

**Brightsand Lake Regional Park Bylaws 2022**

**Bylaw # 01-2022**

**BYLAW DEFINITIONS**

In this bylaw:

PARK means the area that is designated as Brightsand Lake Regional Park.

ALL TERRAIN VEHICLE means any self-propelled vehicle designated primarily for off roadway travel for the movement of people or goods over unprepared surfaces. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing includes amphibious vehicles, restricted motorcycles or mini-bikes, quads or side by sides including golf carts.

BEACH AREA means all shoreline areas within the park including the waters adjacent to the shoreline, plus immediate land (surrounding the shoreline) area whether sand, reeds, or grass, plus any area sighted as beach.

BOARD means the members of the Regional Park Authority.

BYLAW means the Regional Parks Bylaw.

CAMP means to remain overnight with or without a tent or temporary shelter.

CAMPING UNIT means a vehicle or structure that is or may be used as or may be used as a temporary living quarter or shelter and includes:

- (i) a motorhome.
- (ii) a cabin trailers.
- (iii) a tent trailers.
- (iv) a truck camper.
- (v) a tent.
- (vi) a van.
- (vii) a car.
- (viii) a truck.

CAMPSITE means an area within a public campground, designed, and developed to accommodate a family or a specified number of persons in one camping unit.

CONTRACTOR means a person who makes a contract, especially a person who agrees to furnish materials or to do a piece of work for a certain price.

DAILY means one calendar day.

DOMESTIC ANIMAL means any tamed animal kept by humans and includes any head of cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats, swine, dogs, or cats, as well as any exotic animal, including reptiles.

DRONES a powered hand controlled propelled device which can hover or fly.

ENCASED, in relation to a firearm, means a firearm that is completely enclosed in a fastened gun case or wrapped in fabric, plastic, or similar material in a manner that makes the firearm not readily available for use.

FIREARM means any device from which any shot, bullet or other missile can be discharged and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, includes a rifle, shotgun, pellet gun, air gun, pistol, revolver, spring gun, longbow, crossbow, or sling shot, and may include firecrackers, and fireworks.

FISCAL YEAR means the period commencing on Nov.1<sup>st</sup> in one year and ending October 31<sup>st</sup> of the following year.

HEAVY VEHICLE means a motor vehicle used for hauling goods having a manufacturer's rated capacity in excess of One (1) Ton, or having a wheelbase in excess of One Hundred and Fifty-Nine (159) inches.

HOUSEBOAT means a water vessel equipped for use as a temporary or permanent dwelling.

MINISTER means the member or the Executive Council to whom for the time being the administration of this Act is assigned.

MOTORBOAT means a water vessel that is propelled or drawn by a motor.

OCCUPANT means the owner, occupant, permit tee, or licensee of the premises or any person found on the premises at or around the time when the noise or sound issues from the premises.

OCCUPY means to reside in, to hold or dwell in, or on, or to use an area for any period.

OPEN FIRE means any fire in a place other than in a fireplace or other receptacle provided specifically for the purpose of safely containing fires.

PARK AUTHORITY means the people who are, from time to time, appointed for the purpose of carrying out the management and administration of the Regional Park.

PARK OFFICER means any member of the Park Authority, as well as any person employed by the Park Authority for the Administration and Management of the park area, and the enforcement of this bylaw within that area.

PARKING means the standing of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, otherwise than temporarily for the purpose of and while engaged in loading or unloading or in obedience to traffic regulations, signs, or signals.

PARKING AREA means any specific location primarily designated for the parking of motor vehicles and/or designated as such by appropriate signs.

PEACE OFFICER shall have the same meaning as defined in the criminal code of Canada, which includes a police officer, police constable, bailiff, constable, or other person employed for the

preservation and maintenance of the public place or for the service or execution of civil process, as well as a person appointed or designated as a fisheries officer under the Fisheries Act, when performing any of his/her duties pursuant to the Act.

PERMIT means a valid and subsisting permit issued pursuant to this bylaw.

POLICE OFFICER shall mean any member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

PICNIC GROUND means an area in the park designated by the Board for use by the public for picnic purposes.

PUBLIC CAMPGROUND means an area in a park designated by the Board for use by the public for camping purposes.

