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ONEIDA COUNTY FOREST DISPERSED CAMPING PERMIT

Permit Fee: \$20.00 - A maximum of three camping units allowed at one site. Each camping unit must have a permit and the permit is limited to 14 consecutive days.

This permit must be displayed on the camping unit in such a manner as to be visible and readable from outside the camping unit.

Permit is non-transferrable.

PERMIT DATE(S): _____

PERMITEE NAME:	
HOME ADDRESS: CITY, STATE, ZIP:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
CAMPING UNIT DESCRIPTION: (Include license # if applicable)	
VEHICLE MAKE/MODEL: LICENSE #:	
TELEPHONE:	

By issuance of this permit, we hereby grant permission to camp on the Oneida County Forest during the above listed period not to exceed 14 consecutive days.

Location: Section_____Town_____Range_____ Town of: _____

Nearest Road Intersection(s) or description of location: _____

By signing below, the Permittee acknowledges that he/she understands and accepts all of the Oneida County Forest Camping Permit regulations.

Permittee Name (Print) Permittee Signature Date

To be completed by Forestry Department:

(For Oneida County Forestry Dept.)

Date: _____ Payment: CASH _____ CHECK # _____

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Oneida County Forest Dispersed Camping Regulations

1. Permit is valid for a maximum of 14 consecutive days.
2. This permit must be displayed on the camping unit in such a manner as to be visible and readable from outside the camping unit.
3. Camping shelter must be occupied daily and may not be vacated overnight or stored at the site.
4. Each camping unit must obtain a permit. No more than three camping units allowed in one group.
5. You must be at least 18 years of age to register for a permit.
6. Camping unit must be set up outside the right-of-way of any public road. Camping unit or vehicles must not block travel on any road or trail.
7. No camping within ¼ mile of any designated Oneida County Forest Campground. No camping within any designated park, recreation areas or at boat landings.
8. No camping within 50 feet of any waterbody, ATV/UTV, snowmobile, ski, bike, snowshoe or hiking trail while such trail is open for its intended use.
9. No camping allowed within the boundaries of an active timber sale.
10. Damage to vegetation or landforms is prohibited except to build an adequate fire ring. Driving of screws, nails, bolts or the like into trees is prohibited.
11. Campfires are allowed but must follow all applicable county, town or state regulations. A three foot wide bare mineral soil break around the fire is required when ground is not snow covered.
12. Only dead down trees may be collected for firewood. No standing trees or brush, alive or dead may be cut. No firewood may be brought onto the County Forest from outside Oneida County. No firewood may be removed from County Forest property without first obtaining a firewood permit.
13. Fires must be completely out and cold to the touch when not attended. Permittee will be held responsible for any fire started by them that becomes uncontrollable or causes any damage. Fires may be prohibited during elevated fire danger. Contact the Forestry Department or Wis. DNR for current fire danger.
14. The use of fireworks is prohibited on County forest land.
15. Campsite must be clear of all debris/litter upon vacating the site. All material brought in must be carried out and properly disposed of.
16. All human waste must be buried a minimum of 6-8 inches deep and a minimum of 50' from any road or trail and 200 feet from any water body. Please pack out all toilet paper and feminine hygiene products.
17. Any camping unit that has a septic holding tank must empty septic at an approved dumping facility. No holding tank contents may be dumped on the ground or in any waterbody
18. Camp site must be returned to as near a natural condition as possible upon vacating site.
19. This permit may be revoked by verbal or written notice for any violation of the terms of the permit or any county, state or federal law or regulation. No refund will be given.
20. Permittee is aware that he/she is responsible for the knowledge of land ownership boundaries and accepts all liability for trespassing he/she may do on non-county lands.
21. Oneida County will not be responsible for any accident or property damage or any physical or other injury. Permittee understands and agrees that Oneida County accepts no responsibility and is in no way liable for any injuries, physical or otherwise, or property damage which may occur to permittee or anyone who may accompany permittee while camping under this agreement.
22. Permittee further understands and agrees to secure and hold harmless, Oneida County against any injuries, loss, or damage to any person or property as a result of permittee camping under this agreement.

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