## Proposed Fee Increase

Lake Mead National Recreation Area is seeking public comment on a proposed recreation fee increase. The National Park Service has updated its current entrance fee schedule, and Lake Mead has been designated as a Group 2 park. Therefore, the park is proposing to change fees to meet that group's rate.

The below table illustrates the proposed changes.

Fee Type	Current Fee Rate	Current Validity Dates	Proposed Fee Rate	Proposed Validity Dates
Daily Vehicle	\$ 10.00	1-7 Days	\$ 20.00	1-7 Days
Daily Vessel	\$ 16.00	1-7 Days	\$ 16.00	1-7 Days
Daily Individual	\$ 5.00	1-7 Days	\$ 10.00	1-7 Days
Daily Motorcycle	\$ 10.00	1-7 Days	\$ 15.00	1-7 Days
Annual Vehicle	\$ 30.00	Calendar Year	\$ 40.00	12 Months
Annual Vessel	\$ 30.00	Calendar Year	\$ 50.00	Calendar Year
Camping	\$ 10.00	1 Night	\$ 20.00	1 Night
Group Camping	\$ 30.00	1 Night	\$ 80.00	1 Night

Under this proposal, annual vehicle passes will change from a sticker system with calendar year validity to a card pass system with validity for 12 consecutive months from purchase. This change guarantees annual vehicle pass holders a full year of access, no matter when they purchase their passes.

Since 2000, fee dollars have funded launch ramp extensions, the construction of Princess Cove Road in the Katherine Landing area of Lake Mohave, the construction of park entrance and visitor information stations, additional crews to remove litter, floating bathrooms/pump-out stations, and navigation buoys and lights. New revenue will support projects that have a direct visitor benefit and improve the visitors' experience, such as additional launch ramp extensions, repair and maintenance of facilities, capital improvements, enhanced amenities, resource protection and additional visitor programs and services.

The new fees could be implemented by Jan. 1, 2016. However, the implementation schedule may vary based on feedback provided during the 30-day public engagement period.

## Submit your comments through March 11, 2015

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