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## Parks and Wildlife

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TO: Members of the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Commission  
FROM: Hilary Hernandez, Regulations Manager  
RE: November 14-15, 2024 Parks and Wildlife Commission Meeting Regulatory Items  
DATE: November 1, 2024

The regulatory and policy items detailed below are scheduled to be addressed at the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Commission's November 14-15, 2024 meeting. If there are questions about any of the agenda items below, or if additional information is needed, please feel free to contact Hilary Hernandez at [hilary.hernandez@state.co.us](mailto:hilary.hernandez@state.co.us).

### FINAL REGULATIONS

#### **Agenda Item 12.b: Chapter P-7 - "Passes, Permits and Registrations" 2 CCR 405-7**

Open for final consideration of regulations including, but not limited to, increasing the daily vehicle pass fees for Chatfield State Park, pursuant to SB 23-267 Chatfield State Park Water Quality Fee, as well as Golden Gate Canyon and State Forest State Parks, pursuant to SB 23-059 Local Access Funding.

### ISSUES IDENTIFICATION

**Agenda Item 16: Chapter W-2 - "Big Game" 2 CCR 406-2 and those related provisions of Chapter W-0 ("General Provisions" 2 CCR 406-0) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-2**

Open for consideration for changes to the draw methods, preference points, and the reissue process.

### FINAL REGULATIONS

**Agenda Item 17: Chapter W-0 - "General Provisions" 2 CCR 406-0, and those related provisions of Chapter W-2 ("Big Game" 2 CCR 406-2), Chapter W-3 ("Furbearers and Small Game, Except Migratory Birds" 2 CCR 406-3), and Chapter W-16 ("Parks and Wildlife Procedural Rules" - 2 CCR 406-16) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-0**



Open for annual consideration of regulations including, but not limited to, adjusting license fees and license agent commission rates according to adjustments to the Denver-Aurora-Lakewood Consumer Price Index. Cleanup to align regulation with the changes from SB 24-161.

**Agenda Item 18: Chapter W-1- “Fishing” 2 CCR 406-1**

Open for annual review of the entire chapter including, but not limited to, consideration of regulations regarding season dates, bag and possession limits, licensing requirements, manner of take provisions and special conditions or restrictions applicable to waters of the state. Specific regulatory changes include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Removing salvage regulations on Bonny Reservoir.
- Modifying the take regulations on current and planned native greenback cutthroat trout conservation waters.
- Modifying the white bass size limit at Boyd Lake State Park.
- Modifying the East River Fishing closure to improve fishing opportunity.
- Adopting a fall fishing closure on Fish Creek, a tributary to the Yampa River.
- Modifying the brown trout bag and possession limits on the Fryingpan River.
- Modifying the take regulations for walleye and saugeye at Horseshoe Reservoir
- Modifying the walleye bag, possession and size limits at Horsetooth Reservoir.
- Modifying take regulations for trout on Kerr Lake.
- Modifying the take regulations for lake trout and kokanee salmon on Lake Granby.
- Modifying take regulations on Los Pinos and Cochetopa Creeks.
- Modifying the take regulations for all waters in the Sand Creek Drainage, Rito Hondo Reservoir and creek above the reservoir.
- Modifying the water specific restrictions on Rocky Fork Creek.
- Modifying wiper special regulations at Union Reservoir.
- Removing Walker Lake State Wildlife Area from Chapter W-1 “Fishing”.
- Modifying take regulations on Wolf Creek.
- Cleanup for clarification to Blue River, Duck creek, and Hermosa Creek.

**Agenda Item 19: Chapter W-3 - “Furbearers and Small Game, except Migratory Birds” 2 CCR 406-3**

Open for annual review and final consideration of regulations regarding turkey hunting, including but not limited to, license areas, season dates, and manner of take provisions for the 2025 turkey hunting seasons. Specific considerations include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Adding GMU 63 to the valid units for the over-the-counter Fall Turkey hunting opportunity.
- Cleanup to the Harvest Information Program phone number.

