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## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

### **DIVISION OF PARKS AND FORESTRY STATE PARK SERVICE**

#### **Notice of Consumer Price Index Percentage Increase for the fees at Spring Meadow Golf Course, Forked River and Leonardo State Marinas and the Marina in South Seaside Park, Berkeley Township, Ocean County**

**Take Notice** that in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:1L-19 and N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.5, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is increasing certain fees effective January 1, 2009. The changes will be reflected in the State Park Service Code at N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.1(j) as indicated below.

The inflation factor that the Department has used to adjust the fees, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.5(a), is based on the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index (CPI), city average, all items, all urban consumers, available on October 1, 2008.

The Spring Meadow Golf Course fees at N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.1(j) were increased by notice, effective November 15, 2004 (36 N.J.R. 5119(a)). The senior citizen green fee, N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.1(j)1ii was increased effective May 7, 2007 (38 N.J.R. 4779(a), 39 N.J.R. 1701(a)). Accordingly, the Department is increasing the senior citizen green fee 5.4 percent, and the remaining Spring Meadow Golf Course fees 11.6 percent, each rounded upward to the next half dollar.

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The fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at State marinas, N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.4(a) and (b), Forked River State Marina and Leonardo State Marina, were increased effective September 6, 2005 (37 N.J.R. 1281(a), 37 N.J.R. 3340(a)). The fees at N.J.A.C. 7:2-17.4(c), South Seaside Park, were put in place effective May 7, 2007 (38 N.J.R. 4779(a), 39 N.J.R. 1709(a)). Accordingly, the Department is increasing the fees at Forked River State Marina and Leonardo State Marina 11.6 percent, and the fees at South Seaside Park 5.4 percent, each rounded upward to the next half dollar.

Full text of the changes follows (additions indicated in boldface **thus**; deletions indicated in brackets [thus]):

7:2-17.1 Day use fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service

(j) Fees for the Spring Meadow Golf Course are as follows:

<u>Type</u>	<u>Fee</u>
1. Green Fees	
i. Weekdays	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b>
ii. Saturdays, Sundays and State designated Holidays	[\$30.00] <b><u>\$33.50</u></b>
iii. Senior Citizens (New Jersey Residents - Age 62 and over) (weekdays only)	[\$18.00] <b><u>\$19.00</u></b>
iv. Twilight, weekdays (three hours before closing)	[20.50] <b><u>\$23.00</u></b>
v. Twilight, weekends and State designated holidays (three hours before closing)	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b>
2. School team member practice	[\$6.50] <b><u>\$7.50</u></b>
	/student

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3.	Golf Carts:		
	i. Power (daily)	[\$32.50]	<b><u>\$36.50</u></b>
	ii. Power (twilight-three hours before closing)	[\$27.00]	<b><u>\$30.50</u></b>
	iii. Power (disabled persons) (daily)	[\$16.50]	<b><u>\$18.50</u></b>
	iv. Power (disabled persons) (twilight - three hours before closing)	[\$13.50]	<b><u>\$15.50</u></b>
	v. Hand	[\$5.50]	<b><u>\$6..50</u></b>
4.	Club Rental	[\$21.50]	<b><u>\$24.00</u></b>
5.	Driving Range – includes one club and one basket of balls		
	i. Small basket	[\$4.50]	<b><u>\$5.50</u></b>
	ii. Large basket	[\$7.50]	<b><u>\$8.50</u></b>

7:2-17.4 Fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at State marinas.

(a) Fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at the Forked River State Marina are as follows:

1. Pleasure Seasonal berthholder permit fee:

<u>Season</u>	<u>Fee</u>
i. Summer (April 1 to October 31)	[\$60.00] <b><u>\$67.00</u></b> /ft length overall
ii. Winter (November 1 to March 31)	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b> /ft length overall

2. Transient berthholder fee:

<u>Vessel Size</u>	<u>Daily</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
i. 40 feet and under	[\$2.00] <b><u>\$2.50</u></b> /foot length overall	[\$20.00] <b><u>\$22.50</u></b> /foot length overall
ii. 41 feet and over	[\$2.50] <b><u>\$3.00</u></b> /foot length overall	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b> /foot length overall

3. Commercial berthholder fee (April 1 to October 31):

i. Charter vessel

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| Six passengers and under    | [\$65.00] <b><u>\$73.00</u></b> /foot length overall |
| ii. Other commercial vessel | [\$65.00] <b><u>\$73.00</u></b> /foot length overall |

(b) Fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at the Leonardo State Marina shall be as follows:

1. Pleasure seasonal berthholder permit fee:

Season	Fee
i. Summer (April 1 to October 31)	[\$65.00] <b><u>\$73.00</u></b> /ft**
** Minimum Fee Based on Applicable Berth Length	
ii. Winter (November 1 to March 31)	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b> /ft length overall

2. Transient berthholder fee:

<u>Berth Size</u>	<u>Daily</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
i. 40 feet and under	[\$2.00] <b><u>\$2.50</u></b> /foot length overall	[\$20.00] <b><u>\$22.50</u></b> /foot length overall
ii. 41 feet and over	[\$2.50] <b><u>\$3.00</u></b> /foot length overall	[\$25.00] <b><u>\$28.00</u></b> /foot length overall

3. Commercial berthholder fee (April 1 to October 31):

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| i. Charter Vessel           |   |
| Six passengers and under    | [\$85.00] <b><u>\$95.00</u></b> /foot based on berth length<br>30-foot minimum berth length |
| ii. Other commercial vessel | [\$85.00] <b><u>\$95.00</u></b> /foot length overall  |

(c) Fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at the Marina in south Seaside Park, Berkeley Township, Ocean County, are as follows:

1. Pleasure seasonal berthholder permit fee:

<u>Season</u>	<u>Fee</u>
i. Summer (April 1 to October 31)	[\$75.00] <b><u>\$79.50</u></b> /ft.*

\*This fee shall be based on the designated size of each boat slip. Any boat with an overall length that exceeds the designated size of the boat slip shall pay a boat slip fee based on the overall boat length at the rate outlined above. Overall boat length shall be

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include any swim and/or bow platforms(s).

2. Transient berthholder fee:

i. [~~\$2.00~~]**\$2.50**/ft. length overall, per day based on the availability of berths.

(d) Miscellaneous fees for services and facilities provided by the State Park Service at State operated marinas shall be as follows:

1. A fee of 10 percent of the season's berth charge shall be charged for each berth cancellation; a fee of [~~\$100.00~~] **\$112.00** shall be charged for each berth sublease.

2. Organized events consisting of 20 vessels or more shall be charged a fee of [~~\$125.00~~] **\$139.50** a day for each event and the applicable daily transient fee for each vessel.

3.-4. (No Change.)