

From: [Langenegger, Jared, EMNRD](#)
To: [Fleming, Joseph, EMNRD](#); [Laurie Strebeck](#)
Cc: [emnrd-parkcomments, EMNRD](#)
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] Boat launch questions
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 5:42:24 AM

Good morning Ms. Strebeck,

Thank you for your interest in State Parks. I have provided answers to your questions below. If you have further questions, please feel free to call me at the number below.

Thank you,

What increase amount are we looking at for boat registration fees? [Proposed boat registration fees are listed below. Registration fees are based on a 3 year period.](#)

CLASS	MOTORBOAT LENGTH	Current 3 YEAR COST	Proposed 3-year cost
A	Less than 16 ft.	\$28.50	\$75.00
1	16 ft. to less than 26 ft.	\$36.00	\$90.00
2	26 ft. to less than 40 ft.	\$43.50	\$120.00
3	40 ft. to less than 65 ft.	\$51.00	\$150.00
	65 ft. or over	\$66.00	\$180.00
	Duplicate Registration	\$ 5.00	\$10.00

-How will NM residency be proven at park entry? License plate? [The proposed rule allows for NM driver's licenses and NM license plates to be utilized to prove residency.](#)

-Will there be a boat launch fee? (Specifically asking for motorized boats) [We are proposing a launch fee for paddle craft. We are not proposing a launch fee for motorized boats.](#)

-If your boat and trailer are registered in NM are you considered a NM resident as far as park fees go? [No. Under the proposed rule the definition of resident is, "means an individual who for a period of not less than 90 days immediately preceding visiting the park has been domiciled in New Mexico and has not claimed residency elsewhere for any purpose." We have made an allowance in the proposed rule to allow NM license plates on vehicles to be used for residency verification, but that does not apply to boats and trailers.](#)

-Is there any way annual park fees could still be in place just for convenience sake? The bottleneck backup getting into the park to pay daily with all of our TX boaters will be outrageous. [We are currently taking public comments and will include your comment in our review process. We have had several people ask about maintaining some type of](#)

annual pass for non-residents.

Jared Langenegger, Field Operations Bureau Chief

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“Far and away the best prize that life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing” - Theodore Roosevelt

-----Original Message-----

From: Fleming, Joseph, EMNRD <Joseph.Fleming@emnrd.nm.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 11, 2024 8:15 AM

To: Laurie Strebeck <lauriestrebeck@gmail.com>

Cc: Langenegger, Jared, EMNRD <JaredR.Langenegger@emnrd.nm.gov>

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] Boat launch questions

Good morning, Ms. Strebeck,

Thanks for your email. I'd like to connect you with Jared Langenegger, cc'ed here, who can answer your questions below related to boating and the Fees Study. Jared, Ms. Strebeck has some questions related to our Fees Study related to Ute Lake, boating, and some logistics. Could you please help with that?

Thank you,

-Joey

-----Original Message-----

From: Laurie Strebeck <lauriestrebeck@gmail.com>

Sent: Saturday, March 9, 2024 7:57 AM

To: Fleming, Joseph, EMNRD <Joseph.Fleming@emnrd.nm.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Boat launch questions

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Joseph,

I am writing to ask a few questions about the proposed park fee changes. We are a boat dealer at Ute Lake and have had quite a few questions from our customers.

-What increase amount are we looking at for boat registration fees?

-How will NM residency be proven at park entry? License plate?

-Will there be a boat launch fee? (Specifically asking for motorized boats)

-If your boat and trailer are registered in NM are you considered a NM resident as far as park fees go?

-Is there any way annual park fees could still be in place just for convenience sake? The bottleneck backup getting into the park to pay daily with all of our TX boaters will be outrageous.

Thank you for taking the time to answer these questions. Feel free to call or text if that's more convenient.

Laurie Strebeck

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Sent from my iPhone