**Agenda Item 20: Chapter W-16 - “Parks and Wildlife Procedural Rules” 2 CCR 406-16 and those related provisions of Chapter P-1 (“Parks and Outdoor Recreation Lands” 2 CCR 405-1), Chapter P-7 (“Passes, Permits and Registrations” 2 CCR 405-7), Chapter W-6 (“Raptors” 2 CCR 406-6), Chapter W-8 (“Field Trials and Training of Hunting Dogs” 2 CCR 406-8), and Chapter W-9 (“Wildlife Properties” 2 CCR 406-9) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-16**

Open for final consideration of changes to commercial use on state parks and state wildlife areas.

### **ISSUES IDENTIFICATION**

**Agenda Item 21: Chapter W-2 - “Big Game” 2 CCR 406-2 and those related provisions of Chapter W-0 (“General Provisions” 2 CCR 406-0) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-2**

Open for annual review of the entire chapter, including, but not limited to:

- Removing the ability to take coyotes by a hunter with an unfilled big game license.
- Creating a first rifle antlered deer season in data analysis unit D-3.
- Creating an early antlerless deer rifle season in data analysis unit D-3.
- Creating limited antlered and antlerless deer hunt codes in select units in data analysis units D-19, D-23, D-24, D-40 and D-57.
- Modifying the Ranching for Wildlife program to allow for management flexibility.
- Creating a private-land-only either-sex archery hunt code in data analysis unit E-10.
- Removing late antlerless elk seasons in data analysis unit E-13.
- Creating private-land-only archery hunt codes for limited archery elk data analysis units where over-the-counter archery licenses are valid on private land.
- Adding a late cow moose season in select game management units.
- Creating a bighorn sheep ram hunt in data analysis unit S-80.
- Adding a ewe license in data analysis unit S-22.

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

#### **FINAL REGULATIONS**

**Agenda Item 3.1: Chapter P-4 - “Snowmobile Regulations” 2 CCR 405-4**

Open for final consideration to implement an out of state permit program for snowmobiles in accordance with SB 24-056.

**Agenda Item 3.2:** Chapter W-2 - “Big Game” 2 CCR 406-2

Open for a cleanup to the Landowner Preference Program disqualification section to align with statutes.

**FINAL POLICY**

**Agenda Item 3.3:** 2025-2029 Big Game Season Structure policy

Open to cleanup the antlerless moose licenses that “float” between seasons to exclude the late seasons.

**Agenda Item 3.4:** Drawing License Limitations for Non-Residents

Rescinding the Commission policy on Drawing License Limitations for Non-Residents.

**Agenda Item 3.5:** Revised Public Comment Policy

Revisions to Commission policy titled “Providing Public Comment to the Colorado Parks and Wildlife Commission.”

**CITIZEN PETITION**

**Agenda Item 3.6:** Chapter W-1 - “Fishing” 2 CCR 406-1

At its November meeting, the Parks and Wildlife Commission will consider whether it should adopt the Director’s written recommendation to DENY a petition for rulemaking related to increasing spearfishing opportunities across the state.

**ISSUES IDENTIFICATION**

**Agenda Item 3.7:** Chapter W-2 - “Big Game” 2 CCR 406-2 and those related provisions of Chapter W-0 (“General Provisions” 2 CCR 406-0) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-2

Open for annual review of the entire chapter, including, but not limited to:

- Adding game management unit 512 to the over-the-counter white-tailed-only (DE048U6R) hunt code.

- Modifying the limited bull archery hunt code to a limited either-sex hunt code in data analysis unit E-16.
- Modifying the list B antlerless elk licenses to be list A licenses in the northwest elk data analysis units below population objective.
- Creating a local drawing limiting regular-season hunt participation in Baca National Wildlife Refuge.
- Combining antlerless elk license hunt codes in game management units 68 and 681.
- Adding a second rifle season hunt code in data analysis unit PH-1.
- Adding wilderness only hunt codes to data analysis unit M-2.
- Splitting cow moose hunt codes under game management unit 44 into different hunt codes for units 44 and 45.
- Creating a regular rifle season for cow moose in data analysis unit M-5.
- Modifying the geographic boundaries for the BE084P5R hunt code to target bear harvest on private lands with the highest potential for human-bear conflicts.

**FINAL REGULATIONS - CHAPTER P-7 - PASSES, PERMITS AND REGISTRATIONS**

**ARTICLE I - GENERAL PROVISIONS AND FEES RELATING TO PASSES, PERMITS AND REGISTRATIONS**

**VEHICLE PASSES**

**#700 - VEHICLE PASS**

1. Except as otherwise provided in these regulations or by Colorado Revised Statutes, no motor vehicle shall be brought onto any state recreation area or state park unless a valid parks pass issued by the Division of Parks and Wildlife (Division) or the Department of Revenue (DOR) is properly attached, displayed, or carried in the vehicle. Passes that are designed to be affixed to the windshield shall be attached to the extreme lower right-hand corner of the vehicle's windshield in a position so that the pass may be observed and identified. For an annual affixed vehicle pass, including an aspen leaf annual pass to be properly attached to a windshield, it must be permanently affixed. A state parks annual transferable pass must be hung from the rear-view mirror so that the pass may be observed and identified. Any vehicle whereby a pass cannot be secured inside the passenger compartment or hung from a rear-view mirror shall be treated as a special case, but evidence of a pass shall be required on the person or in the vehicle. A vehicle that has a Keep Colorado Wild annual pass must have evidence of such on its associated DOR issued registration documents, which must be carried in the vehicle or shown in a Division sponsored mobile application.
  - (A) As referenced in this chapter, "veteran" means a person who served in the active military, naval, or air service and who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable.
2. No vehicle pass shall be required for:
  - a. Any snowmobile as defined in section 33-14-101, C.R.S.;
  - b. Any off-highway vehicle as defined in section 33-14.5-101(3), C.R.S.;
  - c. Any government-owned vehicle, emergency vehicle, or law enforcement vehicle on official business;
  - d. Any commercial delivery vehicle delivering goods to the park or a park concessionaire when the goods are directly related to the operation of the park or concession;
  - e. Any resident's vehicle displaying a Colorado disabled veteran's license plate pursuant to section 42-3-213(5)(a), C.R.S. or a purple heart special license plate pursuant to section 42-3-213(2), and as provided for in section 33-12-106(1), C.R.S.;
  - f. Any vehicle bringing a holder of a Columbine, Centennial, Blue Spruce, Independence, Volunteer or Military Pass issued pursuant to # 701 into a state recreation area or state park;
  - g. Any vehicle that is not required to have a vehicle pass pursuant to the special activity regulation # 703;

- h. Any vehicle entering a state recreation area or state park pursuant to # 712-4;
  - i. Any vehicle that is exclusively towed;
  - j. Any vehicle occupied by a veteran or current or reserve member of any branch of the armed forces of the United States, on the State observance of Veteran's Day. At least one form of past or present military identification shall be presented at the Park entrance. Acceptable forms of military identification include:
    - (1) DD214;
    - (2) DD Form 2;
    - (3) DD Form 2765;
    - (4) Active, retired or veteran military identification cards;
    - (5) A current Colorado Driver's License or state issued identification card with the word 'Veteran' printed on it as specified in 42-2-303 (5)(a), C.R.S.;
    - (6) VA medical card;
    - (7) The display of military license plates.
  - k. Any Division employee, volunteer or hired contractor vehicle when such vehicle is used for the purposes of accomplishing work duties;
  - l. Any vehicle owned by a concession owner or employee or any contractor working for a concession when such vehicle is used for the purposes of accomplishing work duties;
  - m. Any vehicle entering the Cameo Shooting and Education Complex.
3. The types of annual vehicle passes available from the Division are as follows:
- a. An Aspen Leaf annual vehicle pass as provided for in section 33-12-103, C.R.S.; and
  - b. An annual affixed vehicle pass, which is available for any vehicle except passenger vans and buses operated by a commercial business, and
  - c. A state parks annual transferable pass, which can be used for any vehicle except passenger vans and buses operated by a commercial business. State parks annual transferable passes are issued to individuals, not vehicles. Only one vehicle at a time can use an annual transferable pass.
    - (1) Commercial passenger vans and buses are eligible to purchase daily, but not annual, vehicle passes.
    - (2) School buses on official school outings, passenger vans and buses operated by a nonprofit corporation or organization as defined in 13-21-115.5 (3), C.R.S., and passenger vans and buses operated by any government agency are eligible for either daily or annual affixed vehicle passes.
    - (3) An annual transferable pass may be shared with the original pass holder's household. For the purpose of this regulation, "household" is defined as persons living at the same address.

