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Memorandum

To: USPP and USPR Public Safety

From: Marybeth G. McFarland, Law Enforcement Specialist

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Re: 2008 Superintendent's Compendium

Summary changes to this year's Superintendent's Compendium are as follows:

PART 1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS

- Table of Contents added.
- Part 1 Purpose, Applicability and scope, Terms added.

§1.5 VISITING HOURS:

- a) Day Use Areas added:
 - Mori Point
 - Nike Missile Site.

§1.5 PUBLIC USE LIMITS:

- a) Bicycle groups: maximum number in any one group is 10
- b) Restricted Use Vehicles: Exceptions now include taxis & limousines 35' and smaller; and school buses supporting ed. programs.
- c) Restricted Use Vehicles: Small bus size definition reduced to 17' to 35' in length.
- d) Parking lots and pullouts added to areas allowed for restricted use
- e) West Bluff: small buses (17' to 35') prohibited.
- f) Cavallo Point Lodge shuttle buses exempt from idling prohibition.

§1.5 CLOSURES

- a) BICYCLES: Diaz Ridge closed to bikes. This has been closed, but left out of the compendium.
- b) PARK FACILITIES: Secures all park administrative facilities, licensed concessionaires or lessee, park partner facilities, including roads, outbuildings, etc... Exemption: persons engaged in legitimate government activities or business, residents, guests of residents.
- c) PARKING: all areas of the park closed to "camping" and "overnight parking" see definitions of these terms under 1.4.
- d) Site specific closures: ALCA, FOBA, MORI POINT ROAD is now by NPS escort only (escort not limited to LE, can be done by resource management biologist); POBO

§1.5(a)(2) SPECIFIC USE OR ACTIVITY RESTRICTIONS OR CONDITIONS:

a) PETS: Seasonal leash restriction for Snowy Plover areas at Crissy Field and Ocean Beach are now in annual compendium, instead of emergency amendments.

NOTE: Season has definitive dates: July 1 to May 15 of the following year.

PART 2 - RESOURCE PROTECTION, PUBLIC USE AND RECREATION

§2.1 PRESERVATION OF NATURAL, CULTURAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES:

- a) 2.1 (a)(4) Collection of down wood permitted at Kirby Cove
- b) 2.1 (b) Areas added where hiking restricted to trails to protect Mission Blue butterfly habitat.
- c) 2.1 (c) (1) & (2) Mushroom collection at Land's End no longer permitted.

§2.13 FIRES

- a) Where beach fires are permitted was changed from street names to Stairwell 21-28.
- b) High fire danger closures may now be closed during "Spare the Air" days.

§2.15(a)(1) PETS

- a) Battery to Bluffs trail closed to pets.
- b) Areas that have been closed by omitted from compendium by error:
 - Marin Headlands: Upper & Lower Fisherman beach
 - Phleger Estate
- §2.15 (a)(3) Pets: may be left tied to object at Warming Hut & under conditions elsewhere.
- §2.16 Horses: Comprehensive list of where horses are allowed and prohibited.

§2.17 Aircraft and Air Delivery §2.17(a)(1)

- a) §2.17(a)(2) Permits operation of aircraft less than 500' from designated swimming beaches: Stinson Beach only.
- b) §2.17(c)(1) Requires permit for removal of down aircraft.

§2.20 SKATING, SKATEBOARDS AND SIMILAR DEVICES:

- a) Use of kitebuggy, landsurfing, landsailing, etc... prohibited. See definitions 1.4
- b) Extreme skateboarding, e.g. Mountainboarding, Rollsurfing, and Dirtsurfing are prohibited.

§2.21 SMOKING:

 Extends prohibition beyond current closure to include all roads, trails, and parking lots at Muir Woods National Monument during 2008 fire season.

§2.22 PROPERTY

No property may be left unattended after 24 hrs. Removed specific "Geo-caching" activity, regulation now prohibits any property.

§2.23 RECREATION FEES:

- a) Fee increase at Muir Woods National Monument
- b) Special recreation fee activities revised; those covered by §1.6 moved.

§2.38 EXPLOSIVES:

Added section allows Superintendent the authority to permit activity generally prohibited.

§2.50; §2.51 and §2.52: Removed. Covered under §1.6 Permits required.

PART 3 - BOATING AND WATER USE ACTIVITIES

§3.6 BOATING OPERATIONS:

- a) §3.6(d)(1): Vessels may not create wake or exceed 5mph at Horseshoe Cove.
- b) §3.6(h): Launching approved for recovery vessels.
- c) §3.6(i): Launching or recovery of vessels propelled by machinery prohibited. Restrictions do not apply to U.S. Army Corp or USCG operations.

PART 4 VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC SAFETY

§4.20 TRAVEL ON PARK ROADS:

§4.20(b) "Segways" remain prohibited on park roads/trails, except for use by handicap persons per Servicewide memorandum.

§4.21 SPEED LIMITS:

a) Mori Point road: 10 mph

§4.30 BICYCLES:

- a) List of roads and/or trails where bicycles are prohibited. (See also §7.97)
- b) §4.30(d)(3) Allows bicycles to ride abreast on CF promenade, except during special events.

§4.31 HITCHHIKING: Allowed in Marin Headlands: Baker/Barry tunnel; Bunker, Conzelman, and Field roads.

PART 7 - SPECIAL REGULATIONS

§7,97 SPECIAL REGULATIONS

- a) §7,97 (c) (1) Designated Bicycle Routes comprehensive list of trail designations.
- b) §7,97 (c) (3)(i)Non-Designated Bicycle Routes comprehensive list of trail non-designations.

NOTE: All attachments, exhibits and maps are currently being updated to NPS standard format. When available they will be linked to document on website and separate files on Lotus Notes "G" and "X" drives.

Any questions please contact the Law Enforcement Specialist office at (415) 561-5140.