Park Rules & Regulations

- Loveland’s parks are open 6:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Overnight parking, residing within a park, or camping within a park is prohibited. Residing is defined as utilizing a park, under the totality of the circumstances, in such a manner, and with such a frequency, which would give rise to a reasonable belief that an individual is living within a park.
- Camping is defined as setting up a tent (meaning a temporary structure constructed of fabric and/or any other material utilized in a manner to provide privacy), or any other like structure for providing privacy is prohibited.
- Only small pop-up shade shelters, temporary in nature, with removable walls designed to provide shelter from the sun are allowed (10’ x 10’).
- No stakes are to be driven into the ground more than 6” (inches) for any reason (irrigation lines are present)
- Glass containers/ bottles are prohibited.
- No open fires or flames except in provided grills. No gathering or cutting firewood.
- Smoking is prohibited, except in designated areas.
- Motorized vehicles (except authorized) are not allowed outside of established streets and parking areas.
- Parking allowed in designated areas only. Parking cannot be blocked off.
- Littering, graffiti or markings on parks or facilities is prohibited.
- Alcoholic beverages are only allowed by having an Alcohol Beverage Permit. The Noise Ordinances of the City are strictly enforced.
- Pet owners are required to pick-up and remove pet waste. Pets must be leashed and under human control at all times, except in designated dog park enclosures. Dogs at dog park enclosures must remain under voice control. A leash is still required for arrival/departure at dog parks, or if there are control issues in the dog park areas.
- Pets are NOT Allowed inside the Barnes Park Softball or Centennial Park baseball complexes, on inline hockey rinks, skate park areas, spray park areas, basketball and volleyball courts, the Championship Field or within 100 feet of any other athletic courts or fields while practices or games are being played. (U.S. Department of Justice defined Service Animals are allowed, but must be kept under control at all times and cleaned up after.)
- Horses (except police) are not permitted on parks, recreational trails, or open lands.
- Feeding, trapping, hunting, or disturbing wildlife is NOT permitted.
- Discharge or use of firearms, projectiles, or fireworks is prohibited.
- Bicycling permitted on designated trail only.
- Swimming, wading, boating, ice fishing and bow fishing are NOT permitted.
- Fishing is regulated by Colorado State Regulations. All persons over age 16 are required to have a Colorado Fishing License.

Collecting, removing, destroying, or defacing any natural or manmade object is NOT permitted

No Jump Castles, Dunk Tanks, Pony Rides, or other similar set-ups.

No silly string, paint or any other item which may contain dyes and permanently markup areas.

Vending is not allowed in City Parks, Open Land areas or trails

Remote control (RC) boating questions are addressed by the Colorado Parks & Wildlife Division through the office in Fort Collins. Please call (970) 472-4300 for information. In Loveland, battery powered RC boats have been approved for use on small City-owned bodies of water only; suggested sites would be the Foote Lagoon or North Lake Park-Duck Pond.

The City's public-use space is not intended for residing or camping day or night, commercial/retail activities, or for long-term uses.

Private landscaping or use of park lands, recreational trails (and easements on which they are located) or open lands, including extensions of back yard landscaping, trash or rubbish dumping, or other unauthorized use, is prohibited.

Any encroachment or storage of privately owned items is prohibited.

Call 911 in case of Emergency. Report park maintenance concerns or vandalism to the Parks and Recreation Department at (970)962-2727.

Failure to obey park rules, closing times, allowing unruliness by intoxicated members of the group, or harassment of park employees will warrant forfeiture of all reservation deposits and/or ticketing.

Amenities Namaqua Shelter-
- $60 Use Fee / $60 Deposit
- Maximum Seating: 48
- Six 8’ Tables
- Two Small Grills
- Six Electrical Outlets & Light
- Shelter
- Handicap Accessible
- Parking
- Portable Restrooms
- Playground
- Steam Fishing (from shore only)
- Horseshoe Court

There is no running water in this park.
Guests must bring in their own water for consumption.
Park Information

- This park has very limited on-site parking. There is no guarantee on the number of spaces available. **Due to the lack of parking, large groups or special event reservations are not allowed at this shelter.**
- Park hours are from 6:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.
- Vending is not allowed in City Parks.

Reservations & Deposits

Facility Use Permits for park shelters or facilities may be obtained at the Parks and Recreation Office, 500 E. Third St., Suite 200, Loveland, CO 80537, telephone (970) 962-2727 at least one week prior to the desired reservation date for a rental fee and deposit. **All permit fees and deposits are due at the time of reservation.** Shelter reservations are taken beginning the 1st business day of January for the same year; may be made Monday-Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or online anytime.

Deposits are used to ensure proper clean-up, orderly conduct, and compliance with park rules & regulations. Observe all rules & regulations posted and in this handout. Deposits are refunded by mail approximately two weeks after the reservation date, if there are no damages or park policy violations.

If a facility has not been reserved, it is available for public/small group use, free of charge, on a first-come, first-served basis.

Cancellation?

Cancellations must be received by the Parks & Recreation Department at least ten (10) business days prior to the reservation date (in writing or by calling (970) 962-2727) by the person/representative who made the original reservation, or all rental & permit fees will be forfeited. Cancellations are assessed a $25 cancellation fee. Inclement weather refunds can be made by contacting the Parks & Recreation Administration Office on the next business day after the reservation date. STAFF WILL DETERMINE IF WEATHER HAS CAUSED THE RESERVATION AREA TO BE UNUSABLE FOR THAT TIME PERIOD. Attempts will be made to reschedule, or a refund of the fee and deposits (less the $25 cancellation fee) will be issued within two (2) weeks by mail. One (1) change to the original reservation can be made at least five (5) business days prior to the reservation date at no charge. A $25 service fee (per change) will be charged after first change.

Namaqua Park

- County Road 19E at the Big Thompson River

The City of Loveland is committed to providing an equal opportunity for services, programs and activities and does not discriminate on the basis of disability, race, age, color, national origin, religion, sexual orientation or gender. For more information on non-discrimination or for translation assistance, please contact the City’s Title VI Coordinator at TitleSix@cityofloveland.org or 970-962-2372. The City will make reasonable accommodations for citizens in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). For more information on ADA or accommodations, please contact the City’s ADA Coordinator at jason.smitherson@cityofloveland.org or 970-962-3319.