- d. A Keep Colorado Wild annual pass, as provided for in section § 33-12-108, C.R.S., which will be available for purchase through the Colorado Department of Revenue vehicle registration process starting with January 2023 vehicle registrations.
4. Daily vehicle passes are as follows:
- a. A fee of \$10.00 per vehicle for any vehicle except for:
1. Passenger vans and buses operated by a commercial business.
  2. A \$2.00 per vehicle Chatfield Water Basin Fee will be added to the cost of daily vehicle passes at Chatfield State Park.
  - 4.3. A \$2.00 per vehicle Local Access Fee will be added to the cost of daily vehicle passes at Golden Gate Canyon and State Forest State Parks.
- a-b. School buses on official school outings, passenger vans and buses operated by a nonprofit corporation or organization as defined in 13-21-115.5 (3), C.R.S., and passenger vans and buses operated by any government agency are eligible to purchase a daily vehicle pass.
- b-c. For passenger vans and buses operated by a commercial business, the daily vehicle pass fee will be based upon the number of passengers on-board. The fee shall be \$10.00 for up to fifteen passengers on-board, \$40.00 for sixteen to thirty passengers on-board, and \$50.00 for more than thirty passengers on-board.
5. An annual affixed vehicle pass or state parks annual transferable pass shall be issued and, by appropriate language, authorize entrance by motor vehicle to all state recreation areas and state parks, except Cameo Shooting and Education Complex, during the period beginning on the date of purchase through the last day of the same month in the following year. Such authorization shall apply to the user and all passengers in the motor vehicle to which the pass is affixed or displayed. One pass shall cover all state recreation areas and state parks.
6. Additional affixed annual vehicle passes may be issued to an owner or to the owner's household. Additional annual affixed vehicle passes authorize entrance by motor vehicle to all state recreation areas and state parks, except Cameo Shooting and Education Complex, during the period beginning on the date of purchase of the additional pass through the expiration date of the associated original full-priced annual affixed pass or state parks annual transferable pass. Owners of school buses, passenger vans and buses owned by a nonprofit corporation or organization as defined in 13-21-115.5 (3), C.R.S., and passenger vans and buses owned by any government agency are limited to purchasing no more than two additional annual affixed vehicle passes at a reduced fee per each annual affixed vehicle pass purchased at the full fee. For the purpose of this regulation, "household" is defined as persons living at the same address. "Owner" is defined as the person whose name appears on the registration of both the original vehicle for which an annual affixed pass was purchased and the additional vehicle, or a person who can provide proof of ownership of the original and the additional vehicle at a designated Division office.
7. If the motor vehicle for which an annual affixed vehicle pass, additional affixed vehicle pass, Aspen Leaf annual pass, or additional Aspen Leaf annual pass was issued is sold or traded, or if the pass is lost or destroyed during the period in which it is valid, the person to whom the pass was issued may obtain a duplicate thereof, upon signing an affidavit reciting where and by whom it was issued and the circumstances under which it was lost or traded. Customers who provide proof of necessary replacement shall be issued a replacement annual affixed vehicle pass, additional affixed vehicle pass, Aspen Leaf annual pass, or additional Aspen Leaf annual pass for

the remainder of the period that the lost or destroyed pass would have been valid at no cost. Customers without proof of necessary replacement shall be provided a replacement annual affixed vehicle pass, additional affixed vehicle pass, Aspen Leaf annual pass, or additional Aspen Leaf annual pass effective for the remainder of the period that the lost or destroyed pass would have been valid upon payment of a fee pursuant to regulation #708.1.e..

