or WADING is NOT permitted.
9. Pets must be leashed at all times. Owners are responsible for clean up. Horses are not allowed on park grounds.
10. No loud or amplified music is permitted.
11. Parking is permitted in designated areas only. No vehicles off pavement. Unauthorized vehicles and bikes are prohibited on park trails.
12. Charcoal-type fires are ONLY permitted in park-owned grills. No fires of any type are permitted inside the fire rings except during a staff or scout led program.
13. The park reserves the right to revoke this permit for any scheduled dates at any time.
14. If you find it necessary to cancel your permit, please contact us as soon as possible so that someone else may be able to utilize the date requested.
15. The park attendant is the final authority in any dispute regarding the interpretation of printed park rules and regulations or in any other matter that may arise that is not covered by the park rules and regulations.
16. Any violation of the rules and regulations shall result in revocation of the permit, and the group will be required to vacate the park. The group may also be subject to legal action.
17. Oregon Ridge Nature Center and The Baltimore County Department of Recreation and Parks reserves the right to prohibit/restrict access to certain vendors based on poor previous experience. The Baltimore County Recreation & Parks reserves the right to make additional rules and regulations as may be in the public interest and has priority use over facilities, property and all activities that take place in the park.

I hereby agree to adhere to all park rules and regulations, and will make every effort to minimize any impact on the park, its activities, visitors or resources while conducting any work or activity under the terms of this permit. I understand that, while there is no fee for this permit, I will have a copy of this permit available upon request whenever I am in the park and engaged in the permitted activities.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Park Manager or Designee _____ Date Approved _____