QUIET TIME means the hours between 2300 hrs. of one day, and 0700 hrs. of the next day, local time, during which time noise is to be kept to a minimum to enable the patrons of the park to sleep.

ROAD means a road, parkway, driveway, square or place designed and intended for or used by the public for the passage of vehicles in the park.

ROADWAY means a highway in a park and includes a common parking lot, road, street, avenue, parkway, driveway, bridge, viaduct, or trestle within the park intended for or used by the public for the passage of vehicles.

RUNNING AT LARGE used in connection with domestic animals, means they are in such state, unless confined within a cabin or tent, R.V., or other vehicle, or enclosed in a cage, enclosure or tied up or on the end of a leash.

SIDEWALK means any walk or path in the park bordering a roadway and constructed for pedestrians.

SPECIAL CONSTABLE means a Special Constable as defined in the Police Act 1978.

SUMMER RESIDENCE means residence during the period between April 1 and October 31 in any one year.

SWIMMING AREA means an area where signs or standard markers have been placed identifying the area as a swimming area.

TENT means a structure of canvas, or other fabric or synthetic materials supported by a pole or poles, rope or other devices.

TRAVEL TRAILER means a structure of wood, plastic, or fibreglass, or of wood products, metal or canvas, or a combination of these materials, erected on a wood or steel chassis with wheels attached, designed for use as living quarters, capable of being transported behind a motor vehicle and licensed under the laws of province, state, or country.

USE AREA means a location within the park where development of fixtures, buildings and facilities for public use are found.

VEHICLE means any motorized conveyance, other than a water vessel, that is drawn, propelled, or driven by any mechanical means, and also includes a wagon, sleigh, bicycle, automobile, tractor, motor home, all-terrain vehicle, golf cart, camper truck, and trailer.

WATER VESSEL includes boat, canoe, raft, or other amphibious craft.

WILDLIFE OFFICER means any person appointed or authorized by the minister for the purpose of enforcing the Wildlife Act and the regulations and includes a police officer or peace officer.

WILDLIFE means 'Wildlife' as defined in THE WILDLIFE ACT.

### **PARK ENTRY**

1. The Park Authority may require from time to time, that entrance to and use of the park be subject to the following conditions, including payment of a prescribed fee, and thereafter, no person shall enter or use such a park except on payment of such a fee as may be prescribed, or with the permission of the Park Authority.

- (A) The Park Authority may take adequate precautions, including the erection of park control gates, to ensure that the required park entry permit has been acquired. A Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer may stop and inspect any vehicle within an area, or entering an area, for which a park entry permit is required, to ensure that the vehicle has a valid park entry permit affixed. A Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer shall not be liable for any damage occurring as a result of measures taken to ensure that a park entry permit has been secured.
- (B) Every person to whom a seasonal park entry permit, in the form of a sticker, is issued, shall affix this permit, and keep it affixed to the inside of any window on the left and side of the vehicle or hung from the mirror, using only the adhesive material or hangar provided with the park entry permit.
- (C) Every person operating a motorcycle, to whom a seasonal or daily park entry permit, in the form of a sticker is issued, shall forthwith affix the permit, and keep it affixed to the flip-up seal of the vehicle. Where a motorcycle does not have a flip-up seat, the operator may request a letter from the Park Authority authorizing the permit to be carried in a wallet. The motorcycle serial number and licence number must be on the letter or authorization.
- (D) Any park entry permit not affixed to a vehicle as stated in Subsection (B) or (C), is considered void and shall be surrendered to a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer upon request.
- (E) Where any park entry permit is lost or destroyed, a new permit must be obtained, and the required fee paid.

2. No person shall enter, use, or occupy a park entry permit area, or a park entry permit facility unless that person holds a park entry permit issued pursuant to Section 1.

3. Sections 1 and 2 do not apply to:
- (A) service or delivery vehicles which enter the park for the sole purpose of providing a service to the park,
  - (B) vehicles from the Department of Environment and Resource Management, SaskTel, SaskPower, or any other government agencies,
  - (C) any vehicles displaying the RCMP Crest or identified as an RCMP vehicle,
  - (D) any emergency vehicles.
4. A park entry permit is valid only for the specified time, and with respect to the area or facility specified in the permit.

