

Granger Island Campground Rules and Regulations:

Ranger on Duty: The Ranger on Duty can be contacted at 419-779-6052 during normal park hours. In an emergency dial 911. **Please contact the Ranger on Duty 45 minutes prior to your arrival.**

Age - Campsites must be reserved by individuals 18 years or older. Individuals under 18 yrs. of age need to return to their sites by 10:00 pm unless accompanied by an adult.

Alcoholic Beverages – Alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited in the campground area.

Arrival and Departure Time - Check-in time for the Cabin is 3 p.m. on the day of arrival. Check-out time is 11 a.m. on the day of departure. Check-in time for the Tent Platforms is 3 p.m. on the day of arrival. Check-out time is 12 p.m. of the day of departure.

Contact Number- All individuals making a reservation must provide a working cell phone number that will be onsite and available during their stay in case they need to be contacted by park staff or emergency personnel.

Campfires - Keep campfires confined to the fire rings. Campfires must not exceed 2'x2'x3' in size with some type of extinguishment plan (water) nearby. In case of emergency a Fire extinguisher is located in both the cabin and the outhouse.

Cancellation Policy - If the cancellation notice is received less than 30 days prior to the rental date no refund or exchange credit will be issued. If the notice is received 30 days or more before the rental date, a credit toward a future rental option is available. The credit toward a future rental must be used within one year from the date the credit was issued. Limit of 1 re-schedule per reservation with 30 days or more notice. In the event of cancellation, refunds are issued as follows: If the cancellation notice is received up to 90 days prior to the rental a refund of 75% will be issued. If the cancellation notice is received 60 to 89 days prior to the rental a refund of 50% will be issued. If the cancellation notice is received 30 to 59 days prior to the rental a refund of 25% will be issued. If the cancellation notice is received less than 30 days no refund will be issued. Metroparks reserves the right to cancel reservations due unsafe water conditions. In the event that a reservation is cancelled by Metroparks for safety reasons, a refund will be issued or an alternative date will be scheduled.

Damages - Campers are responsible for any damage caused to Metroparks property during their stay.

Firewood – Collecting of firewood is permitted on Granger Island but cutting of standing and/or live trees is strictly prohibited.

Grills – To prevent damage, please do not use grills on picnic tables or any wood surfaces.

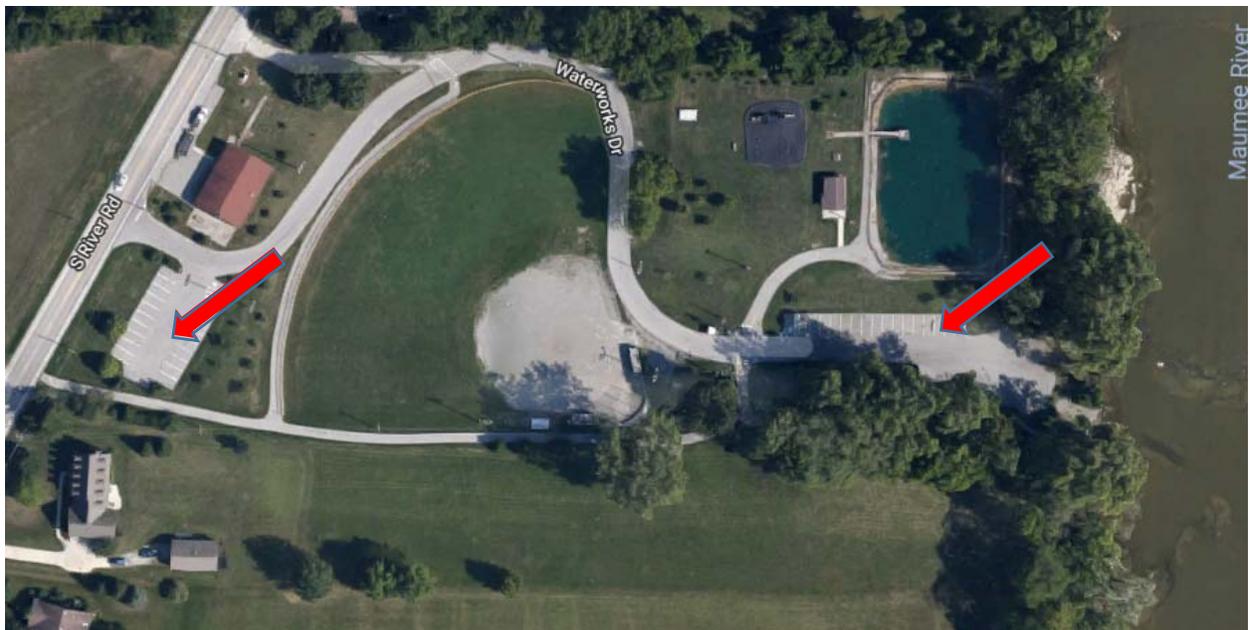
Indemnification - Individuals and groups staying at the Granger Island Campground do so at their own risk. Metroparks does not provide security outside of normal park operating hours. An individual or group staying at the campground does so on the condition that it assumes full responsibility and liability for any injury or damage to members of the group or their property. It is understood that the individual or group shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Metroparks and its officers, employees, and volunteers from any and all liability.

