

Chapter V State Parks and Recreation Areas

Order 5.1 State parks and recreation areas, certain conduct prohibited.

Order 5.1 A person shall not do any of the following in any state park (SP) or recreation area (RA):

(1) Have more than one horse for each registered camper at any designated horsemen's campground without first obtaining proper written permission from the department.

(a) There must be at least one horse registered to a camper per campsite in order to camp at the following equestrian campgrounds within a SP or RA:

(i) Brighton RA.

(ii) Fort Custer RA.

(iii) Ionia RA.

(iv) Ortonville RA from April 1 through June 30 and September 1 through October 31.

(v) Pontiac Lake RA.

(vi) Waterloo RA from May 1 through October 31.

(vii) Yankee Springs RA.

(2) Enter, use or occupy a designated mountain bike trail when posted closed except with written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(3) Operate an electric skateboard in conflict with MCL 257.660.

(4) Use, in any way, a sky lantern.

(a) "Sky lantern" means an unmanned hot air balloon made of paper or other lightweight material that is launched into the atmosphere and has a flame inside the balloon.

(5) Launch an unmanned aircraft from state managed lands in conflict with 5.1(6).

(6) Operate an unmanned aircraft in conflict with the unmanned aircraft system act (PA 436 of 2016), and as follows:

(a) In a manner that knowingly and intentionally interferes with department employees and their designees performing official duties.

(b) In a manner that interferes with department staff when conducting search and rescues.

(c) Within 100 yards of a cultural or historical site or structure.

(d) Upon or over the viewing platform at Tahquamenon falls.

(e) Upon or over the platform at Palms Book SP.

(f) Over an occupied beach area.

- (g) Over an equestrian facility.
- (h) Over a campground.
- (i) Over a restroom or open-air changing court.
- (j) Over an area subject to an aerial right-of-way.
- (k) For a commercial purpose without first obtaining written permission from an authorized representative of the department, pursuant to administrative rule 299.922(dd).

(7) Use a state managed beach area, or knowingly allow, for the purpose of entry into the water, when entry is prohibited by signage and/or communication by a department employee due to a human health and safety risk, including, but not limited to, contamination, unsafe debris washing ashore, rescue/recovery efforts, severe weather event identified from the National Weather Service, or identified wave height in excess of 8 feet. This prohibition does not apply to board sport recreational individuals accessing the water for the purpose of surfing utilizing a self-propelled wave riding board, including longboard and shortboard; kiteboarding; body/"boogie" boarding with swim fins; and, skimboarding and the following applies:

- (a) Entry into the water to conduct any of the above identified activities shall be at their own risk.
- (b) Users will follow commonly accepted safety rules and procedures which includes the following: controlling boards at all times, always using a safety leash, and wearing appropriate cold weather gear as conditions dictate.

(8) Use a fuel powered generator in a department campground during the hours of 10 p.m. and 8 a.m.
History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 10, 1995, Post Oct. 23, 1995; Am. 16, 2007, Post Oct. 12, 2007; Am. 6, 2013, Post Feb. 11, 2013; Am. 8, 2014; Post Aug 19, 2014; Am. 7, 2018, Post Dec. 20, 2018; Am. 2, 2019, Post May 21, 2019; Am. 5, 2021, Post May 1, 2022; Am. 4, 2022, Post June 10, 2022; Am. 3, 2023, Post July 14, 2023; Am. 7, 2023, Post Dec. 15, 2023; Am. 4, 2024, Post Aug. 9, 2024.

5.2 Possessions or consumption of alcoholic beverages in certain state parks and recreation areas, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.2. A person shall not do any of the following:

(1) Possess or consume an alcoholic beverage within the following described locations from April 1 through Labor Day, without written authorization of the park manager:

- (a) Fort custer RA - entire park.
- (b) Holly RA - day-use areas south of McGinnis road.
- (c) Island lake RA - day-use areas of the park, excluding rented shelters.
- (d) Seven lakes SP – day-use areas of the park.
- (e) Pinckney RA - Silver lake and Halfmoon lake units rented shelters.
- (f) Sterling SP - day-use areas of the park.
- (g) Metamora-Hadley RA - day-use areas of the park.
- (h) Proud lake RA –all state-owned lands in section 18, T2N, R8E, Oakland county.
- (i) P. J. Hoffmaster SP - campground.
- (j) Van Buren SP - day-use and beach area

(k) Muskegon SP – day-use area.

(l) Yankee springs RA - Gun lake day-use area.

(2) Possess or consume an alcoholic beverage within the following described locations from March 1 through September 30, without written authorization of the park manager:

(a) Grand mere SP - entire park.

(3) Possess or consume an alcoholic beverage within the following described locations from April 1 through September 30, without written authorization of the park manager:

(a) Warren dunes SP - entire park.

(b) Brighton RA - bishop lake day-use area.

(4) Possess or consume an alcoholic beverage at any time within the following described locations, without written authorization of the park manager:

(a) Maybury SP – entire park.

(b) Dodge #4 SP - entire park.

(c) Grand haven SP - entire park.

(d) Holland SP - entire park.

(e) Pontiac lake RA - All state-owned lands in section 18, T3N R9E, and sections 12 and 13, T3N R8E, without written authorization of the park manager.

(f) Yankee springs RA – Deep lake campground, mountain bike parking lot, and boating access site 8-18, T3N, R10W, section 26, Barry county.

(g) William G. Milliken SP and harbor – state managed lands, without written authorization of the park manager.

(h) Belle isle SP.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 14, 1994, Post Sept. 1, 1994; Am. 3, 1995, Post Apr. 1, 1995.; Am. 5, 1996, Post Apr. 1, 1996; Am. 15, 1996, Post Aug. 2, 1996; Am. 9, 1997, Post May 9, 1997; Am. 2, 1999, Post Apr. 1, 1999; Am. 1, 2000, Post Apr. 1, 2000; Am. 13, 2007, Post July 2, 2007; Am. 19, 2009, Post Oct. 22, 2009; Am. 10, 2012, Post Aug. 2, 2012; Am. 5, 2014, Post Feb. 19, 2014; Am. 2, 2021; Post Mar. 12, 2021; Am. 4, 2023, Post July 14, 2023.

5.3 Repealed. Am. 8, 2002, Apr. 13, 2002

Publisher's Note: The repealed order pertained to use of bicycles at state parks and recreation areas.

5.4 Watercraft use in certain state parks, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.4 A person shall not do the following:

(1) Operate a vessel in excess of a slow, no-wake speed on any of the following described waters:

(a) Bald mountain RA - upper trout lake and lower trout lake.

(b) Brighton RA - Chilson pond.

(c) Fort Custer RA - Jackson lake; Lawler lake; Whitford lake; eagle lake.