### **FACILITY USE PERMIT**

5. The Park Authority may designate any area of the park land as a facility-use permit area or facility in park land as a facility-use permit facility.
6. Where the Park Authority designates a facility – use permit area of facility, the Park Authority shall have signs posted identifying the area or facility as a facility – use permit area or facility.
7. No person shall enter, use, or occupy a facility-use permit area or a facility-use permit facility unless that person holds a facility-use permit issued pursuant to this section.
8. The Park Authority may issue a facility-use permit to an applicant who pays the fee set by the Park Authority and include in the facility-use permit any terms and conditions that the Park Authority considers appropriate.
9. A facility-use permit is valid only for the specified time, and with respect to the area or facility specified in the permit.
10. The holder of a facility-use permit shall keep the permit available for inspection at all times and produce it for inspection when requested by a Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer.
11. (A) The Park Authority may take adequate precautions, to ensure that the required facility-use permit has been acquired, and that no person shall use the area or facility contrary to that purpose.
- (B) A Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer shall not be liable for any damage occurring because of measures taken to ensure that a facility-use permit has been secured.

### **CAMPING PERMITS**

12. No person shall enter the park for the purpose of establishing a temporary residence with or without temporary shelter, for the overnight use of park facilities, without having obtained a camping permit, and having paid the fees required, from time to time, by the Park Authority.

13. A person who holds a valid accommodation receipt or camping permit and a daily park entry permit for the first day of this period specified in the accommodation receipt or camping permit and keeps the accommodation receipt or camping permit and the daily park entry permit displayed on the driver's side of the vehicle, is deemed to hold a valid park-entry permit for the period specified in the accommodation receipt or camping permit.

### **RULES OF CAMPING**

14. No person shall attempt to remain overnight with or without a tent or temporary shelter, or to establish any temporary residence, trailer unit or tent in a park area without a camping permit and stipulation as to designated area.

15. No person shall:

(A) alter a camping area.

(B) rent, sell, assign, or otherwise transfer a camping permit to another person.

(C) operate a vehicle in a public campground during the period commencing at 2300 hrs. In one day and ending at 0700 hrs. The following day unless the person:

i. is the holder of a camping permit returning to the holder's designated campsite by the most direct route, or?

ii. is leaving a public campground by the most direct route.

(D) where that person is the holder of a camping permit.

i. leave the campsite specified in the permit unoccupied for more than 48 consecutive hours without the prior written consent of the Park Authority to do so unless site considered or known to be a seasonal site.

ii. occupy more than one campsite with one camping unit: or

iii. occupy a campsite with more camping units than specified in the camping permit; or

(E) discharge, discard or dispose of any liquid or solid waste other than into a sewage system or receptacle provided by the Park Authority for that purpose.

16. The holder of a camping permit and all persons occupying the campsite under the permit shall maintain the campsite in a clean state.

17. A Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may, without notice, cancel a camping permit if the holder of the permit fails to comply with:

(A) any provision of these By-Laws,

(B) any Act or Act of the Government of Saskatchewan or regulation pursuant to an Act or Act of the Government of Saskatchewan that relates to the permit holder's conduct in the park land.

(C) any Act or Act of the Parliament of Canada or regulation pursuant to an Act or Act of the Parliament of Canada that relates to the permit holder's conduct in the park land.

(D) the terms and conditions specified in the permit.

18. Any person who is in possession of a valid permit for a facility-use area or facility-use facility and is asked to leave the Park by a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer is deemed to have

his/her permit cancelled, and upon such cancellation shall be prohibited from entering the Park-use area or facility-use facility until she/he have lawfully obtained a new from the Park Officer.

19. No person shall remain in the park after having been asked to leave by a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer.

20. On the expiration or cancellation of a camping permit or when the holder of a camping permit vacates the campsite, the holder of the camping permit shall ensure that:

(A) the campsite is vacated by all persons occupying the campsite under the permit,

(B) all shelters, equipment and other possessions belonging to the persons mentioned in clause "(A)" are removed and disposed of in accordance with there regulations and the permit.

(C) the campsite is left in a clean state.

21.

(A) A Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer, may have any trailer, tent trailer, or other detachable form of accommodation left in contravention of these regulations, as will as any other camping equipment of goods impounded, moved, or taken to, or stored in a suitable place.

