

Town of Lexington Recreation and Community Programs

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Non-Motorized Water Craft Use Procedure

Non-motorized water crafts can be used year round at the Old Reservoir waterfront from dawn to dusk. A non-motorized water craft can be a kayak, canoe, paddle board, or sailboat.

In order to use the Old Reservoir, you must obtain a permit for use. You can obtain a permit, by processing a request through our software program, MyRec. If you do not have an account, you will have to set one up prior to submitting a request to use the Old Reservoir. To submit your request, find the "facilities" tab at the top of the banner and click on "Facility List". Find the "Old Reservoir – Beach" and fill in the request form. Once your request has been received, someone will contact you to confirm it has been received and then processed accordingly. Once payment for use has been made, you will obtain a permit that should be brought with you on the day you have reserved for use.

When entering the water at the Old Reservoir, please you use the opening after the fence ends on the left hand side of the main beach, parallel to Marrett Road. Anyone entering the water on a non-motorized water craft must be wearing a US Coast Guard certified life vest. Upon leaving the water, please exit from the same space you entered from.

Any non-motorized water craft or equipment will not be permitted to be stored or left on-site. Any items discovered on-site that do not belong to the Town will be removed.

If use is during summer hours where the Old Reservoir beach is operational, please stay out of the roped area, which is restricted for swimmers or lifeguard use only.

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