- (d) Island lake RA - trout lake.
 - (e) Metamora-Hadley RA - lake Minnewanna.
 - (f) Ionia RA - sessions lake.
 - (g) Holly RA - wildwood lake and valley lake.
 - (h) Seven lakes SP - big seven lake; Dickinson lake; little seven lake; spring lake; mud lake; and sand lake.
 - (i) Grand Mere SP - middle lake and south lake.
 - (j) Sleepy hollow SP -Lake Ovid.
- (2) Operate a vessel powered by any motor, except an electric motor, on any of the following described waters:
- (a) Waterloo RA - mill lake.
- (3) Launch, retrieve, or assist in either of these activities of any vessel powered by any motor, except a vessel powered only by an electric motor.

(a) South Higgins lake SP – Marl lake

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 4, 1993, Post Sept. 1, 1993; Am. 6, 2006, Post Dec. 8, 2006.

5.5 Repealed. Am. 2, 1996, Eff. April 1, 1996.

Publisher's Note: The repealed order pertained to visitors in certain campgrounds, prohibited conduct.

5.6 Repealed. Am. 3, 1994, Eff. April 1, 1994.

Publishers Note: The repealed order defined a hunting, fishing, or fur harvester's license as proper written permission for entry into day use area.

5.7 Certain environmentally sensitive and piping plover nesting areas, prohibited conduct, exceptions.

Order 5.7 (1) A person shall not do any of the following:

- (a) Enter, use, or occupy without proper written permission that portion of Fayette SP located in section 24, T38N R20W, Delta county.
- (b) Enter, use, or occupy any of the following described state-owned lands, as posted, from April 15 through August 31 except with proper written permission:
 - (i) Cheboygan SP - state-owned lands in sections 22-23, and 27, T38N R1W, Cheboygan county.
 - (ii) Fisherman's island SP - state-owned lands in sections 29, and 31-32, T34N R8W; section 6, T33N R8W; and sections 1, 14, 22-23, and 27, T33N R9W, Charlevoix county.
 - (iii) Hoffmaster SP – state-owned lands in sections 25 and 36, T9N R17W, Muskegon county; section 1, T8N R17W, Ottawa county.
 - (iv) Leelanau SP - state-owned lands in section 6, T32N R10W, and sections 12-14, T32N R11W, Leelanau county.
 - (v) Ludington SP - state-owned lands in sections 5-7, 18-19, 29-30, and 32, T19N R18W, Mason county.

- (vi) Muskallonge lake SP - state-owned lands in sections 1-2, T49N R11W, Luce county.
- (vii) Muskegon SP - state-owned lands in sections 17, 20-21, and 28-29, T10N R17W, Muskegon county.
- (viii) Negwegon SP - state-owned lands in sections 2, and 11-12, T28N R9E, Alcona county.
- (ix) P.H. Hoeft SP - state-owned lands in section 31, T36N R5E, Presque isle county.
- (x) Tawas point SP - state-owned lands in section 34, T22N R8E, and section 3, T21N R8E, Iosco county.
- (xi) Thompson's harbor SP - state-owned lands in sections 6-12, and 15, T34N R7E, Presque isle county.
- (xii) Wilderness SP – state-owned lands in section 30, T39N R4W; sections 19-21, 23-27, 29-30, and 32, T39N R5W; sections 15-17, 19-24, and 32, T39N R6W; and sections 5, 7-8, and 18, T38N R5W; and section 13, T38N R6W, Emmet county.
- (xiii) South fox island – state-owned lands in sections 16 and 21, T34N R13W, Leelanau county.
- (xiv) Silver lake SP – state-owned lands in sections 13, 24, 25, 26, 35, and 36, T15N, R19W, and sections 18, 19, and 30, T15N, R18W, Oceana county.
- (c) Possess a dog or allow a dog to enter into or upon state-owned lands, as posted, from April 15 through August 31 at Waugoshance point, Sturgeon bay, Leelanau SP, or Fisherman's island SP, being all or portions of sections 23, 24, and the Temperance islands, T39N R6W; sections 19-21, 29-30, and 32, T39N R5W; section 13, T38N R6W; sections 5, 7-8, and 18, T38N R5W; and sections 33 and 34, T38N R6W; Emmet county; section 1, T33N R9W, Charlevoix county; and sections 7 and 13, T32N R11W, Leelanau county.
- (d) Possess a dog or allow a dog to enter into or upon state-owned lands, as posted, at any time in the nature trail or beach areas of Tawas point SP, T22N R8E, Iosco county.

(2) This order is provided to protect environmentally sensitive areas and piping plover nesting areas from disturbance and destruction.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 8, 1994, Post May 26, 1994; Am. 2, 1997, Post May 9, 1997; Am. 5, 2000, Post Apr. 1, 2000; Am. 4, 2001, Post Mar. 8, 2001; Am. 9, 2002, Post Apr. 15, 2002; Am. 2, 2004, Post Mar. 6, 2004; Am. 4, 2010, Post June 4, 2010.

5.8 Hang gliders in Warren dunes state park, conditions for use, permit, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.8 A person shall not possess or fly a hang glider in Warren dunes SP except under the following conditions:

(1) A person desiring to hang glide must possess a valid United States hang gliding association (USHGA) proficiency rating card and a Warren dunes SP hang glider permit, except for students under the instruction and direct supervision of a USHGA certified instructor. The established fee for the permit shall be paid.

(2) USHGA certified instructors may utilize the area for student instructions only after they have obtained a Warren dunes SP instructor permit and paid the established fee. Instruction shall be in the designated instruction zone only.

(3) Persons hang gliding shall have in possession and produce upon demand of the park staff, personal identification, USHGA rating card, and a valid department permit.

(4) Hang gliding will be permitted only in designated zones and hang-gliding proficiency will determine allowable zone. It is unlawful to launch from a zone with a higher rating than the pilot has attained.

(5) All pilots shall wear safety helmets while flying.

(6) All accidents resulting in injury or property damages shall be reported to park staff.

(7) No motorized hang gliding will be permitted in the park.

(8) No competitive or spectator events will be allowed without prior written permission.

(9) The park manager may close the park to hang gliding for the day, or portions thereof, if in the opinion of the park manager weather conditions, conflicting public use, or other circumstances develop which may cause a serious hazard to people or property.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993

5.9 Silver lake state park ORV area, conditions for use, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.9 State lands of Silver lake SP posted as the ORV area:

(1) A person shall not do any of the following:

(a) Possess or consume an alcoholic beverage at any time in the ORV area, ORV welcome center area, pedestrian area, or any area extending one-quarter of a mile from the boundary of the ORV area.

(b) Leave a vehicle, trailer, or other equipment or contrivance unattended in the ORV welcome center area at any time without first obtaining written permission from the department.

(c) Operate a remote-controlled device within the ORV area.

(d) Utilize any color of flashing lights on or attached to a vehicle, except for manufactured installed hazard lights.

(e) Utilize a rental vehicle in the ORV area, except for those permitted for use pursuant to Administrative Rule 299.922(dd). This prohibition does not apply to owned, financed or leased personal vehicles.

(2) A person may do the following, at their own risk, from a half hour before sunrise and until a half hour after sunset:

(a) From November 1st until November 30th each year access the ORV area for the use of equestrian riding after securing the required permit from the Department. Normal use of the pedestrian parking lot by motorized vehicles and trailers for parking shall be allowed.

