

Lakeshore State Park Boat Slip Policies

OVERNIGHT AND DAILY MOORAGE FEES AND PROCEDURES FOR TRANSIENT VESSELS



Policy:

- The **overnight** moorage procedures and fee schedule shall be posted in the Lakeshore State Park office and on the Park information board. Current fees are \$1.50 per foot - \$30.00 minimum. Fees include electric.
- Watercraft that are the property of the United States, State of Wisconsin, City and County of Milwaukee are exempt from moorage fees.
- The daytime temporary moorage rate shall be \$3.00 an hour \$9.00 minimum and applies to all watercraft tied to the dock. The Park Superintendent or his/her designee shall have discretion in determining the temporary moorage time schedules based on transient boat traffic demand levels.

Procedures: Overnight Reservations

- Fees are based on the overall length of the vessel per each overnight stay. Length stated on boat registration will determine overall boat length. (Attendants do not have to measure boats, but should ask the boat owner to state the length)
- Slip availability May 15th through October 31st
- There is a one night nonrefundable reservation fee.
- If more than one night reservation fee is paid the additional fees may be refunded if canceled 7 days in advance.
- Reservations may be made up to 11 months in advance.
- 2 reservations maximum per person.
- Length of stay is limited to 4 days. (the boat must leave for a minimum of 24 hours before renting again).
- The overnight mooring fee is for a period commencing when the slip becomes occupied at 3:00 p.m., earlier if available, through 1:00 p.m. of the following day.
- An overnight transient boater, who wishes to occupy the slip beyond 1 p.m., if available, shall be allowed to extend the time at the discretion of the Superintendent or his/her designee by paying \$5.00 for daytime temporary moorage.
- Any boat moored overnight directly to a pier dock shall be charged the full fee even if utilities are not used.
- Check-in begins at 3:00 PM. If the boater's site is vacant before 3:00 PM, the boater may occupy the site.

Doubling

- When two boats are moored in a slip, the second boat will not be provided with power or water; however, it will be the second boater's prerogative to make arrangements with the first boater to share power and water service if they so desire. Full rates apply to both boats if services are shared.
- The first boater is under no obligation to share their power and water service.
Note: Attendants will not get involved in the arrangements made by boaters for sharing power.
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Rafting:

- Vessels that are rafted onto properly moored vessels shall be charged half the normal dockage rate and are allowed use of the boaters lounge facility but shall not be provided electrical power or water service.
- The rafted boater shall have the right to make arrangements with the rightful moored boater to share power and water service but the rightful moored boater is under no obligation to do so.
- Any boater receiving power shall be charged full rate.

Daytime Moorage: First come, first serve with no reservations

- When the boater pays the \$3.00 per hour fee (\$9.00 minimum) daytime temporary moorage, the dock Superintendent or his/her designee shall inform the boater that if they fail to vacate the slip by the required time, they will have to pay the overnight transient moorage fee.
- If the Superintendent or his/her designee determines that transient boat traffic is likely to be heavy enough so that the slip will likely be rented to an overnight transient boater, the boater occupying the slip for daytime temporary moorage shall be required to vacate the slip by 3:00 p.m.
- If the Superintendent or his/her designee determines that the boat traffic is light, the daytime temporary moored boat may be allowed to occupy the slip until a predetermined time authorized by the Superintendent or his/her designee.

Other:

- **You are responsible for the safety of your vessel**
- **Boater's guests may not exceed the boat's capacity**
- Slip rental agreement must be posted in holder provided on.
- No swimming or fishing off docks or piers
- No open flames/grilling allowed on docks and piers.
- Dogs must be leashed (no longer than 8 feet) at all times and pick up after their pets
- Quiet time is 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. (The exceptions are the nights of festivals then quiet time starts at 12:30am).
- The park closes at 10:00 p.m. to all but the boat owners and guests and fisherpersons.

DURING FIREWORKS:

- **ALL BOAT OWNERS AND GUESTS MUST REMAIN ON THEIR BOAT AND/OR ADJOINING SLIP BETWEEN 9:00 PM UNTIL THE FINALE.**
- **PARK IS CLOSED FROM 9:00 PM AND THE END OF THE FIREWORKS**