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WAC Citation	Reason and/or Expected Outcome	Contact	Status of Rulemaking	Anticipated Date of Adoption	Comments
Chapter 352-24 WAC Concessions	Agency integrated concession leasing and real property agreement program – no longer requiring a direct agency process of authorizing concession leases	Steve Hahn Lands Program Manager Washington State Parks P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8683 Steve.hahn@parks.wa.gov	CR 103 filed Nov. 2, 2010 as WSR 10-22-095	Nov. 2, 2010	Effective: Dec. 3, 2010
Chapter 352-32 WAC Public use	Number of the parks use the word “dusk” that is not define in WAC. Adding the definition of “dusk” allows staff to clearly administer WAC 352-32-215	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-030 WAC (8) Camping	Staff sometimes has difficulty explaining and enforcing the rules concerning extra vehicles. The proposed change clarifies this rule and allows some flexibility in application, provided park resources and infrastructure are protected.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-030 (14) Camping	This new subsection allows overnight camping in approved areas within designated Sno-Park Parking areas.....	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.

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Chapter 352-32-050 Park Periods	Staff recommends adding a new subsection (2) that provides guidance for closing park areas to public access, and clarifies the duration of emergency closures.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-056 Peace and Quiet	The changes proposed in WAC 352-32-030 (14) Camping would allow overnight camping within designated Sno-Park areas. At these Sno-Parks, during the winter season, operation of electric generators after 9 p.m. is often a necessity, as sub-freezing temperatures are the norm.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-080 Swimming	The proposed change clarifies what types of floating devices are permitted in designated swimming areas. The rule would allow small children's floatation devices (other than U.S. Coast Guard approved life Jackets).....	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-085 Technical Rock Climbing	Staff recommends changing part of subsection (3) to be consistent with closure provisions recommended in WAC 352-32-050 Park Periods.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.

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Chapter 352-32-125 Fires and Campfires	Staff recommends adding language to the rule that restricts campfires at Cristal Springs and Easton Reload Sno-Parks to portable fire receptacles.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-210 Consumption of alcohol in state park areas.	Staff recommends modifying subsection (3) regarding closures to be consistent with WAC 352-32-050 and WAC 352-32-085	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-240 Nondiscrimination certification	In response to advice of legal counsel, staff recommends removing the listing of protected classes, as this protection is inherent in the statement that the Commission is an equal opportunity employer.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-251 Limited income senior citizen, disability and disable veteran passes	Staff recommends that the eligibility requirements for establishing residency in WA. Be changed from 12 months to 3 months in subsections (1) and (3); and that proof of residency can include a WA state driver's license.....	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR102 filed June 27, 2011 WSR 11-14-031	Sept. 16, 2011	Effective: Sept. 16, 2011

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Chapter 352-32-252 Off Season senior citizen pass – fee	Consistent with WAC 352-32-251, staff recommends that the eligibility requirements for establishing residency in Washington be changed from 12 months to 3 months in subsection (1)	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 101 filed April 14, 2011 as WSR 11-09-049	Sept. 16, 2011	Effective: Sept. 16, 2011
Chapter 352-32-260 Sno Park permit & 352-32-265 Sno park permit- display	Staff recommends that these two sections of WAC be combined, and add more detailed instructions for the proper display of parks permits.	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-32-270 Sno-park permit fees	Staff recommends that the valid dates of the seasonal Sno-park permit be changed from October 1, to May to December 1 through April 30. This is consistent with the dates that the program provides.....	Pam McConkey Manager Winter Recreation P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8595 Pamela.mcconkey@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-37-105 Fires and campfires	On the ocean beaches, the agency does not provide designated campfire pits, rings or other campfire enclosures. A portion of this WAC section is superfluous, and staff recommends that it be eliminated.....	Robert Ingram Chief Visitor Protection and Law Enforcement P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8616 Robert.ingram@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.

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Chapter 352-37-200 Special group recreation event permit	Staff recommends that agency address in subsection (4) be changed	Robert Ingram Chief Visitor Protection and Law Enforcement P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8616 Robert.ingram@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-37-325 Seashore conservation area closures—new section	Staff recommends that closure rules be added to Chapter 352-37 that are consistent with the closure languages changes made in Chapter 352-32.	Robert Ingram Chief Visitor Protection and Law Enforcement P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8616 Robert.ingram@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-37-330 Penalties	Consistent with recommendations for Chapter 352-32, staff recommends the penalties for violation of this chapter of WAC be made consistent with the bail schedules applied by the justice system.	Robert Ingram Chief Visitor Protection and Law Enforcement P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 902-8616 Robert.ingram@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Oct. 5, 2010 as WSR 10-20-128		Agency determined to suspend until Dec. 2011.
Chapter 352-37	Pilot program expired Dec. 2010. Before continuing this activity, the Commission needs specifically allow it by rule. The Commission is open to continuing this recreational activity in the Seashore Conservation Area.	Lisa Lantz Environmental Planner SW Region P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-4265 (360) 725-9777 Lisa.Lantz@parks.wa.gov	CR 102 filed Feb. 8, 2011 WSR 11-05-039	Sept. 16, 2001	Effective: Oct. 9, 2011

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Title 352, chapter 352-32 Public use of state park areas	Add sections within Chapter 352-32 and revise sections that will address the Discover Pass	Brian Hovis Intergovernmental Relations Director P.O. Box 42650 Olympia, WA 98504-2650 (360) 902-8504 Brian.hovis@parks.wa.gov	CR101 filed May 18, 2011 WSR 11-11-083	Sept.16, 2011	Agency decided to suspend until after the 63 rd Legislative Session