(b) From December 15th until March 15th each year access the ORV area for the use of fat tire bikes. Normal use of the pedestrian parking lot by motorized vehicles for parking shall be allowed.

(i) The uses identified above do not allow for any of the following:

(a) Disturbance of the land beyond normal use of equestrians or tire tread by peddling.

(b) Disturbance of any vegetation.

(c) Access through or beyond the roped or signed protected areas.

(d) Use of a motorized vehicle in the ORV area, except for use by the department or vehicles used by volunteers authorized by the department.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 6, 1994, Post May 15, 1994; Am. 4, 1995, Post Apr. 1, 1995; Am. 4, 2000, Post Apr. 1, 2000; Am. 2, Post Apr. 13, 2002; Am. 5, 2005, Post Mar. 11, 2005; Am. 2, 2013, Post Feb. 11, 2013; Am. 7, 2018, Post Dec. 20, 2018; Am. 7, 2022, Post Oct. 14, 2022.

5.10 Shooting ranges at state parks and recreation areas, designation by director; prohibited conduct at certain ranges.

Order 5.10 (1) The following are designated shooting ranges:

- (a) Algonac SP shooting range, St. Clair county.
- (b) Bald mountain RA shooting range, Oakland county.
- (c) Ortonville RA shooting range, Lapeer county.
- (d) Pontiac lake RA shooting range, Oakland county.
- (e) Island lake RA shooting range, Oakland county.

(2) A designated shooting range is established at the gravel pit on Bush road near the mill lake outdoor center in the Waterloo RA, Lyndon township, Washtenaw county. In addition to other provisions regulating the use of shooting ranges on state owned lands, a person shall not do the following on the shooting range designated in this subsection:

(a) Possess, subject to section 504, subsection (3), of Part 5, as amended, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, MCL 324.504, or discharge any firearm except for a muzzleloading, black powder rifle or shotgun, .22 caliber rimfire rifle, or a shotgun with only skeet or trap loads.

(b) Use the designated shooting range except for certified hunter-safety instructors while teaching classes and school age youth using the mill lake outdoor center while under the immediate supervision of a certified hunter-safety instructor.

(3) A designated shooting range is established in the SW 1/4 of section 36, T25N, R4W, Crawford county, at the Ralph A MacMullan conference center. In addition to other provisions regulating the use of shooting ranges on state owned lands, a person shall not discharge a firearm at the shooting range designated in this subsection unless each of the following conditions are met:

- (a) A range use permit has been issued by the manager of the Ralph A. MacMullan conference center.
- (b) The person is a law enforcement officer, a student with a certified law enforcement officer training institution, or a member of a conference center group having firearms instruction as part of their agenda.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 7, 1995, Post Sept. 1, 1995; Am. 3, 1999, Post Apr. 1, 1999; Am. 8, 2000, Post. Sept. 1, 2000; Am. 2, 2005, Post Mar. 11, 2005.

5.11 Grand Mere state park, possession and discharge of certain firearms prohibited.

Order 5.11 A person shall not discharge a rifle or handgun within the boundary of Grand Mere SP.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 12, 1994, Post Sept. 1, 1994; Am. 21, 1994, Eff. Oct. 1, 1994; Am. 10, 1999, Post Sept. 10, 1999; Am. 2, 2005, Post Mar. 11, 2005.

5.12 Certain state parks and recreation areas, requirements for use, certain conduct prohibited.

Order 5.12 The following conduct shall apply to use of Michigan SPs and RAs:

(1) Fayette SP, certain conduct prohibited. A person shall not do the following at Fayette SP located in Delta county:

(a) Dive, swim, water ski, skin or scuba dive, or attempt to dive, swim, water ski, skin or scuba dive from any vessel operating within or moored to the docks or piling or anchored to the bottomlands of snail shell harbor, Fayette SP, Delta county, without written permission of an authorized representative of the

department.

(b) Enter or occupy the face of the limestone cliffs in section 33, T39N R19W, and section 4, T38N R19W.

(2) Palms book SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following at Palms book SP:

(a) Swim, bathe, skin or scuba dive, fish, boat, enter, place or launch any object in the big spring, Kitchitiki, Palms book SP.

(b) Use the department owned raft on the big spring for anything other than viewing.

(3) Island lake RA, conduct prohibited. A person shall not do the following at the Island lake RA:

(a) Operate a vessel powered by a motor on the waters of Spring mill pond.

(4) Sterling SP, conduct prohibited. A person shall not do the following at Sterling SP:

(a) Launch or attempt to launch a vessel equipped with an inboard or outboard motor, except an electric motor, into the waters of the south lagoon from any state-owned lands lying south of the centerline of the park entrance road.

(5) Pontiac lake RA, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following at the Pontiac lake RA:

(a) Possess or fly a hang glider on any state-owned lands within the Pontiac lake RA.

(b) Enter into a pen area or buffer zone around a pen area established by the department from June 10 to July 15 for the temporary holding of geese. This prohibition shall not apply to a person issued a written permit by the district wildlife supervisor allowing entry into the area.

(6) Ludington SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at Ludington SP:

(a) Park a vehicle of any type between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 a.m. in the parking areas adjacent to highway M-116 from the south limit of the park to the bridge over big Sable river.

(b) Park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport a vessel in the Hamlin Lake boat launch parking lot.

(7) South Higgins lake SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at South Higgins lake SP:

(a) Park or leave a motor vehicle in the day use area of South Higgins lake SP between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. without written permission from a representative of the department.

(b) Leave a trailer unattached to a vehicle in the boat launch parking lot.

(c) Park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport a vessel, in the boat launch parking lot.

(d) A person shall not leave a vessel unattended, moored to access piers, in boat basin, beached along shoreline, or anchored to riparian bottomlands between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m., without prior written approval from an authorized representative of the department.

(8) Pinckney RA, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at the Pinckney RA:

(a) Use any state-owned lands in the S 1/2 of the S 1/2 of section 23, T1S R3E, for the purpose of launching or attempting to launch onto the waters of Island lake, any vessel equipped with an inboard or outboard motor.

(b) Consume or possess any alcoholic beverage within 1/4 mile surrounding and including the parking lot at Pickerel lake, section 8, T1S R4E, as posted.

(c) Launch or attempt to launch a vessel equipped with an inboard or outboard motor, except an electric motor, onto the waters of Pickerel lake, section 8, T1S R4E.

(9) Silver lake SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following within Silver lake SP without first obtaining proper written permission from the department:

(a) Store, leave, park or otherwise place any boat, fish shanty, vehicle, bicycle, equipment, tool, device or other property which is at any time during its presence in the park made available for rent, lease, or sale.

(b) Use or occupy any land or water within the park to solicit, conduct, operate, engage in, or maintain a business of any nature or use such areas as a base of commercial operations. For purposes of this order, "base of operations" means a use of lands or waters which is a principal or significant aspect of any commercial activity.

