

## PARK REGULATIONS

### Falls Reserve Conservation Area

(R.R.O. 1990, Regulation 117, made pursuant to the Conservation Authorities Act)

There is one basic rule in the Conservation Area; have respect and consideration for other visitors and the park environment. The following table lists some of the rules enforced in the Conservation Area. Under the Conservation Authorities Act, the permit holder is responsible for the conduct of all occupants registered under that permit and could be charged with an offence or immediately evicted from the park at the discretion of any park staff. The Conservation Authorities Act and other legislation governing behaviour can be reviewed at the Park Office and on the e-laws website at [www.e-laws.gov.on.ca](http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca). **Park rules are enforced by the Park Officers and/or any park staff with the authority to evict and/or remove from the property anyone found in violation of an offence.**

Many of the listed offences could result in eviction from the Conservation Area. Evicted visitors are prohibited from the property for a period up to 3 years. No refunds are issued as a result of eviction.

	Permitted Activities	Prohibited Activities
<b>Conduct</b>	Camping at Falls Reserve should be a peaceful, enjoyable family camping experience. Quiet hours 10:00 pm – 8:00 am. No radios during these hours <b>No excessive noise at anytime</b> <b>No excessive radios or audio devices at any time and at the discretion of the Superintendent/Designate</b> <b>Check out at 2:00 pm</b>	- Making excessive noise or disturbing other people - Using abusive and/or insulting language towards a MVCA employee or a registered patron in the conservation area  <b>Minimum fine \$150.00 and/or eviction</b>
<b>Maximum People/ Vehicles Per Site</b>	<b>A maximum of 6 people can occupy a campsite.</b> One vehicle permit is included with your campsite. Any additional vehicles must purchase an additional vehicle permit. <b>Maximum two vehicles per site.</b>	- More than 6 people occupying a site.  <b>Minimum fine \$75.00</b> <b>Minimum fine \$50.00 (Trespass to Property Act)</b>
<b>Alcoholic Beverages</b>	Alcohol may be consumed ONLY at the campsite. Alcohol is not allowed in all other areas of the Conservation Area.	- Drinking alcohol or possessing open alcohol containers in any area other than your campsite - No alcohol consumption in the day-use areas <b>Minimum fine \$50.00 (Trespass to Property Act) and/or eviction</b>
<b>Pets</b>	Pets are welcome in the Conservation Area, but must be leashed (max. 2 metres) and under your control at all times. Please “Stoop and Scoop” after your pet.	- Permitting animal to disturb other persons - Permitting animal to be at large - Permitting animal to make excessive noise - Pets are prohibited in the pond or from entry into park buildings <b>Minimum fine \$75.00 and/or pet removed (evicted) from the park</b>
<b>Driving</b>	Please observe the speed limits posted throughout the Conservation Area. Maximum speed through the campground is 5 km/hr. <b>No golf carts, ATV's, Segways, etc</b>	- Operating motor vehicle in excessive speed and/or in violation of the Highway Traffic Act or the Conservation Authorities Act. - Please obey all traffic signs. <b>Minimum fine \$125.00</b>
<b>Park Property</b>	All Vegetation, wildlife and natural features are protected in the Conservation Area – Help keep our Conservation Area healthy for future park visitors and the environment.	- Damaging, destroying or removing property - Cutting or removing growth - <b>Removing dead wood or tinder (twigs) from bush is prohibited</b> <b>Minimum fine \$125.00 and/or eviction</b>
<b>Litter</b>	Garbage cans are located throughout the day use areas. There is a garbage & recycling area near the exit of the park at the pond area for campers to take their garbage to. Please use these facilities to discourage raccoons and other wildlife from becoming pests. <b>Campsites must be clean and tidy at all times.</b>	- Littering - Failing to keep camp area clean - Failing to leave camp area in natural condition  <b>Minimum fine \$125.00 and/or eviction</b>
<b>Campfires</b>	Fires are permitted only in designated areas. Firewood is available for sale at the gatehouse. <b>DO NOT remove growth of any kind or dead wood found in the bush area for fires.</b> Transporting firewood can pose a great threat to our wood lots and forests.	- Unlawfully starting fire - Leaving fire unattended - Leaving fire site before fire is extinguished  <b>Minimum fine \$150.00</b>
<b>Firearms/ Fireworks/ Hunting</b>	To protect both visitors and wildlife, NO firearms or fireworks are permitted within the Falls Reserve Conservation Area. Hunting or pursuing wildlife is prohibited.	- Unlawfully possessing, discharging or shooting firearms - Unlawfully possessing or igniting fireworks - Unlawfully killing, trapping or pursuing wildlife <b>Minimum fine \$150.00 and/or eviction</b>
<b>Visitors</b>	All visitors to the campground are to park in designated parking areas. All visitors are admitted from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm daily. Visitors must vacate the property by 10:00 pm nightly. Hours may be restricted at other times at the discretion of the Superintendent/Designate.	- Unlawfully remaining after closing hour - Entering after closing hours - Remain in day-use permit area after check-out time  <b>Minimum fine \$125.00</b>