Length of Stay - Campers can stay in the campground up to 7 consecutive days during a 30- day period.

Number of Tents per site - Each individual tent platforms can accommodate two 12'x12' tents; no tents are permitted at the cabin campsite.

Number of People per site - Each campsite accommodates no more than 8 people.

Parking - Please post a camper permit in your vehicle. Parking lots / areas are provided in designated spots within the Farnsworth Metropark boat launch lot for individuals kayaking/canoeing to the island. Parking is also available at Waterworks Park in Waterville for walk-in campers. The City of Waterville Administrator has allowed campers the ability to park overnight at Waterworks Park to access Granger Island camping. Walk-in campers should park in the lot closest to South River Rd. shown on the image below. If you park in the lot closer to the river your vehicle will be locked in overnight. Walk-in campers must call the Waterville Police Department at 419-878-8184 to inform them that they will be parked in Waterworks Park overnight.



Personal Property - Items left at the campground after the agreed upon departure time will be disposed of by Park Staff. Metroparks is not responsible for any lost, stolen or misplaced property/items.

Pets - Pets are allowed in the campground if they are registered (name, sex, breed), and on a leash at all times. No more than 2 pets per campsite. You must clean-up after your pet. Be sure to bring dog waste clean-up bags. Pets shall not be left unattended at campsites or on the island.

Quiet Time - Campground observes designated quiet time of 10:00 pm to 8:00 am. No exceptions. Violators will be cited.

Reservations - Reservations can be made up to 1 year in advance on the first business day of the same month. Camping reservations are required prior to arrival. Reservations can be obtained by contacting 419-407-9710. If water levels are predicted to rise above the stated limit for camping, individuals holding reservations will be notified by Visitor Services staff and refunded or provided an alternative date. Website reservations will be blocked during high water events by Visitor Services staff.

Site Amenities - Campsites include a picnic table, fire ring w/grill and tent platform or cabin.

Trash and Recycling - Campground area, sites etc. need to be clean and litter free. All trash/litter should be packed out with the group at the end of your reservation.

Water- There is no potable water onsite. All drinking water needs to be packed in by the camper during their stay.

Restrooms – A composting toilet restroom facility is available in the campground and in the cabin. Only human waste and toilet paper should go into the unit. DO NOT throw any trash or debris in the unit. There is no running water onsite. A combination code to the locked outhouse and/or cabin will be provided by Visitor Services staff when your reservation is confirmed.

Electricity- There is no electricity on the island. Please plan accordingly for your stay.

General- Please respect the privacy of other campers. Do not walk through other campsites or allow your pet to enter other campsites. Please do not attempt to move picnic tables or fire rings from another area to your site.

Water Levels- The site is walkable across the river when water levels are at 3 feet or lower based on the USGS website at <https://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uv?04193500>. Paddle in access will be limited to river levels above 3 feet but under 6 feet.