(10) Porcupine mountains wilderness SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following in the Porcupine mountains wilderness SP without first obtaining proper written permission from the department:

(a) Feed a bear or lure any bear with food. This provision does not apply to the lawful baiting of bear as described in orders issued pursuant to part 401, wildlife conservation, of Public Act 451 of 1994.

(b) Operate a snowmobile off the designated snowmobile route.

(11) Waterloo RA, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at the Waterloo RA:

(a) Enter into a pen area or buffer zone around a pen area established by the department from June 10 to July 15 for the temporary holding of geese. This prohibition shall not apply to a person issued a written permit by the district wildlife supervisor allowing entry into the area.

(b) Operate a snowmobile on the DTE mountain bike trail without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(12) Fort custer RA, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at the Fort custer RA:

(a) Excavate, dig or probe the grounds, or remove ordnance without written permission.

(b) Operate a snowmobile off the designated snowmobile route.

(13) Grand haven SP campground, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at Grand haven SP:

(a) Place or allow a recreational camping unit under their control to be placed front-first upon a campsite in the Grand haven SP campground. The tongue of a trailer or front of a self-propelled camping unit shall face the roadway.

(b) A person, including a person's camping unit, shall not remain for more than 15 nights in any 20 night period from May 15 through September 15 without the written permission of the district supervisor.

(14) Holland SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not possess or use furniture designed or intended for indoor use within Holland SP from May 15 to July 15 unless the furniture is enclosed within a camping shelter. Furniture that is designed or intended for indoor use and is placed outside of a camping shelter may be removed at the discretion of the park manager.

(15) Sanilac petroglyphs historic SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following at the Sanilac petroglyphs historic SP:

(a) Enter into the fenced area containing the petroglyph rock when the entry gate is closed.

(b) Walk upon or otherwise come into contact with the petroglyph rock within the fenced area.

(16) Ionia RA, prohibited conduct. A person that has been issued a campsite permit shall not possess or allow to be possessed upon the campsite more than 4 animals other than horses by all members of the camping party combined.

(17) Seven lakes SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not operate a snowmobile, or other motorized snow contrivance without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(18) Port crescent SP, prohibited conduct. With the exception of accessing Saginaw bay via the campground, a person shall not operate a snowmobile, or other motorized snow contrivance without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(19) Holly RA, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any the following:

(a) Operate a snowmobile or other motorized snow contrivance outside an area bordered by McGinnis road to the north, Wildwood road to the east and Dixie highway to the south, without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(b) Enter, use, or occupy any of the following described state-owned lands, as posted, from June 1 through September 1 except with written permission from the department:

(i) The area commonly known as the Brandt road fen within the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of section 12, T05N, R08E, Oakland county.

(20) Algonac SP campground, prohibited conduct. A person shall not place or allow a recreational camping unit under their control to be positioned horizontal to the park's roadways in the riverfront campground. The tongue of a trailer or front or rear of a self-propelled camping unit shall face the park's roadway, and all camping units must be parked on pads where they exist.

(21) Bay city SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following at Bay city SP:

(a) Operate a snowmobile off the designated snowmobile route.

(b) Enter Tobico marsh wildlife refuge of Bay city SP, being those state-owned lands in section sections 24 of T15N R04E, and sections 19 and 30 of T15N R05E, bounded by a line beginning at the water's edge of the Tobico marsh wildlife refuge within section 24 where the Lesperance drain discharges into the Tobico marsh wildlife refuge which is located approximately 1150 feet east and 453 feet north of the center of section 24, T15N R04E, then continuing east parallel to the quarter-quarter section lines section of 24, T15N R04E, and 19, T15N R05E, to Killarney beach road and the eastern boundary of the posted state-owned land with the posted and designated state trail, then southeasterly along the west edge of the designated state trail located west of Killarney beach road to a point on the quarter-quarter section line and approximately 837 feet north of the intersection of little Killarney beach road with Killarney beach road, then west approximately 1766 feet parallel along said quarter-quarter section line approximately 1500 feet to a point on said quarter-quarter section line, then diagonally north-northwesterly approximately 5340 feet, to the point of beginning, excluding the posted and designated state trails, from

September 1 to January 1 of each year without written permission from the wildlife regional supervisor or their representative.

(c) Launch a motorized vessel from state-owned lands onto the waters of Bay City SP, except department employees, designees of department employees, or fire, emergency, or law enforcement personnel performing official duties.

(22) Rockport state RA, prohibited conduct. Operate a snowmobile in sections 13, 24, 25, 26, and the north 750 feet of sections 35 and 36, T33N, R08E, except along the 100-foot wide utility line corridor that parallels the Lake Huron shoreline; section 36, T33N, R08E and section 31, T33N, R09E east of the old railroad corridor that parallels the Lake Huron shoreline; the east half of the northeast quarter of section 12, the south half of section 12, and section 13, T32N, R08E; the south 600 feet of the southwest quarter of section 6, the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 8, the northwest quarter and the south half of section 7, T32N, R09E, except a designated corridor extending from Rockport road south through section 7; and all state land on Middle island, sections 3, 4, 9, and 10, T32N, R09E.

(23) Lime island state RA, prohibited conduct. Enter, use, occupy, moor, or dock onto, the southern half of the Lime island coal dock, as posted, lying within T43N, R03E, Section 26 and T42N, R03E, section 35 between May 1 and September 1, except that boats may be moored on the eastern side of the entire coal dock for safety during high seas and storm events.

(24) Belle isle SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do any of the following at Belle isle SP.

(a) Enter and remain or park a vehicle of any type on the premises of the Belle isle SP, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m., without permission of the department.

(b) Erect a canopy larger than 9 feet by 9 feet and have more than 2 canopies per group unless with written permission of the department.

(c) Erect a canopy that is not open on two sides of the structure.

(d) Erect a canopy unless someone of 21 years of age or older is supervising.

(e) Skate, bicycle or use any similar contrivances on buildings or structures not otherwise developed for this purpose.

(f) Feed geese, gulls, and other bird species.

(g) Possess a grill of any type in and around playscapes, giant slides or next to buildings.

(h) Operate a snowmobile, or other motorized snow contrivance without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(25) Watkins lake SP and county preserve, prohibited conduct. Annually from September 1 through January 1 and from February 15 through May 15, a person shall not enter or take any animals from Watkins lake and the state-owned lands surrounding, unless authorized in writing by the department, specifically being the SE 1/4, the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4, and the S 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 13, T04S R02E, within Watkins lake SP and county preserve; except Arnold road and the associated upland roadside edge shall remain open to entry.

(26) Mike levine lakelands trail SP, prohibited conduct. a person shall not do any of the following at Mike levine lakelands trail SP:

(a) Operate a snowmobile, or other motorized snow contrivance without written permission from an authorized representative of the department.

(27) North Higgins lake SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not do the following at North Higgins lake SP:

(a) Park or leave a motor vehicle in the day use area of North Higgins lake SP between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m., without written permission from a representative of the department.

(b) Leave a trailer unattached to a vehicle in the boat launch parking lot.

(c) Park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport a vessel in the boat launch parking lot.