8. If a state parks annual transferable pass is lost or destroyed during the period for which it is valid, the person whom the pass was issued may obtain a duplicate thereof, upon signing an affidavit where and by whom it was issued and the circumstances under which it was lost or destroyed. Upon payment of a fee of \$60.00, a new pass effective for the remainder of the period the lost or destroyed pass would have been valid may be issued only by the Division to the original owner of such pass. Only one duplicate state parks annual transferable pass will be issued per period for which the original pass was valid.
9. A daily park pass, valid for one day only, shall authorize entrance by motor vehicle to the state recreation areas and state parks, except Cameo Shooting and Education Complex, by the user and all passengers in the motor vehicle to which the pass is affixed during the day used and until 12:00 P.M. (noon) the following day.
10. A no fee pass shall be issued to any vehicle towed or carried in by a motor home if a camping permit or proof of a campsite reservation is presented at an attended visitor center, office or entrance station. The no fee pass, valid for the same time period as the camping permit or camping reservation, shall authorize entrance by motor vehicle to the state recreation areas and state parks by the user and all passengers in the motor vehicle to which the pass is affixed. For the purpose of this regulation, motor home means a vehicle designed to provide temporary living quarters and which is built into, as an integral part of or a permanent attachment to, a motor vehicle chassis or van.
11. Unless the owner of the vehicle opts out, a Keep Colorado Wild annual pass shall be assessed by the Department of Revenue (DOR) at the time a resident registers a passenger motor vehicle, light-weight truck, motorcycle, or recreational vehicle. The Keep Colorado Wild annual pass shall authorize the entrance of the associated motor vehicle to all state recreation areas and state parks, except Cameo Shooting and Education Complex, while the associated vehicle registration is valid. Such authorization shall apply to the user and all passengers in the motor vehicle.
  - a. Commercial vehicles, as defined by § 42-1-102(17.5), C.R.S. are not eligible for the Keep Colorado Wild annual pass.
  - b. A no-cost Keep Colorado Wild annual pass shall be issued by the Department of Revenue (DOR) through the vehicle registration process to all qualifying vehicles, that are exempt from DOR fees as specified in § 42-3-213(1)(b)(II), C.R.S.
  - c. Refunds for the Keep Colorado Wild pass purchased in error will be eligible for a refund through the division. Refunds for prorated overlapping annual passes will only be offered for the first two calendar years after the Keep Colorado Wild pass implementation. Refund applications involving overlapping passes purchased after December 31, 2024 will not be eligible for a refund.
    - (1) A refund application for a Keep Colorado Wild pass submitted to the division within 60 days of purchase will be granted. A refund application for a Keep Colorado Wild pass submitted to the division after 60 days of purchase will be denied.
    - (2) When an affixed annual, aspen leaf annual, or annual multiple pass overlaps with a Keep Colorado Wild pass for the same vehicle, the CPW annual pass will be

eligible for a prorated refund. When a family annual pass overlaps with a Keep Colorado Wild pass, the family annual pass will be eligible for a prorated refund.

- a. If the annual pass has been used for 9 or more months it is non-refundable.
- b. Bulk annual park passes are non-refundable.
- c. For the family annual pass, the refund amount will be calculated from the date the refund application and the physical pass are received by the division. For all other annual passes, the refund amount will be calculated based on the date the refund application is submitted to the division.

(3) Only one refund is allowed annually per vehicle, either the Keep Colorado Wild pass or the annual pass, whichever is submitted and processed first.

**#708 - PASS AND PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE**

1. The fees for the types of vehicle passes issued by the Division are as follows.

- a. Aspen leaf annual pass.....\$70.00
- b. Annual affixed vehicle pass.....\$80.00
- c. State parks annual transferable pass .....\$120.00
- d. Each additional annual affixed vehicle pass for noncommercial vehicles.....\$40.00
  - (1) Each additional Aspen Leaf vehicle pass for noncommercial vehicles.....\$35.00
- e. Each replacement annual affixed vehicle pass, without proof of necessary replacement .....\$40.00
  - (1) Each replacement additional annual affixed vehicle pass, without proof of necessary replacement .....\$20.00
  - (2) Each replacement Aspen Leaf vehicle pass, without proof of necessary replacement .....\$35.00
  - (3) Each replacement additional Aspen Leaf vehicle pass, without proof of necessary replacement .....\$17.50
  - (4) Customers with proof of necessary replacement shall be issued a replacement annual affixed vehicle pass, additional annual affixed vehicle pass, or Aspen Leaf vehicle pass at no cost. Circumstances for necessary replacement include vehicle stolen, destroyed, traded, or sold; windshield replaced; pass damaged or faded; new legal name or address; or Division error. Other circumstances will be considered by the Division on a case-by-case basis.
- f. Each replacement state parks annual transferable vehicle pass .....\$60.00
- g. Each daily vehicle pass (exceptions follow) .....\$10.00