(B) Where any trailer, tent trailer, or other detachable form of accommodation, or stored pursuant to Section 21, Subsection (A), hereof such vehicles or goods may be retained at a place suitable to the Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of removal unless the costs of removal, impounding and storage are sooner paid. Upon payment of the full costs or removal, impounding and storage, the vehicle or goods may be released to the owner thereof.

(C) If the said costs of removal, storage, and impounding are not paid within thirty (30) days of the Park Authority shall have the right to recover same from the owner of the vehicle or goods by:

i. legal action in a court of competent jurisdiction.

ii. sale by public auction on publication of a notice designating the time and place of the sale at least ten (10) days prior to the sale in a Local Newspaper and on sending such notice by registered mail to the owner at the address appearing on the last registration of any of the vehicle or goods seized.

### **LENGTH OF STAY**

22. No person shall remain in the park after the hour of 2300 hrs, without having received a camping permit or without being authorized to so remain by designation as a family member or visitor included in such permit.

23. No person shall remain in the park after having his/her camping permit or park facility-use permit revoked.

## **CONDUCT OF PERSONS**

24. Any holder of a valid park entry permit, or Facility-use permit, or party to a Lease or other agreement issued by the Park Authority, shall be bound by these bylaws.
25. Where any portion of the park area has been set aside for a specific use or purpose, no person shall use the area contrary to that purpose.
26. Every person within the boundaries of the park shall observe and obey every statute and regulation, and every prohibition or restriction announced by sign or other device.
27. No person shall act in an offensive manner by fighting, disorderly conduct, drunkenness, use of vile language or cause noise in any way such as to create or continue a disturbance to any other person using or occupying the park.
28. Quiet time is between the time of 2300 hrs of one day, and 0700 hours of the next day, local time, and is to be observed by all patrons of the park.
29. Any person:
- (A) who fails to comply with a directive pursuant to Sections 17 and 18, is to be deemed to have his/her camping permit revoked, and shall be required to leave the park as ordered by an Officer?
  - (B) who has his/her camping permit revoked is not permitted to enter the park for a period?
  - (C) Not exceeding (1) year from the date that the permit was revoked.
  - (D) who attempts to enter or stay in the park after having his/her camping permit revoked is guilty of an offence under this bylaw!

## **VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC**

30. The Park Authority or a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may mark and erect on or along any roadway, street, parking lot, walkway, or lane within the park, a traffic sign or device that may regulate, control, warn, direct, or inform persons operating vehicles, or pedestrians in park land and, without restricting the generality of the foregoing, may:
- (A) Prescribe the maxim speed rate for vehicles.
  - (B) Regulate or prohibit the tethering of horses, or the parking of all or any class of vehicles.
  - (C) Require vehicles to stop.
  - (D) Designate the roadway as a one-way roadway.
  - (E) Close the roadway to all or any class of vehicles.



- (F) Limit the hours during which the roadway may be used.
  - (G) Regulate pedestrian traffic.
  - (H) Limit the use of a roadway for horses or for a specific class of vehicles, or any method of transportation.
  - (I) Designate a reserved parking area.
  - (J) Regulate, direct, or control in any other manner, the use of the roadway by vehicles, horses, or pedestrians.
  - (K) Prescribe the load limits and dimensions for any vehicle or class of vehicles.
31. No person other than a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer shall:
- (A) Mark or erect any traffic sign or device on or along a roadway in the park.
  - (B) Remove, deface, or alter any traffic sign or device on or along a roadway in the park
32. Every person using a roadway in the park shall obey the instructions in a traffic sign or device.
33. No vehicle within the park shall proceed at a speed greater than 30 kilometres per hour, unless otherwise posted.
34. No person shall drive any vehicle within the park contrary to any order, direction, or indication shown by a sign established by the Park Authority.
35. No person shall have, drive, or park any vehicle except on a roadway or in an authorized parking area within the park without the express consent, in writing, of the Park Authority.
30. No person shall drive any all-terrain vehicle in any area of the park, except on trails or roadways designated for All Terrain Vehicles approved for use and must display a valid plate issued by the park! (Approved All Terrain vehicle- golf carts, side by sides, quads). Permit for all-terrain vehicle maybe revoked for a period by Park Officer, or any person appointed by the Park Authority to direct the movement of vehicles if they deemed this unit to be causing disturbance to any park patron. (Not to exceed 1 year from the time of the permit being revoked)
31. Any person who drives an All-Terrain Vehicle must conform to the rules and regulations of the All-Terrain Vehicles Act of Saskatchewan.
32. No person shall have, drive, or park any vehicle in any area within the park posted as a "Beach Area".
33. No person shall fail to obey any traffic sign or device set up or placed pursuant to this bylaw.
34. Every person operating a vehicle within the park shall comply with any traffic directions given to them by a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer or any person appointed by the Park Authority to direct the movement of vehicles.