(d) A person shall not leave a vessel unattended, moored to access piers, beached along the shoreline, or anchored to riparian bottomlands between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m., without prior written approval from an authorized representative of the department.

(28) Ralph A. MacMullan conference center, prohibited conduct. A person shall not access the beach area of the property unless they are a registered guest or with permission from the conference center manager.

(29) Duck lake SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport vessel, in the boat launch parking lot.

(30) Muskegon SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport vessel, in the boat launch parking lot.

(31) Otsego lake SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not park a motorized vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport vessel, in the boat launch parking lot.

(32) Hayes SP, prohibited conduct. A person shall not park a vehicle without a trailer being used to transport a vessel attached, or a vehicle not being used to transport a vessel, in the Wamplers lake boat launch parking lot.

History: Iss. Sept. 17, 1993; Am. 1, 1994, Post Apr. 1, 1994; Am. 6, 1994, Post May 15, 1994; Am. 15, 1994, Post Sept. 1, 1994; Am. 13, 1996, Post May 1, 1996; Am. 10, 1997, Post May 9, 1997; Am. 4, 1999, Post Apr. 1, 1999; Am. 2, 2000, Post Apr. 1, 2000; Am. 9, 2000, Post Sept. 1, 2000; Am. 5, 2001, Post Mar. 8, 2001; Am. 2, 2003, Post Apr. 12, 2003; Am. 3, 2003, Post May 10, 2003; Am. 3, 2005, Post Apr. 8, 2005; Am. 7, 2005, Post Aug. 12, 2005; Am. 9, 2007, Post June 8, 2007; Am. 10, 2007, Post July 13, 2007; Am. 15, 2007, Post Sept. 14, 2007; Am. 14, 2008, Post Dec. 5, 2008; Am. 4, 2009, Post July 10, 2009; Am. 4, 2009, Post July 10, 2009; Am. 4, 2012, Post Jul 13, 2012; Am. 3, 4, and 5, 2013, Post Feb. 11, 2013; Am. 5, 2014, Post Feb. 19, 2014; Am. 10, 2014, Post June 11, 2014; Am. 7, 2015, Post Dec. 14, 2015.; Am. 2, 2017, Post Jan. 17, 2017; Am. 3, 2017, Post Dec. 26, 2017; Am. 9, 2018, Post Dec. 28, 2018; Am. 2, 2019, Post May 21, 2019; Am. 3, 2022, Post June 10, 2022; Am. 5, 2023, Post Dec. 15, 2023.

5.13 Repealed. Am. 17, 1996, Eff. Sept. 1, 1996

Publishers Note: The repealed order prohibited entry to portions of white pine trail state park; Osceola, Mecosta, Montcalm, and Kent Counties.

5.14 Repealed. Am. 10, 1997, Eff. April 1, 1997.

Publishers Note: The repealed order prohibited entry upon the Van Buren SP rail trail in Van Buren county.

5.15 Certain state-owned lands, Leelanau county, possession and discharge of firearms prohibited.

Order 5.15 A person shall not do the following upon the described state-owned lands, Leelanau County:

(1) Discharge a firearm of any type on that portion of South Fox Island being south of a line beginning at the west shore of the island and running east along the east-west quarter line of section 16, T34N R13W, and continuing east along the east-west quarter line of section 15, T34N R13W to the point at which the line intersects the shoreline on the east side of the island.

History: Iss. Sept. 21, 2001; Am. 19, 2001, Post Sept. 21, 2001; Am. 2, 2005, Post Mar. 11, 2005; Am. 7, 2013, Post Feb. 11, 2013.

5.16 Repealed. Am. 1, 2014, Eff. February 19, 2014.

Publisher's Note: The repealed order, motor vehicle permits, was replaced with the Recreation Passport under MCL324.74120.

5.16a Entry, use and occupancy of certain state parks, recreation areas and scenic sites, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.16a (1) A person shall not do any of the following:

(a) Enter any of the following state-owned lands with a motor vehicle unless a valid Michigan recreation passport has been purchased and affixed to the vehicle:

- (1) Agate falls scenic site, Ontonagon county.
- (2) Algonac SP, St. Clair county.
- (3) Aloha SP, Cheboygan county.
- (4) Bald mountain RA, Oakland county.
- (5) Baraga SP, except off-road recreation vehicles regulated under Part 811 of 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81101 to 324.81150, Baraga county.
- (6) Bass river RA, recreation area lands located in sections 1 and 12, T7N, R15W, in Robinson township; and in sections 7 and 8, T7N, R14W in Allendale township north and west of bass river and SW of grand river, Ottawa county.
- (7) Bay city SP, Bay county.
- (8) Belle isle SP, Wayne county.
- (9) Bewabic SP, Iron county.
- (10) Bond falls scenic site, Ontonagon county.
- (11) Brighton RA, Livingston county.
- (12) Brimley SP, Chippewa county.
- (13) Burt lake SP, Cheboygan county.
- (14) Cambridge Junction Historic State Park, Lenawee county.
- (15) Cheboygan SP, Cheboygan county.
- (16) Clear lake SP, except off-road recreation vehicles regulated under Part 811 of 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81101 to 324.81150, Montmorency county.
- (17) Coldwater lake SP, Branch county.
- (18) Craig lake SP, all state park designated lands located in sections 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 28, 27, 26, 25, 21, 22, 23 and 24, T49N, R31W, Baraga county.
- (19) Dodge #4 SP, Oakland county.
- (20) Duck lake SP, Muskegon county.
- (21) Fayette SP, Delta county.

- (22) Fort Custer RA, Kalamazoo county.
- (23) Fort Wilkins SP, Keweenaw county.
- (24) Fisherman's island SP, Charlevoix county.
- (25) Grand haven SP, Ottawa county.
- (26) Grand Mere SP, Berrien county.
- (27) Harrisville SP, Alcona county.
- (28) Hartwick pines SP, Crawford county.
- (29) Hayes SP, Jackson, Lenawee, and Washtenaw counties.
- (30) Highland RA, Oakland county.
- (31) Hoeft SP, Presque isle county
- (32) Hoffmaster SP, Ottawa and Muskegon counties.
- (33) Holland SP, Ottawa county.

(34) Holly RA, all recreation area land in sections 20, 21, 27, 28, 29, 32, and 33 T5N, R8E north and east of highway M-54 (Dixie highway), west of Wildwood road and south of grange hall road. Recreation area land in sections 13, 14, 23, 24, 25 (remote control aircraft flying field only) and 26 (north of grange hall road only), T5N, R7E west of I-75, Oakland county.

- (35) Indian lake SP, Schoolcraft county.
- (36) Interlochen SP, Grand Traverse county.
- (37) Ionia RA, Ionia county.
- (38) Island lake RA, Oakland and Livingston counties.
- (39) Keith J. Charters Traverse City SP, Grand Traverse county.
- (40) Lake Gogebic SP, Gogebic county.
- (41) Lake Hudson RA, Lenawee county.
- (42) Lakeport SP, St. Clair county.
- (43) Laughing whitefish falls scenic site, Alger county.
- (44) Leelanau SP, Leelanau county.
- (45) Lime island RA, Chippewa county.
- (46) Ludington SP, Mason county.
- (47) Maybury SP, Wayne county.