(1) At Chatfield, Golden Gate Canyon, and State Forest State Parks .....\$12.00

g-h. Each daily vehicle pass for a passenger van or bus operated by a commercial business:

- (1) carrying up to fifteen passengers.....\$10.00
- (2) carrying sixteen to thirty passengers.....\$40.00
- (3) carrying more than thirty passengers.....\$50.00

h-i. Keep Colorado Wild annual pass, as provided for in section § 33-12-108, C.R.S., available for purchase through the Colorado Department of Revenue vehicle registration process starting with January 2023 vehicle registrations .....\$29.00

i-j. Keep Colorado Wild Collector's Plate pass, for applicable vehicles only and valid for the length of the vehicle registration. Available for purchase only through the Colorado Department of Revenue vehicle registration process starting with January 2023 vehicle registrations.....\$145.00

2. The fees for the types of individual passes issued by the Division are as follows. Eligibility requirements are stated in regulation # 701.

- a. Columbine or Centennial annual pass.....\$14.00
- b. Each replacement Columbine or Centennial annual pass shall be provided at no cost.
- c. Non-motor vehicle individual daily passes (applies to persons sixteen years of age or older) for all state recreation areas and state parks except as otherwise provided in these regulations.....\$4.00
- d. Non-motor vehicle individual annual passes (applies to persons sixteen years of age or older) for all state recreation areas and state parks except as otherwise provided in these regulations.....\$29.00

3. The fees associated with special activities, as provided for in regulation # 703 are:

- a. Special activity alternate individual fee (applies to groups of twenty or more people in size).....\$4.00
- b. Special activity application filing fee.....\$30.00
- c. Arkansas Headwaters Recreation Area special activity application filing fees:
  - 1. Standard.....\$30.00
  - 2. Commercial boating.....\$400.00
  - 3. Other commercial activities, such as walk and wade fishing, shuttle services, imaging, vendor services, hiking, mountain biking and rock climbing.....\$250.00

3. 4The fees for the type of campground-use permits issued by the Division are as follows. Campground classes are defined in regulation # 704. These fees do not include any applicable accommodations tax.

- a. Campground-use permit for "Full Hookup Campgrounds" .....\$41.00/night
  - b. Campground-use permit for "Electrical Campgrounds" .....\$36.00/night
  - c. Campground-use permit for "Tent-Only Campgrounds".....\$36.00/night
  - d. Campground-use permit for "Basic Campgrounds" .....\$28.00/night
  - e. Campground-use permit for "Primitive Campgrounds" .....\$18.00/night
4. The fees for the reduced rate campground-use permit for individuals age 64 and older who hold certain parks passes as outlined in #712 are as follows:
- a. Campground-use permit for "Full Hookup Campgrounds" .....\$38.00/night
  - b. Campground-use permit for "Electrical Campgrounds" .....\$33.00/night
  - c. Campground-use permit for "Tent-Only Campgrounds".....\$36.00/night
  - d. Campground-use permit for "Basic Campgrounds" .....\$25.00/night
  - e. Campground-use permit for "Primitive Campgrounds" .....\$15.00/night
5. The fees for types of campground-use areas are as follows. Campground classes are defined in regulation # 704. These fees do not include any applicable accommodations tax.
- a. In group camp areas of "Full Hookup Campgrounds," the fee shall be \$41.00 per night per campsite assigned to such group area.
  - b. In group camp areas of "Electrical Campgrounds," the fee shall be \$36.00 per night per campsite assigned to such group area.
  - c. In group camp areas of "Tent-Only Campgrounds," the fee shall be \$36.00 per night per campsite assigned to such group area.
  - d. In group camp areas of "Basic Campgrounds," the fee shall be \$28.00 per night per campsite assigned to such group area.
  - e. In group camp areas of "Primitive Campgrounds," the fee shall be \$18.00 per night per campsite assigned to such group area.
6. The fees for types of tipis, cabins and yurts are as follows. These fees do not include any applicable accommodations tax:
- a. For tipis.....\$50.00/night
  - b. For small cabins and yurts that may accommodate a maximum of six people:
    - (1) Standard.....\$90.00/night
    - (2) Premium.....\$120.00/night
  - c. For large cabins and yurts that may accommodate seven or more people:
    - (1) Standard.....\$120.00/night