35. No person shall operate a vehicle in any manner prejudicial to the safety of others, having regard to all the circumstances, including the nature, condition, and use of that place and the amount of traffic that at the time is or might reasonably be expected to be on that place.
36. No person shall park or leave a vehicle, trailer, or All Terrain Vehicle in such a manner as to obstruct the driveway leading any residence or business premises or interfere with any vehicle that is loading or unloading goods or passengers within the park.
37. No person shall drive a heavy vehicle within the park area without written permission from the Park Authority, unless that person is operating the heavy vehicle to perform services for the park.
38. No person shall ride any bicycle, motorcycle, or other motor driven or foot propelled vehicle except on roadways or paths provided for such purposes or on a public highway. Motor driven vehicles must conform to regulations of the Highway Traffic Act and/or the All-Terrain Vehicles Act of Saskatchewan.
39. No person shall operate a vehicle in a manner so as to create a disturbance to any park patron.
40. No person shall operate a vehicle on a park road without reasonable consideration for other persons and vehicles using the road.
41. No person shall operate or fly any Drones in the park boundaries with out written consent from the Park Authorities.
42. The operator of an emergency vehicle that is:
- (A) used to transport a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer in the performance of the Officer's duties.
  - (B) used for the transportation of a member of a fire department in response to an emergency; or
  - (C) an ambulance used in response to an emergency may, while an emergency exists, drive and/or park contrary to any posted sign or device, where in the circumstances it is necessary to do so.
- 43.
- (A) The Park Authority, a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may have removed and stored in a suitable place, at the expense of the owner:
    - i. any vehicle parked or left on park land in contravention of these regulations; or
    - ii. any vehicle that is in a rusted, wrecked, partly wrecked, dismantled, or partly dismantled condition and that has apparently been abandoned within park land.
  - (B) The Park Authority, a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may cause a vehicle that is removed and stored pursuant to Subsection (A) to be released to the owner of the vehicle if the owner:
    - i. presents information satisfactory to the Park Authority, Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer, that he or she is the owner.

ii. pays the cost incurred by the Park Authority to remove and store the vehicle.

(C) If a vehicle that is removed and stored pursuant to Subsection (A) Clause (ii) is not claimed by the owner in accordance with Subsection (B) within ninety (90) days, the Park Authority, a Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer may dispose of the vehicle in any manner that the Park Authority, Park Officer, Peace Officer or Police Officer considers appropriate.

(D) The cost of removing, storing, and disposing of a vehicle pursuant to this section are a debt due to the Park Authority by the owner of the vehicle.

### **DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

44. Without the prior written consent of the Park Authority, no person having the custody or control of a domestic animal shall:

(A) allow the domestic animal to run at large on park land; or

(B) bring the domestic animal into or allow it to remain in any:

- i. beach area, swimming area, or in any water within ninety (90) meters of a beach or swimming area.
- ii. public washroom, change house, concession, picnic shelter or other public structure; or
- iii. area where the Park Authority has caused signs to be set up prohibiting domestic animals.

45. Without the prior written consent of the Park Authority.

(A) No person shall ride, drive, lead or keep any horse on park land except on trails or other areas that the Park Authority has designated.

(B) No riding animal is allowed to be tethered within the park Area, except by written permission of the Park Authority, and that written permission must be presented to a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer upon request.

(C) Every person who owns, or has the care and control of, or keeps or harbours, any animal which by reason of excessive barking or excessive howling disturbs other persons is guilty of an offence under this bylaw.

(D) Where in the opinion of a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer, a domestic animal:

- i. is a nuisance or danger to the life, safety, health, property, or comfort of any person on park land, the Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may:

1. prohibit the admission of the domestic animal to park land; or
2. order the domestic animal be removed from the park land.

- ii. is not under the proper care or control of a person or is running at large on park

land, a Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may capture and impound the domestic animal.