- (48) McLain SP, Houghton county.
- (49) Mears SP, Oceana county.
- (50) Menominee river RA, Menominee county.
- (51) Metamora-Hadley RA, Lapeer county.
- (52) Mitchell SP, Wexford county.
- (53) Muskallonge lake SP, except off-road recreation vehicles regulated under part 811 of 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81101 to 324.81150, Luce county.
- (54) Muskegon SP, Muskegon county.
- (55) Newaygo SP, Newaygo county.
- (56) Negwegon SP, Alcona and Alpena counties.
- (57) North Higgins lake SP, Crawford county.
- (58) Onaway SP, Presque isle county.
- (59) Orchard beach SP, Manistee county.
- (60) Ortonville RA, Oakland and Lapeer counties.
- (61) Otsego lake SP, Otsego county.
- (62) Palms book SP, Schoolcraft county
- (63) Petoskey SP, Emmet county.
- (64) Pinckney RA, Washtenaw and Livingston counties.
- (65) Pontiac lake RA, Oakland county.
- (66) Porcupine mountains wilderness SP, Ontonagon and Gogebic counties.
- (67) Port crescent SP, Huron county.
- (68) Proud lake RA, Oakland county.
- (69) Rifle river RA, Ogemaw county.
- (70) Rockport RA, Presque isle and Alpena counties.
- (71) Saugatuck SP, Allegan county.
- (72) Seven lakes SP, Oakland county.
- (73) Silver lake SP, Oceana county.
- (74) Sleeper SP, Huron county.
- (75) Sleepy Hollow SP, Clinton county.

- (76) South Higgins lake SP, Roscommon county.
- (77) Sterling SP, Monroe county.
- (78) Straits SP, Mackinac county.
- (79) Tahquamenon falls SP, Luce and Chippewa counties.
- (80) Tawas point SP, Iosco county.
- (81) Thompson's harbor SP, Presque Isle county.
- (82) Tippy dam RA, Manistee county.
- (83) Twin lakes SP, except vehicles regulated under part 811 of 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81101 to 324.81150, Houghton county.
- (84) Van Buren SP, Van Buren county.
- (85) Van Riper SP, Marquette county.
- (86) Wagner falls scenic site, Alger county.
- (87) Warren dunes SP, Berrien county.
- (88) Warren woods SP, Berrien county.
- (89) Waterloo RA, lands in Jackson and Washtenaw counties, with the exception of section 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, T1S, R2E, Jackson county.
- (90) Watkins lake SP and County Preserve, Jackson county.
- (91) Wells SP, Menominee county.
- (92) Wetzel RA, Macomb county.
- (93) Wilderness SP, Emmet county.
- (94) Wilson SP, Clare county.
- (95) Yankee springs RA, Barry county.
- (96) Young SP, Charlevoix county.
- History: Am. 1, 2010, Post April 1, 2010; Am. 6, 2011, Post Jun. 23, 2011; Am. 5, 2011, Post Jul. 8, 2011; Am. 5, 2012, Post Jul 13, 2012; Am. 3, 2014, Post Jan. 16, 2014; Am. 2, 2014, Post Feb. 19, 2014; Am. 8, 2016, Post Aug. 15, 2016; Am. 3, 2017, Post Dec. 26, 2017.

5.17 Repealed; Am. 7, 2018; Eff. December 13, 2018.

Publisher's note: The repealed section pertained to "Off road vehicles in state parks; conditions for use, permit, prohibited conduct."

5.18 Designation, management and administration of rail trail corridors

Order 5.18 Designation, management and administration of rail trail corridors identified below including the associated trailheads and parking areas shall be undertaken consistent with MCL 324.74101(h). This designation, management and administration shall require that a motor vehicle accessing the related trailheads and developed parking areas, where such access is allowed, possess a valid Michigan recreation passport for entry.

On the lands of these rail trail corridors that are adjacent to the state forest land and outside 10 – 30 foot wide actively utilized and managed for recreation rail trail corridor the historic management practice of co-management will continue.

These rail trail corridors and related trailheads and developed parking areas consist of the following:

Upper Peninsula

- (1) Haywire State Trail
- (2) Felch Grade Trail (Narenta to Felch Branch)
- (3) Escanaba to Antoine Branch
- (4) Bill Nicholls Trail
- (5) Keweenaw Trail
- (6) Freda Trail
- (7) Crystal Falls to Stager Trail
- (8) Mastodon Branch Line
- (9) Soo/Strong's Trail
- (10) Republic/Champion Grade Trail
- (11) State Line Trail
- (12) Peshekee to Clowry ORV Trail
- (13) Hancock-Calumet Trail
- (14) Loretto-Felch-Lake Antoine Snowmobile Trail
- (15) Bergland to Sidnaw Rail Trail
- (16) Little Lake-Chatham Snowmobile Trail
- (17) St. Ignace to Trout Lake Trail
- (18) Marquette to Munising Junction Trail
- (19) Iron Ore Heritage Trail
 - a. Marquette West Connector
 - b. Ishpeming to Humboldt Trail
 - c. Marquette to Munising Junction Trail (west end only)
- (20) Chassell to Houghton Trail
- (21) Hancock to Ripley Connector
- (22) Baraga to Chassell
- (23) Escanaba to Hermansville

- (24) Iron Mountain Connector
- (25) Ironwood to Bessemer
- (26) Gogebic County Iron Belle Trail
- (27) Ontonagon to Rockland Railroad Corridor

Lower Peninsula

- (28) North Western State Trail
 - a. Mackinaw to Petoskey Trail
 - b. Bay View – Oden Trail
 - c. Mackinaw to Alanson Rail Trail
- (29) North Central State Trail
 - a. Gaylord to Cheboygan Trail
 - b. Mackinaw to Hawks Trail (Mackinaw to Cheboygan portion)
- (30) North Eastern State Trail
 - a. Alpena to Mackinaw Trail (Alpena to Hawks portion)
 - b. Mackinaw to Hawks Trail (Cheboygan to Hawks portion)
- (31) Fred Meijer Berry Junction Trail
 - a. Montague to Berry Junction Trail
- (32) Fred Meijer White Pine Trail State Park
 - a. Comstock Park to Cadillac Rail-Trail
- (33) Fred Meijer Flat River Valley Trail
- (34) Fred Meijer Grand River Valley Trail
 - a. Ionia to Lowell Railroad Corridor
- (35) Fred Meijer Clinton-Ionia-Shiawassee (CIS) State Trail
 - a. Ionia to Owosso Rail Corridor
- (36) Musketawa State Trail
 - a. Ottawa-Muskegon Rail Trail
 - b. Laketon Avenue Connector
- (37) Hillman-Alpena State Trail
 - a. Hillman-Herron Road
 - b. Quarry Mile
 - c. Paxton Spur
- (38) Rogers City Spur Trail
 - a. Rogers City Trail
- (39) Betsie Valley State Trail
 - a. Betsie Valley Trail
 - b. Thompsonville-Viaduct Road Trail
 - c. Viaduct Road to Yuma Railroad Corridor
- (40) Falling Waters Trail
- (41) Polly Ann State Trail