- (2) Premium two bedroom.....\$150.00/night
  - (3) Premium three bedroom.....\$190.00/night
  - (4) Premium four bedroom.....\$250.00/night
  - (5) Each additional premium bedroom over four bedrooms.....\$60.00/night
- d. For Mueller State Park Cabins:
- (1) Premium two bedroom.....\$150.00/night
  - (2) Premium three bedroom.....\$210.00/night
  - (3) Premium four bedroom.....\$270.00/night
- e. The maximum occupancy shall be posted in each cabin and yurt.
- f. There shall be an additional fee of \$10.00/night for pets where pets are allowed. For barn and corral facilities, there shall be a boarding fee of \$10.00/animal/night.
- g. Premium facilities contain showers and flush toilets.
7. The group picnic area permit fees for the permits issued by the Division are as follows. Group picnic area classes are defined in regulation # 706.
- a. Permit for "Class A - Deluxe Group Picnic Area" .....\$150.00
  - b. Permit for "Class B - Improved Group Picnic Area" .....\$100.00
  - c. Permit for "Class C - Basic Group Picnic Area" .....\$50.00
8. Event facility permit fees are as follows.
- a. For Bridge Canyon Overlook and Pikes Peak Amphitheater at Castlewood Canyon State Park, Prairie Falcon Amphitheater at Cheyenne Mountain State Park, Soldier Canyon Shelter at Lory State Park, and Lyons Overlook at Roxborough State Park:
    - (1) Monday through Friday.....\$150.00/2 HOURS
    - (2) Saturday and Sunday.....\$300.00/2 HOURS
  - b. For event facilities numbers 1 and 3 at Castlewood Canyon State Park and Timber Event Facility at Lory State Park:
    - (1) Monday through Friday.....\$100.00
    - (2) Saturday and Sunday.....\$150.00
  - c. For event facility number 2 at Castlewood Canyon State Park, Fountain Valley Overlook at Roxborough State Park and South Eltuck Event Facility at Lory State Park:
    - (1) Monday through Friday.....\$75.00
    - (2) Saturday and Sunday.....\$125.00

- d. For the Red Barn at Golden Gate Canyon State Park:
  - (1) Monday through Friday.....\$150.00
  - (2) Saturday and Sunday.....\$200.00
- e. For Mariner Point at Boyd Lake State Park:
  - (1) Monday through Friday.....\$90.00
  - (2) Saturday, Sunday, and holidays.....\$180.00
- f. For Prairie Skipper event facility at Cheyenne Mountain State Park:
  - (1) Monday through Friday .....\$150.00/DAY
  - (2) Saturday and Sunday.....\$200.00/DAY
- g. For PA-CO-CHU-PUK event facilities at Ridgway State Park:
  - (1) Single event shelter A or B:
    - (a) Monday through Thursday.....\$125.00 plus \$10 non-refundable reservation fee/DAY
    - (b) Friday through Sunday and holidays ....\$190.00 plus \$10 non-refundable reservation fee/DAY
- h. For Overlook event facility at Ridgway State Park:
  - (1) Monday through Thursday.....\$190 plus \$10 non-refundable reservation fee/ 4 HOURS
  - (2) Friday through Sunday and holidays....\$240 plus \$10 non-refundable reservation fee/ 4 HOURS
- i. Conference and/or meeting rooms.....\$100.00/DAY
- j. The maximum occupancy and hours of operation shall be posted at each event facility.
- 9. The fees associated with dog off leash areas at Chatfield State Park and Cherry Creek State Park, as provided for in regulation # 100 are:
  - a. Dog off-leash annual pass.....\$25.00
  - b. Dog off-leash daily pass.....\$3.00
- 10. The fee associated with the mandatory youth education course for motorboat operators...\$15.00
- 11. The fees associated with the Cheyenne Mountain State Park Field/3D Archery Range are as follows:
  - a. Daily individual archery range permit.....\$3.00
  - b. Annual individual archery range permit.....\$30.00

