

# Council Policy

## RC7.0: 8 Flags Campground Rules



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References  
Fire Services Bylaw 1005

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### POLICY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Town of Milk River to set guidelines for use of the municipally owned campgrounds to promote safe and responsible recreation activities.

### STANDARDS

1. Camping
  - a. A limit of six (6) guests are allowed to stay per campsite if they are a non-immediate family group. Immediate family is defined as a family consisting of a parent(s) and children, or another adult acting in a guardianship role of said children in the absence of parent(s).
  - b. Maximum 2 vehicles per site for overnight stay. If just a day visitor, up to 4 vehicles total are allowed as long as they are not blocking the road way or other sites.
  - c. One camper/holiday trailer, or 2 tents per site. Or there will be charges for 2 sites.
  - d. Transferring a camping permit to another person is not permitted.
  - e. Quiet time is from 11:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.
  - f. Alcoholic beverages and cannabis are to be confined to individual sites, being mindful of the sites around.
  - g. All sites will be vacated before 2 p.m. on the checkout day.
  - h. Drive carefully (15 km/hr MAX). Watch for people, pets, and vehicles.
  - i. Showers are available (loonie operated). Please be respectful of other campers using the facilities.
  - j. Please clean camp kitchen after each use. First come first serve use of the kitchen.
  - k. Loud partying, stereos at high volume and other rowdy behaviour will not be tolerated at any time.
  - l. Please respect occupied and unoccupied sites alike.
  - m. Please ensure generators are not run constantly. This will be considered excessive noise unless it is for medical reasons.
  - n. Upon registration, guests will receive a copy of this policy.
2. Fire
  - a. All fires must be confined in the provided designated firepit, or a portable propane pit.
  - b. Fires will not be left unattended.
  - c. All fires, coals or smoldering materials must be extinguished at night and before leaving the campsite.
  - d. Fires may only be fueled with seasoned wood. Leaves, tree prunings and garbage are not permitted.
3. Waste
  - a. Please put all garbage in the bins located in the campground.
  - b. Any person using the campground will restore the area used to a clean and tidy condition.

4. Pets
  - a. Must always be kept on leashes, and owners will promptly clean up animal feces from animals that they own, or which are under their care or control.
  - b. Pets are to be kept from barking excessively.
  
5. Registration Fees
  - a. Are to be paid before a camping unit will be permitted to stay.
  - b. If the campground attendant is unavailable to take the fee, registration envelopes containing the money will be deposited into the designated registration box.
  
6. Prohibitions
  - a. No parking is allowed on roadways within the campground.
  - b. No person will remove, deface, injure, or destroy any object in the campground, naturally or otherwise created.
  - c. No person will display or post any signs or advertisements in the campground unless approved by the campground attendant.
  - d. No person will discharge a firearm within the campground.
  - e. No loitering in the bathrooms.
  - f. No fireworks will be set off within the campground.
  - g. No person will sell any goods or services in the campground, unless written approval has been obtained from Town Administration.
  - h. No person will operate an off-highway vehicle or snow vehicle in the campground.
  - i. No dumping wastewater in individual sites. It must be disposed of properly.
  - j. No permanent structures, household general items or debris allowed on the campsite.
  
7. The campground attendant will assume all authority for the campground. They will coordinate with the Riverside Community Golf Society on issues, and call Community Peace Officers (CPOs) when issues arise. The campground attendant and CPOs have the authority to evict guests who contravene the above rules.