- (42) Pere Marquette State Trail
 - a. Clare to Baldwin Rail Trail
- (43) William Field Memorial Hart-Montague Trail State Park
 - a. Hart-Montague Bicycle Trail State Park
- (44) Kal-Haven Trail Sesquicentennial State Park
- (45) Huron Valley Trail
 - a. LakeLands Trail State Park – East Unit
- (46) Mike Levine Lakelands Trail State Park
 - a. LakeLands Trail State Park
 - b. Jackson-Lakeland Trail
- (47) Frank N. Andersen Nature Trail
- (48) Nayanquing Point State Trail
- (49) Van Buren State Park Rail Trail
- (50) Interlochen to Kaleva Trail
- (51) Coopersville to Marne Railroad Corridor
- (52) Grand River Edges
- (53) The Harger Line Rail Trail
History: Issued. Nov. 8, 2018; Am. 8, 2018; Am. 7, 2023, Post Dec. 15, 2023.

5.19 Designation, management and administration of state forest campgrounds and other lands.

Order 5.19 (1) The following lands and all associated facilities, consisting of but not limited to boating access sites and day use areas, are dedicated as “state parks” under MCL 324.74101(h), and require that:

(a) The state forest campgrounds identified below, including a 50-foot perimeter around the most outer edge of the state forest campground campsites are dedicated as “state parks” and will be managed utilizing the practice of co-management between the parks and recreation, wildlife and forest resources divisions.

(b) Any area of a forest road is not to be affected, except for those portions of any forest road contained within the 50-foot perimeter.

(c) All unrestricted hunting and fishing activities will continue to be allowed upon these lands during the applicable seasons.

(d) Any development or restrictions of these lands must be reviewed by the federal aid coordinator.

(e) Any development, operation, maintenance or restrictions of these lands cannot violate the state’s assent legislation being, MCL 324.40501.

(f) These state forest campgrounds will continue to be in-scope for the purposes of forest certification and will remain certified under both the sustainable forestry initiative (SFI) and forest stewardship council (FSC) standards.

(g) A camping permit is not valid, and use of a campsite shall not commence until both of the following occur:

- (i) the camp fee is paid; and
- (ii) the camp is established pursuant to administrative rule 299.921(a).

(2) These state forest campgrounds are as follows:

(a) In Alger county:

- (i) Forest lake state forest campground.
- (ii) Kingston lake state forest campground.

(b) In Alpena county:

- (i) Ossineke state forest campground.
- (ii) Thunder bay state forest campground.

(c) In Antrim county:

- (i) Graves crossing state forest campground.
- (ii) Pinney bridge state forest campground.

(d) In Baraga county:

- (i) Beaufort lake state forest campground.
- (ii) Big eric's bridge state forest campground.

(iii) Big lake state forest campground.

(iv) King lake state forest campground.

(e) In Benzie county:

- (i) Garey lake trail camp.
- (ii) Lake ann state forest campground.
- (iii) Platte river state forest campground.
- (iv) Veterans memorial state forest campground.

(f) In Cheboygan county:

- (i) Black lake state forest campground.
- (ii) Black lake trail camp.
- (iii) Haakwood state forest campground.

- (iv) Maple bay state forest campground.
- (v) Pine grove state forest campground.
- (vi) Stoney creek trail camp.
- (vii) Twin lakes state forest campground.
- (viii) Weber lake state forest campground.
- (g) In Chippewa county:
 - (i) Andrus lake state forest campground.
 - (ii) Detour state forest campground.
 - (iii) Munuscong river state forest campground.
- (h) In Clare county:
 - (i) Mud lake state forest campground.
- (i) In Crawford county:
 - (i) 4 mile trail camp.
 - (ii) Au Sable river state forest campground and canoe camp.
 - (iii) Burton's landing state forest campground.
 - (iv) Canoe harbor state forest campground and canoe camp.
 - (v) Goose creek state forest campground.
 - (vi) Goose creek trail camp.
 - (vii) Jones lake state forest campground.
 - (viii) Keystone landing state forest campground.
 - (ix) Lake margarethe state forest campground.
 - (x) Manistee river bridge state forest campground.
 - (xi) Rainbow bend state forest campground and canoe camp.
 - (xii) Shupac lake state forest campground.
 - (xiii) Upper Manistee river state forest campground and canoe camp.
 - (xiv) Walsh road equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.
 - (xv) White pine canoe camp.
- (j) In Delta county:

(i) Portage bay state forest campground.

(k) In Dickinson county:

(i) Carney lake state forest campground.

(ii) Gene's pond state forest campground.

(l) In Gladwin county:

(i) House lake state forest campground.

(ii) Trout lake state forest campground.

(m) In Grand Traverse county:

(i) Arbutus lake state forest campground.

(ii) Forks state forest campground.

(iii) Lake dubonnet state forest campground.

(iv) Lake dubonnet trail camp.

(v) Scheck's place state forest campground.

(vi) Scheck's place trail camp.

(vii) Spring lake state forest campground.

(n) In Houghton county:

(i) Emily lake state forest campground.

(o) In Iron county.

(i) Deer lake state forest campground.

(ii) Glidden lake state forest campground.

(iii) Lake ellen state forest campground.

(p) In Kalkaska county:

(i) C.C.C. bridge state forest campground.

(ii) Guernsey lake state forest campground.

(iii) Pickerel lake state forest campground.

(iv) Rapid river trail camp.

(q) In Lake county:

(i) Bray creek state forest campground.

- (ii) Carrieville state forest campground.
- (iii) Leverentz lake state forest campground.
- (iv) Lincoln bridge state forest campground.
- (v) Silver creek state forest campground.
- (r) In Luce county:
 - (i) Bass lake state forest campground.
 - (ii) Blind sucker no. 1 state forest campground.
 - (iii) Blind sucker no. 2 state forest campground.
 - (iv) Bodi lake state forest campground.
 - (v) Culhane lake state forest campground.
 - (vi) Headquarters lake equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.
 - (vii) High bridge state forest campground.
 - (viii) Holland lake state forest campground.
 - (ix) Lake superior state forest campground.
 - (x) Mouth of two hearted river state forest campground.
 - (xi) Natalie state forest campground.
 - (xii) Perch lake state forest campground.
 - (xiii) Pike lake state forest campground.
 - (xiv) Pretty lake state forest campground.
 - (xv) Reed & green bridge state forest campground.
- (s) In Mackinac county:
 - (i) Big knob state forest campground.
 - (ii) Black river state forest campground.
 - (iii) Garnet lake state forest campground.
 - (iv) Hog island point state forest campground.
 - (v) Little brevoort lake north equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.
 - (vi) Milakokia lake state forest campground.
 - (vii) South Manistique lake state forest campground.

(t) In Marquette county:

(i) Anderson lake state forest campground.

(ii) Bass lake state forest campground.

(iii) Little lake state forest campground.

