



Mackinac Island State Park Commission
Policy

Group Activity Permits – Commercial Running Races

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Preamble:

In order to protect the public health and safety of park visitors and to protect landscape features and archaeological resources, it is necessary that the park managers be aware of organized group activities occurring within the boundaries of the parks. Of special concern are activities which may endanger or annoy other visitors, interfere with safe operation of horse drawn vehicles, cause undue noise for nearby residences, or may cause damage to the natural resources.

General Policy

At its March 26, 2010 meeting the Mackinac Island State Park Commission established a new permitting process. At its September 27, 2013 meeting, the Mackinac Island State Park Commission revised the fee schedule for commercial foot races in the Mackinac Island State Park. Permission to conduct the races in the Mackinac Island State Park must be secured at least 30 days in advance with specific information, including dates and times, proposed race routes, and projected number of racers. Any road markings must be of a temporary nature and completely removed once the race has concluded. The fee for commercial races is \$8 per runner. Fee payment is due within two weeks after the race. Adhesive backed decals and stickers may not be used or distributed as a part of commercial running race events.

[For form see “Procedures, Group Activity Permit – Commercial Foot Races on Mackinac Island”.]