- (E) A Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer shall make every reasonable effort to contact:
- i. the owner; or
  - ii. the person who had care or custody; of every domestic animal that was captured or impounded pursuant to Subsection (B), Clause (ii).
- (F) Before claiming a domestic animal captured or impounded pursuant to Subsection (D), Clause (ii), the owner or other person claiming the domestic animal shall:
- i. provide the Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer with evidence satisfactory to the Officer that the person is entitled to take the domestic animal; and
  - ii. pay the cost incurred to by the Park Authority to remove and impound the animal.
- (G) A Park Officer, Peace Officer, or Police Officer may dispose, in a manner the Officer considers reasonable, of any domestic animal that has been impounded for seventy-two (72) or more hours, without being claimed, in accordance with Subsection (F).

### **SWIMMING AND FISHING**

46.

(A)

- i. The Park Authority may designate any area of waters in or adjacent to Park Land where the use of inflated or flotation apparatus or equipment is prohibited.
- ii. Where the Park Authority designates an area pursuant to Clause (I), the Park Authority shall cause signs to be posted, in those areas that the Park Authority considers appropriate, identifying the area as an area where using inflated or flotation apparatus or equipment is prohibited.

(B) No person shall:

- i. use inflated or flotation apparatus or equipment in any waters on or adjacent to park land where their use is prohibited; or
- ii. swim, bathe, or water ski within 25 meters of an area designated for the docking or mooring of boats.

47.

(A) The Park Authority may designate any area of water in or adjacent to park land where angling is prohibited.

(B) Where the Park Authority designates an area pursuant to Subsection (A), the Park Authority shall cause signs to be posted in those locations that the Park Authority considers appropriate, identifying the area as an area where angling is prohibited.

48. Angling as defined and regulated by the Saskatchewan Fisheries Regulations shall be permitted

within the park except within 25 meters of:

- (A) a Beach area, as designated by the Park Authority
- (B) an area designated by the Park Authority for loading and unloading boats.
- (C) any other area where angling is prohibited by signs, as designated by the Park Authority.

49.

- (A) the Park Authority may designate a location or facility at which fish may be filleted or dressed.
- (B) Where the Park Authority designates a location or facility pursuant to Subsection (A), the Park Authority shall cause signs to be posted in those locations that the Park Authority considers appropriate, identifying the location or a facility where fish may be filleted or dressed.
- (C) No person on park land or on waters adjacent to park land shall fillet or dress fish within a:
  - i. campground.
  - ii. picnic ground.
  - iii. park entry area.
  - iv. playground; or
  - v. beach area: except at a location or facility designated pursuant to Subsection (A).

## **BOATS AND BOATING**

50.

- (A) The Park Authority may designate an area of park land as an area where a water vessel may be launched, moored, or left; and
- (B) Where the Park Authority designates an area pursuant to Subsection (A), the Park Authority shall cause signs to be posted, in those locations the Park Authority considers appropriate, identifying the area as an area where launching, mooring, or leaving of water vessels may take place.
- (C) No person shall launch, moor, or leave a water vessel in park land except in an area designated for that purpose, pursuant to Subsection (A)
- (D) No person shall use or operate a water vessel within twenty-five (25) meters of:
  - i. a swimming area.
  - ii. a beach area.
  - iii. any area where the Park Authority has caused signs to be posted prohibiting water vessels.
- (E) No person shall operate a water vessel in any waters in or adjacent to Park Land:
  - i. in a manner that disturbs other persons or creates excessive noise, or without reasonable consideration for the safety of other persons.

- ii. without due care and attention and without reasonable consideration for the safety of other persons

51. No person shall occupy or keep a houseboat on any waters on or adjacent to park land except:
- (A) with the prior written consent of the Park Authority; or
  - (B) within an area designated, by the Park Authority, for the occupying or keeping of a houseboat.
52. No person shall launch, moor, or otherwise leave any boat in the park for more than 24 consecutive hours, except in areas designated by the Park Authority for the launching, mooring, or leaving of boats.

### **STRUCTURES ON CAMPING SITES**

53. No person shall erect any building or structure on camping sites with out written consent from the Park Authorities.

### **BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES:**

54. Must follow and abide by the Bylaws outlined in the BRIGHTSAND LAKE REGIONAL PARK ZONING BYLAW and obtain all permits required before constructing of any building or structure.

