



## **RULES FOR USE OF THE PICNIC SHELTER AT GIBSON POND PARK**

1. Rental of the picnic shelter may be requested by calling or writing to the Parks, Streets, and Sanitation Department. The Parks, Streets, and Sanitation Department shall make a determination that the shelter is available. Reservations should be made at least two weeks in advance. The Parks, Streets, and Sanitation Department will inform the requestor of the conditions pertaining to the use of the shelter.
2. Each request must contain the name, address, and telephone number of the requestor; the purpose of the function; and the number of people expected to attend.
3. In order to confirm the reservation, the requestor must pay the rental fee and security deposit. The deposit will be refunded after the function if proper clean up was accomplished and no damages were noted. In the event of a cancellation, a minimum of 30 days notice is required. Otherwise, there will not be a refund on the rental fee.
4. The waiving of fees for governmental agencies or community groups to be at the discretion of the Town Administrator once a written request has been received from an agency or community group.
5. The consumption of alcoholic beverages on the Town property is prohibited without prior approval by the Town Administrator.
6. Official Town meetings and functions shall always have priority over the other requests.
7. The requestor shall be held solely responsible for the condition of the picnic shelter, including any damages to the trees and/or plants within the park. Additionally, the requestor shall sign an agreement releasing the Town from all liability arising from the use of the shelter or park.
8. Requestors violating these policies shall not be permitted use of the property in the future.
9. The Parks, Streets, and Sanitation Department shall report on the use of the property to the Council at its regularly scheduled meeting.
10. The operating or playing of any radio, television, phonograph, musical instrument or similar device, which produces or reproduces sound in a motor vehicle or public park in a manner as to be plainly audible at a distance greater than fifty (50) feet is prohibited.
11. Use of the property for profit is prohibited.



## **Rules for Use of Gibson Pond Park**

Park Hours are 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM

Pets are allowed on leash. Please clean up after your pet.

No Swimming

Fishing is allowed during hours of operation when policies of SCDNR and SC laws are followed

Destruction of existing vegetation forbidden

No skating or skateboarding

Motorized vehicles allowed only in designated areas

No open fires except in designated areas

No conduct, loud music or other loud noise that may disrupt the use and enjoyment of the park by others or that may impact surrounding property owners and residents is permitted

Gas powered boats are prohibited

No smoking or use of tobacco products

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All children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult