

RESOLUTION NO. 05-2017-06

MICHIGAN STATE PARKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MSPAC)

RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF THE “CAMPING, LODGING AND CANCELLATION POLICY”

ADOPTED: June 8, 2017

WHEREAS, in order to meet the operating needs of Michigan state park and recreation programs, and address funding gaps as identified by the Department of Natural Resources’ (DNR) Parks and Recreation Division, a State Park Camping, Lodging and Modification/Cancellation Fees Proposal was developed to support long-term sustainability of the operating budget.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee has reviewed the State Park Camping, Lodging and Modification/Cancellation Fees Proposal that was presented on May 17, 2017; and

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it was the consensus of the Michigan State Parks Advisory Finance Subcommittee to support staff recommendations which were reviewed on March 24, 2017 and May 17, 2017; and

THEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Michigan State Parks Advisory Finance Subcommittee recommends the following to the Department of Natural Resources Director for his consideration and approval:

1. That the camping and lodging fees be adjusted to keep pace with the operational business plan. A 2 year proposal for lodges to adjust fees will be incorporated.
2. Modification/cancellations fees to be adjusted to keep pace with the operational business plan and discourage last minute modifications and cancellations.

Submitted by: MSPAC Finance Subcommittee Members (Chuck Hoover, Brad Garmon, Julie Clark, Bob Hoffmeyer, Ann Conklin, and former Finance Subcommittee Chair Chris Graham)

Motioned by: Mary Pitcher

Seconded by: Christine Crumbaugh

Yeas: 9

Nays: 9

Abstained: 0

Absent: 5

This Resolution was adopted by the Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee at their regular meeting on June 8, 2017 as Resolution No. 05-2017-06