### **LEASES:**

- 55.
- (A) The Park Authority may require any lessee or permittee to pay such annual charges or rates as may be necessary to pay for services, local improvements and capital development costs or a subdivision in the park.
  - (B) When the annual lot rentals provided by the lease are subject to revision at two (2) year intervals, the Park Authority may incorporate the charges or rates provided in Subsection (A) into annual lot rentals payable under the lease.
  - (C) In the event of non-compliance with specific lease conditions or in the event of voluntary surrender of the lease, the Park Authority may retain, out of such capital charges as may have been paid in accordance with Subsection (A), outstanding lease rental or service charges or such amount as the Park Authority may determine.
56. **The Migratory Birds Convention Act, the Wildlife Act, The Fisheries Act, The Prairies and Forest Fires Act** and all other Acts governing renewable and natural resources in Saskatchewan, and all regulations thereunder, shall apply to and have full force and effect in the park unless otherwise provided.

## **FIREARMS**

57. (A) Subject to the Wildlife Act, no person shall, without a licence for the purpose:

- i. hunt, poison, molest or disturb any wildlife within.
- ii. destroy or alter any wildlife habitat within.
- iii. carry, possess or discharge any firearm, firecracker, or firework within or discharge any firearm, firecracker, or firework over, a Regional Park.

(B) Notwithstanding Subsection (A), a person who is passing through park land may carry firearms if they are:

- i. encased or sealed in such a way as to prevent their use; or
- ii. kept in a trunk of a vehicle in such a way that they are not readily available.

58. For the purpose of controlling nuisance animals in the park, the Park Authority shall request from the Minister, that a SPECIAL PERMIT be issued to a person(s), allowing that person(s) to use a firearm in the park for the purpose of controlling nuisance animals within the park.

Section 58 does not apply to a person(s) who, UPON REQUEST FROM THE PARK AUTHORITY, has been issued a SPECIAL PERMIT, by the Minister, to use a firearm for the purpose of controlling nuisance wildlife within the park.

59. Any person who has been issued a SPECIAL PERMIT for the purpose of controlling nuisance wildlife within the park must:

(A) comply with all conditions of the permit.

(B) present the permit for inspection upon request by a Park Officer, Peace Officer, Police Officer, or Conservation Officer.

60. Subject to the Wildlife Act, any person who violates Sections 57, 58, 59 of these bylaws, is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than \$1,000.00.

## **GENERAL PROHIBITIONS**

61. The Park Authority may specify or designate any area in the park on which the landing of aircraft or the use of boats or other watercraft shall be prohibited or restricted.

62.

(A) No person shall light any outdoor fire in the park area except in a fireplace, barbecue, or receptacle provided for that purpose.

(B) In times of high or extreme Fire Hazard, the Park Authority may issue a directive that no person shall light any open fire of any kind, while the high or extreme fire hazard exists.

63. No bonfire or other exposed fire shall be kindled to dispose of rubbish in the park.

64. Any person using any cabin, trailer, tenting or other area shall keep such area in a clean and satisfactory state.

65. Except as may be authorized by the Park Authority, in writing, or by an erected sign:
- (A) No person shall tamper with, deface, cut into, write upon or otherwise disfigure or destroy any natural rock formation, soil, tree, timber, bridge, building, seat, or any other structure within any area of the park, including any daily camping area, seasonal/permanent camping area, cottage subdivision, golf course, or beach area.
  - (B) No person shall remove, deface, or destroy any notice or sign posted in the park.
66. No person shall enter or proceed upon grass, lawn, turf, seedbed or other plot or area contrary to a sign or prohibition.
67. No person shall use or deposit any foreign material, chemicals, sand, gravel, dirt, pollutants, contaminants, or any other substance in or along the shores of the lake which could pollute, damage, or destroy the fish, birds, animals, other wildlife species or their habitat.
- 68.
- (A) No area of the park may be used in such a way as to pollute, contaminate, or cause other injury to the swimming facilities.
  - (B) No person suffering from a communicable or contagious disease shall enter the swimming area or facility in a park area.
    - i. A Park Officer, Lifeguard or Public Health Nurse is hereby authorized and empowered to demand from any person, before entering a swimming area or facility, a certificate from a physician that such person is not suffering from any communicable or contagious disease, and to restrain such person from entering the swimming area or facility until such a certificate is produced.
69. Between the times of 2300 hours of one day, and 0700 hours of the next day, local time, any person entering a swimming area or facility for any reason, shall do so at their own risk.
70. No person shall engage in the sale of goods, solicitation, or display of any sort within the park Area, except by the written permission of a park Officer.

