

FEBRUARY 28, 2018

PARK DIRECTIVE 2005

**NO TURN AWAY POLICY - CAMPING**

Park superintendents should make every attempt to accommodate touring cyclists and through hikers with no motorized support who are seeking camping facilities in parks that allow camping even if the campground or the overflow campground are full. Park staff will recommend alternative locations for overnight use if the campgrounds and overflow areas are at maximum capacity.

This guarantees touring bicyclists and through hikers a campsite in areas where they might not typically be able to check into a hotel and find other accommodations especially during periods of peak visitation.

The fee would be the current overflow fee as defined in Park Directive 2000. All other applicable park fees and regulations would apply.

- Related PD's:        2000 - Parks Fees and Rates
- 1050 - Hours of Operation
- 3015 - Camping Rules, Regulations, Fee Collection, Registration,  
    and Reservations

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