12. The fees associated with the Cameo Shooting and Education Complex are as follows:
- a. Individual passes:
    - (1) Individual day use pass (single day) .....\$12.00
    - (2) Individual day use pass (5 consecutive days) .....\$48.00
    - (3) Individual day use pass (10 consecutive days) .....\$84.00
    - (4) Individual annual pass .....\$150.00
    - (5) Individual three-year pass .....\$400.00
  - b. Youth (ages 7-17) individual passes:
    - (1) Youth individual day use pass (single day) .....\$3.00
    - (2) Youth individual day use pass (5 consecutive days) ..... \$12.00
    - (3) Youth individual day use pass (10 consecutive days).....\$21.00
    - (4) Youth individual annual pass ..... \$50.00
  - c. Two adult (Buddy) passes:
    - (1) Two adult day use passes (single day) .....\$20.00
    - (2) Two adult day use passes (5 consecutive days) .....\$80.00
    - (3) Two adult day use passes (10 consecutive days) .....\$140.00
    - (4) Both adult passes must be used on the same day(s).
  - d. Family passes (Two adults and all children (ages 7-17) that live at the same address):
    - (1) Family annual pass .....\$300.00
    - (2) Family three-year pass .....\$600.00
  - e. Group day use passes:
    - (1) Day use passes for 10 to 19 individuals .....\$9.00/person
    - (2) Day use passes for 20 to 29 individuals .....\$7.00/person
    - (3) Day use passes for 30 or more individuals .....\$3.00/person
  - f. Corporate passes:
    - (1) Annual corporate pass (10 unassigned passes per day) ...\$3,000.00
  - g. All annual passes for the Cameo Shooting and Education Complex are valid 365 days from the date of purchase.

13. Colorado Search and Rescue (CORSAR) Cards
- a. 1 year CORSAR Card.....\$5.00
  - b. 5 year CORSAR Card.....\$20.00
14. It is unlawful for any person to transfer, sell, or assign any pass or permit issued by the Division, including special activity permits, campground use permits, and group picnic area permits, unless otherwise permitted by these regulations.

**MAILING 11/01/2024**  
**Basis and Purpose**  
**Chapter P-7 - Passes, Permits and Registrations**

**Basis and Purpose:**

**Increasing the daily vehicle pass price**

The addition of a \$2.00 fee on top of the regular daily vehicle pass price is a change in response to rulemaking petitions from the Chatfield Watershed Authority, Gilpin County and Jackson County. In 2023, Senate Bill 23-059 State Parks and Wildlife Area Local Access Funding became law. The bill provided a way for a local governments to request that the commission charge an additional per vehicle fee not to exceed \$2.00 for each daily vehicle pass issued for a state park in the local government's geographic boundary. Also in 2023, Senate Bill 23-267 Chatfield State Park Water Quality Fee became law. This bill provided a way for the Chatfield Watershed Authority to request the commission charge an additional per vehicle fee not to exceed \$2.00 for each daily vehicle pass issued for Chatfield State Park.

In order for the fee to be increased the Chatfield Watershed Authority, Gilpin and Jackson Counties submitted rulemaking petitions to the Parks and Wildlife Commission. The petitions were presented to the Commission at the August 2024 commission meeting. If the commission approves the changes at the November 2024 commission meeting, the price for the vehicle daily pass at Chatfield, Golden Gate and State Forest state parks will be increased to \$12.00 from \$10.00 beginning January 1, 2025.

The statements of basis and purpose for these regulations can be obtained from the Colorado Division of Parks and Wildlife, Office of the Regulations Manager by emailing [dnr\\_cpw\\_planning@state.co.us](mailto:dnr_cpw_planning@state.co.us) or by visiting the Division of Parks and Wildlife headquarters at 6060 Broadway, Denver, CO, 80216.

**The primary statutory authority for these regulations can be found in § 24-4-103, C.R.S., and the state Parks Act, §§ 33-10-101 to 33-33-113, C.R.S., and specifically including, but not limited to: §§ 33-10-106 and 33-10-107, C.R.S.**

**EFFECTIVE DATE - THESE REGULATIONS SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025 AND SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT UNTIL REPEALED, AMENDED OR SUPERSEDED.**

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO THIS 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2024.**

**APPROVED:**  
**Dallas May**  
**Chair**

**ATTEST:**  
**Karen Bailey**  
**Secretary**