### **BUSINESS OPERATIONS:**

71. No person shall carry on or be engaged in any business, calling or trade or occupation within the park except with the written consent of the Park Authority.
72. No person shall be granted a permit to operate a business within the park unless he/she has first entered into a written agreement with the Park Authority defining the conditions and terms under which he/she will operate.
73. The Park Authority may upon the application of an interested person or upon their own motion, cause to be advertised for disposition the right to operate any business within the park.
74. Except in the case of a renewal of an existing agreement or of an operation expected to have a gross turnover of less than \$2,000.00, business opportunities will be publicly advertised for tender in which case the Park Authority may select an operator from among those tendering;



providing, however, if no tenders are received or if none are acceptable in the opinion of the Park Authority, they may make such other arrangements as appear justified to enable the business operation to proceed.

75. The advertisement referred to in Section 73 and 74, shall be published in such publications as the Park Authority may designate.
76. The Park Authority may require that any tender specify the percentage of gross revenue from the business operation or other payment which will be payable to the Park Authority, and they may specify a minimum percentage or other payment which will be considered acceptable.
77. When a business is to be carried on in premises to be provided by the permit-tee in the park, building plans and specifications in accordance with the "Building Standards Code", the "Public Health Act", "Electrical Standards Code" and "Public Accessibility Code", will be submitted for approval by the Park Authority, and such plans and specifications will become part of the agreement.
78. The right to reject any or all bids and offers shall be reserved to the Park Authority and the money submitted with the bids or offers by the unsuccessful applicants shall be refunded.
79. The form of any contracts for operation of a business in the park issued pursuant to bids or offers shall be determined by the Park Authority.
80. Any person carrying on business in the park shall keep such records as may be required by the Park Authority and make them available for inspection at all reasonable times.
81. No agreement shall have the effect of granting to the lessee the exclusive right to carry on a business, calling, trade or occupation in any area of the park.
82. No person or group of persons shall institute charges or fees for functions or special events held within the park, unless authorized to do so by the Park Authority.
83. No person shall post or display in the park, any signs, posters, or advertisement other than one approved by an officer in writing.
84. No person shall advertise lotteries or display prizes in connection with draws or contests in the park without the permission of the Park Authority.
85. Every person using the Park for any purpose whatsoever shall comply with the provisions of the Prairie and Forest Fires Act, the Provincial Lands Act, The Forest Act, The Public Health Act, The Vehicles Act, the All-Terrain Vehicles Act and all Provincial and Federal Statutes as they may apply, and in the event of his/her failing to do so, the Park Authority may cancel the lease, permit, license or other authority under which the Park is used.
86. The Park Authority may suspend the right to exercise the authority granted under any permit, lease or license and prohibit entry into or occupancy of any area within the park during a period of high fire hazard.

87. The Park Authority may, in addition to any other penalties, withdraw from any person the privilege of obtaining any further or other permit, lease or license upon his conviction under any Provision of The Prairie and Forest Fire Act, The Forest Act, The Provincial Lands Act, the Public Health Act or these regulations.

88. The Park Authority may fix any charges not provided by these regulations.

PENALTY CLAUSES

General Penalty Clauses:

89. (A) A person who is guilty of an offence against these Bylaws is liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars), and in default of payment will lead to being banned from the Park.

Specific Penalty Clause.

89. (B) Any person who violates Section 67 or Section 68 of these Bylaws is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction of not less than \$1,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars) and not more than \$5,000.00 (Five Thousand Dollars), and in default of payment will lead to being banned from the Park.

This Bylaw shall come into force on the day of passing, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022.



Certified a true copy of the original  
Bylaw passed by resolution of the  
Park Authority present at their regular meeting held  
On the 9<sup>th</sup> of May, 2022

Daigneau Secretary of the Park Authority

R. Granlitz Chairman of the Authority

Daigneau Secretary of the Authority

