

**City of Mesquite
Recreation and Parks Department
Park Rules and Regulations**

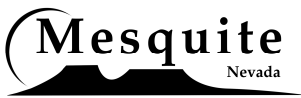
1. In any Park owned or operated by the City of Mesquite, it shall be unlawful to cut, break, move, take, or otherwise injure, destroy or deface any trees, shrubs, plants, turf, rock, or any building, fence, bridge, sign or other structure, or foul any spring or stream or leave waste items or rubbish of any kind. No person shall dump any earth, rubbish, or other substance or material in or upon any park without written permission of the Recreation and Parks Department.
2. The sale, consumption or possession of intoxicating liquors or beverages and dangerous or narcotic drugs or gambling of any kind is prohibited in any and all parks and recreation facilities and areas.
3. No person shall make or kindle any open fire except in fireplaces and grills provided for this purpose or in private portable commercially manufactured grills, or grills approved safe by the Recreation and Parks Department. Grills provided for public use shall be on a first come, first served basis.
4. No person shall discharge or set off in parks or recreation facilities or areas, any firecrackers, rockets or explosives without advance written consent of the recreation and parks department.
5. No person shall, in any park, set a trap or snare, shoot, injure, annoy, disturb or poison any wild animal or bird, or injure or destroy any nest.
6. It shall be unlawful for any person to use threatening, abusive, insulting or indecent language, to commit any obscene or indecent act, to fight, or to create a public disturbance or nuisance in any park. Any person who loiters in a park under the influence of alcohol or drugs or who otherwise disturbs the peace of park users by begging, soliciting, making undue noise or engaging in disruptive activities shall be deemed to create a nuisance.
7. No person shall ride in or drive any motor vehicle which is self-propelled upon any parkland except upon the roads. It is prohibited for any person to commit any act, by use or operation, of any motor vehicle on any parkland, which is committed upon a public highway or street, in the State of Nevada, would be prohibited and unlawful. Speed limits within all parks shall be 15 mph unless otherwise posted. No one shall test or repair any vehicle or mechanical device in any park. There shall be no parking at any time except in areas designated for such purposes. Abandoned vehicles shall be towed at the owner's expense.
8. No person shall, without written permission of the Recreation and Parks Director, erect paint, paste, or otherwise affix or distribute any signs, advertisements or circulars on park property. The sale of anything or the solicitation of funds or donations within any park is forbidden, except upon written permission of the Recreation and Parks Department.
9. Horses, cattle, livestock and domestic animals of any kind are prohibited in any park, except a dog or cat on a leash no more than six (6) feet in length and under the control of a person. Parks designated by the City as wilderness parks are exempted from application of this Section.
10. Practicing, playing or using the park areas for golf and archery is prohibited.
11. While in a park, no person shall carry a knife upon their person having a blade of three inches or longer in length, or have possession of, or discharge a bb gun, air rifle, pistol, firearm, bow and arrow, or any other type of dangerous weapon.
12. Swimming is prohibited in all parks except on facilities expressly designated for that purpose. Swimming is permitted only during park hours with lifeguard service provided by the Recreation and Parks Department. Authorized lifeguards shall have the authority to enforce all posted swimming pool

rules and regulations and shall expel any or all persons violating any safety rules. Animals within any swimming area are prohibited.

13. Permits for playing league or casual athletic games on park fields or courts may be secured on a first come, first served basis from the Recreation and Parks Department. A valid permit shall be displayed upon request in order to avoid conflicts in the use of facilities. Persons failing to honor a valid permit may be denied future permits to use the facilities.
14. No person or group may utilize the park area or facility for the purpose of teaching an individual or group any recreational skill for personal profit or financial gain without written permission of the Recreation and Parks Department Director.
15. No persons are permitted in any park during the hours of darkness, except in those areas designated for extended use activities, or unless written permission is obtained from the Recreation and Parks Department for after dark programs. The City shall reserve the right to lock any gate, chain, or door offering access to any park, facility or building in order to restrict nighttime usage thereof.
16. The City Manager or his designee may temporarily close or curtail activities upon any lands or waters, or any portions thereof, when it has been deemed to be in the best interest of public safety, conduct health or order.
17. No entertainment, demonstration, exhibition, meeting, concert, or tournament, whether public or private, shall be given in any park without having obtained the written permission of the Recreation and Parks Department Director no less than fourteen (14) days prior to usage.
18. No group of 25 or more persons shall use a park area without first obtaining written permission from the Recreation and Parks Department. Group usage shall be limited to designated areas. Permission shall be obtained no less than seven (7) days prior to usage. No person shall use loud speakers, amplifiers or public address systems in a park without written permission from the Recreation and Parks Department.
19. Camping or sleeping overnight in City Parks is prohibited without advance written permission from the Recreation and Parks Department.
20. No person or persons shall willingly encroach upon lands administered by the Recreation and Parks Department.
21. All of the aforementioned rules requiring written permission contemplate that such permits must be carried and produced upon demand.
22. The City of Mesquite Police and the employees of the Recreation and Parks Department are authorized to enforce these rules and regulations and to prosecute violators.
23. Any person violating any of these Rules and Regulations shall be guilty of an infraction. Each violation shall be a separate offense.
24. No person shall bring onto or possess in any park or recreational area, a glass bottle or container so as to minimize the danger posed by broken glass.
25. Curfew: For all unaccompanied minors under the age of 18:

September through May:	10pm through 5am
June through August:	11pm through 5am

For all other curfew questions, please refer to City Code 5-3-2 @ www.mesquitenv.gov.



**City of Mesquite
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Dog Park Rules and Regulations**

1. Park hours are Dawn to Dusk.
2. Canine and human visitors enter at their own risk.
3. Owners are legally responsible for their dogs and any injury or loss caused by their dogs.
4. Dogs must be under voice command, control and accompanied by humans at all times.
5. Owners must clean up after their dogs. Bags and disposal stations are provided.
6. Dogs that are aggressive are not allowed in the park.
7. Dogs in heat or puppies under 4 months old are prohibited in the park.
8. Don't let your dog dig holes, fill any holes mistakenly dug.
9. Violators to the park rules are subject to removal from the park and possible legal action.
10. To report bites and/or violations please call Animal Control at (702) 346-5268.
11. Emergencies call 911.
12. Owners may bring a maximum of 2 dogs to the park at one time.
13. An adult must accompany children under 12 years of age.
14. Children under 5 years of age are not allowed in the fenced in area.
15. Keep all dogs out of tennis courts at all times.
16. No littering of parks.
17. The City of Mesquite will not be responsible for injuries to visiting dogs, their owners or others using the park.
18. Respect other park visitors both human and canine by keeping your pet from jumping on or interfering with other people or their pets.
19. Please report any vandalism, graffiti or damage to the parks or any City facility to the Mesquite Police Department (702) 346-6911.
20. Any questions or concerns on renting parks & facilities call the City of Mesquite Recreation & Parks Department (702) 346-8732.