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## 2019 Alaska State Parks Annual Parking Passes available for sale

(Anchorage, AK) – The Division of Parks & Outdoor Recreation's 2019 Day Use Parking Passes will be available for sale starting Thursday, Nov. 15. Day use pass decals are \$50 and can be purchased at most regional state parks offices and the Public Information Centers in Anchorage and Fairbanks. To order your pass online, go to <a href="https://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/passes">https://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/passes</a>.

The 2019 passes will be honored at all locations managed by DPOR, effective Nov. 15.

Also available for sale are the 2019 Boat Launch pass (\$100 each) and the 2019 Disabled Veteran Camping Pass available to Disabled Veterans with appropriate documentation.

In addition to state park offices in regional offices and ranger stations, passes will be available at the DNR Public Information Centers in Anchorage and Fairbanks, visitor centers in Kenai, Soldotna and Homer, the Seward Chamber of Commerce, REI in Anchorage and Fairbanks, and 24 Mile Java on Chena Hot Springs Road. An updated list of all locations to buy passes will be maintained on the state parks website.

Day use parking decals should be placed on the driver side corner of your vehicle windshield for easy identification by Park staff. In the case of a windshield replacement, please keep your receipt or the scrapings from the windshield you are replacing, and a Public Information Center will replace it for a \$10 fee.

Annual passes make great holiday gifts! For information on ordering a bulk amount (25 or more), contact Wendy Sailors at 907-269-8738 or <u>wendy.sailors@alaska.gov</u>.

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