(iv) Horseshoe lake state forest campground.

(v) Little presque isle cabins.

(vi) Ski-kwe zaag'igan state forest campground.

(u) In Menominee county:

(i) Cedar river north equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.

(v) In Midland county:

(i) Black creek state forest campground.

(w) Missaukee county:

(i) Goose lake state forest campground.

(ii) Hopkins creek equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.

(iii) Long lake state forest campground.

(iv) Reedsburg dam state forest campground.

(x) In Montmorency county:

(i) Avery lake state forest campground.

(ii) Big oaks equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.

(iii) Ess lake state forest campground.

(iv) Jackson lake state forest campground.

(v) Little wolf lake state forest campground.

(vi) Town corner state forest campground.

(y) In Ogemaw county:

(i) Ambrose lake state forest campground.

(z) In Osceola county.

(i) Sunrise lake state forest campground.

(aa) In Oscoda county:

- (i) Mio pond state forest campground and group camp.
- (ii) Muskrat lake state forest campground.
- (iii) Parmalee bridge state forest campground and canoe camp.

(bb) In Otsego county:

- (i) Big bear lake state forest campground.
- (ii) Big bear pointe state forest campground.
- (iii) Elk hill equestrian state forest campground and trail camp.
- (iv) Johnson's crossing trail camp.
- (v) Lake marjory state forest campground.
- (vi) Pickerel lake state forest campground.
- (vii) Pigeon bridge state forest campground.
- (viii) Pigeon river state forest campground.
- (ix) Round lake state forest campground.

(cc) In Presque Isle county:

- (i) Ocqueoc falls state forest campground.
- (ii) Shoepac lake state forest campground.
- (iii) Tomahawk creek flooding state forest campground.
- (iv) Tomahawk lake state forest campground.

(dd) In Roscommon county:

- (i) Houghton lake state forest campground.

(ee) In Schoolcraft county:

- (i) Canoe lake state forest campground.
- (ii) Cusino lake state forest campground.
- (iii) East branch of Fox river state forest campground.
- (iv) Fox river state forest campground.
- (v) Mead creek state forest campground.
- (vi) North gemini lake state forest campground.
- (vii) Ross lake state forest campground.

(viii) South gemini lake state forest campground.

(ff) In Wexford county:

(i) Baxter bridge state forest campground.

(ii) Long lake state forest campground.

(iii) Old U.S.-131 state forest campground.

(3) The Michigan Iron Industry Museum property described as T48N, R26W, Section 28, NESW, SESW, NWSE and NESE.

History: Iss. Jan. 9, 2020, Am. 1, 2020, Post Jan. 17, 2020; Am. 8, 2022, Post Nov. 11, 2022; Am. 3, 2023, Post July 14, 2023.

5.20 Prohibited conduct within state forest campgrounds:

Order 5.20 (1) A person shall not enter, use, or occupy a designated state forest campground or associated facility with a motor vehicle without a valid Michigan recreation passport for entry.

(2) A person shall not camp with a horse in a state forest campground unless it has been designated as an equestrian state forest campground or a trail camp.

(3) A person shall not camp with more than 6 horses per campsite at an equestrian state forest campground or trail camp.

History: Iss. Jan. 9, 2020, Am. 1, 2020, Post Jan. 17, 2020.

5.21 Certain state-owned lands, grand traverse county, camping, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.21 A person shall not camp upon, use or occupy spider lake state forest campground, section 10, T26N R10W, Grand traverse county, between the hours of 11 p.m. and 4 a.m.

History: Iss. Jan. 9, 2020, Am. 1, 2020, Post Jan. 17, 2020.

5.22 Certain state-owned lands, Roscommon county, camping, use or occupy lands, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.22 (1) A person shall not camp, use, or occupy the twin lakes state forest campground in section 5, T21N R1W, Roscommon county.

(2) A person shall not camp, except in Reedsburg dam state forest campground, upon the NW1/4 of the NW1/4 and the SW1/4 of the SW1/4 of section 30; section 19; and the NW1/4 of the NW1/4 of section 31, T23N R4W, Roscommon county.

History: Iss. Jan. 9, 2020, Am. 1, 2020, Post Jan. 17, 2020.

5.23 Repealed. Am. 5, 2020 Eff. May 28, 2020.

Publisher's Note: The repealed order pertained to Tippy dam recreation area, prohibited conduct.

History: Am. 3, 2020; Post Mar. 31, 2020; Am. 5, 2020; Eff. May 28, 2020.

5.24 Designated dark sky preserve, state park lands, allowable conduct.

Order 5.24 Notwithstanding the prohibition of access to day-use areas contained within administrative rule 299.927(a), access to the designated, signed, dark sky preserves identified in MCL 324.75102 for the purpose of star gazing shall be allowed 24 hours a day.

History: Iss. June 9, 2022; Am. 2, 2022, Post June 10, 2022.

5.25 Certain state-owned lands, use of lands, allowable conduct.

Order 5.25 Notwithstanding the prohibition of access to day-use areas contained within administrative rule 299.927(a), access to the following state-owned lands shall be allowed 24 hours a day for the purpose(s) identified:

(1) Muskallonge Lake State Park, Lake Superior Parking lot and day use area for the sole purpose of Yooperlite collecting consistent with Administrative Rule 299.922(hh).

(2) Muskegon State Park, Snug Harbor Parking Lot and Day Use area for the sole purpose of legal nighttime fishing.

History: Iss. July 13, 2023; Am. 3, 2023, Post July 14, 2023.

5.26 Metal detector use in state parks and recreation areas, prohibited conduct.

Order 5.26. A person shall not do any of the following in any state park (SP) or recreation area (RA):

(1) Use a metal detector outside of a designated area illustrated as open on the access map as published on the department website by April 15th of each calendar year, without written authorization of the unit supervisor or manager.

History: Iss. Dec. 14, 2023; Am. 6, 2023, Post Dec. 15, 2023.

5.27 State parks and recreation areas, allowable conduct.

Order 5.27. Except as provided below, a person shall not operate an electric bike in conflict with MCL 324.72105.

(1) A person may operate a class-1 electric bicycle on a trail open to bicycle use on any parks and recreation division administered lands, except for congressionally authorized trails, such as the North Country Trail.

(2) A person with a mobility disability affecting one or more lower extremities may operate a class-2 electric bicycle on a trail open to bicycle use, after verification of credible assurance and upon the issuance of an annual use permit.

(a) "Credible assurance" means assurance that the device is required because of a disability and may include a valid state-issued disability parking placard or card or a state-issued proof of disability. A statement from a medical provider confirming that the device is required because of a disability may also be submitted as credible assurance.

(3) This Order shall be reviewed after a period of one year from the effective date to allow the Department time to assess the impact of electric bicycle use on natural surface trails. If after the one-year period, negative impacts shall be evidenced, the Order shall be rescinded. However, if after the one-year period, no negative impacts are evidenced, the Order shall remain in effect.

History: Iss. Aug. 8, 2024; Am. 4, 2024, Post Aug. 9, 2024.