

GAZEBO POLICY

1 PURPOSE

The Gazebos located at Crystal Lake Park and Long Lake Park are intended to serve certain needs of the community when other appropriate facilities are not available. The following policy governs the use of these locations.

2 USE

- a. Gazebos are for municipal functions, municipal supported functions, established non-profit organizations and private use. Its availability is on a first come first serve basis.

3 RULES

- a. The use of the gazebos will not interfere with the official town business or inhibit the ability of Town employees to carry out their responsibilities.
- b. No smoking, vaping or consumption of alcohol will be allowed.
- c. The gazebo will be returned to the setup and the condition it was found in prior to use.
- d. The party reserving the gazebo will be held for any damage to the property incurred during the period reserved for use. Any damage shall be immediately reported.
- e. Animals are allowed provided they are leashed. Animals are not allowed on the beach at any time. Owners are required to clean up after their dog immediately. (See Dog Ordinance for additional restrictions)

4 FEES & APPLICATIONS

- a. A use fee set by the Select Board is required at the time of reservation.
- b. The permit holder is responsible for any damages.
- c. A new application and fee are required for each reservation date.
- d. A refundable deposit, see Fee Schedule, may be required with the application prior to reserving the gazebo.
- e. The Town reserves the right to retain all or a portion of the deposit for any damage or clean-up costs associated with the use of the facility. Any costs incurred by the Town in excess of the deposit shall be paid by the permit holder upon receipt of a bill from the Town.

5 TERMINATION OF USE

- a. The Deputy, Town Manager, or designee may order the immediate termination of the assembly, activity or event that is the subject of a permit issued hereunder if the permit holder is in violation of the terms of the permit or any State or local statute, ordinance or regulation. Upon such termination, all activities by the permit holder shall cease and all equipment, furnishings and other materials shall be removed from the facility and the facility shall be cleaned forthwith.

6 LIABILITY

- a. The Town, its officers, agents and employees shall not be liable for any injury or damage to any person or property occurring at or in connection with the assembly, activity or event, which has been permitted under the terms of these Regulations. The permit holder agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Town, its officers, agents and employees from and against any and all liabilities, losses, damages, suits, penalties, claims and demands of every kind or nature by and on behalf of any person or entity, arising out of any injury or damage alleged to have been suffered at or in connection with the assembly, activity or event which has been permitted under the terms of these Regulations.
- b. The Town reserves the right to reject or deny any request for the use of the property.