## **Welcome to Riverside**

The Riverside State Park Off-Road Vehicle (ORV) Area is located west of Spokane on Inland Road. This

600-acre multi-use area was set aside in the 1980s for all types of ORVs. The area has proven to be very popular for motorcycles, ATVs, and four-wheelers. The terrain provides hill climbs, sand areas and trails through wooded areas.

The area includes restrooms, picnic tables and shelters, parking and a loading/unloading ramp. Camping is available less than 10 miles from the ORV Area at the Bowl and Pitcher (7 miles) and Nine-Mile Recreational Area (8 miles). ORVs (or, OHVs as they are known in other places) must be trailered to get to the ORV area, unless they are street-legal. Washington state park rangers patrol the ORV area and enforce rules and regulations.

#### **Camping Reservations:**

If you're planning an overnight trip to a state park during the busy summer months, you can reserve a campsite, yurt, cabin, rustic structure, vacation house, group camp or group day-use facility at state parks all across Washington. Drop-in campers are always welcome as long as space is available, but reservations offer peace of mind when traveling to distant or popular parks.

For questions about a reservation, visit online at www.washingtonstateparks.us or call (888) CAMPOUT or (888) 226-7688.

The Discover Pass is required for day visits to state parks and access to other state-managed recreation lands. The pass provides access to millions of acres of parks, wildlife areas, trails, natural areas and water-access sites. The annual pass is transferable between two vehicles.

• Annual pass: \$30

• One-day pass: \$10 (transaction and dealer fees may apply)

The Discover Pass can be purchased online, by phone or in person. For details, visit www.discoverpass.wa.gov or call (866) 320-9933.

Thank you for supporting Washington state recreation lands.



# Frequently **Asked Questions**

#### O: Do you have ORV Area information available online?

A: Yes. You can find maps and ORV Area information online at www.riversidestatepark.org

Q: What phone number can I call for more information?

A: Please call Riverside State Park at (509) 465-5064.

#### Q: When is the ORV area open?

A: 6:30 a.m. to dusk, May 1 through Sept. 30 8 a.m. to dusk, Oct. 1 through April 30

#### O: Is there a cost to ride in the ORV Area?

A: Yes. A one-day (\$10) or annual (\$30) Discover Pass is required as well as ORV permit tabs for operating any non-street-legal vehicle in the ORV Area. Current out-ofstate tabs are acceptable.

#### Q: What age can I ride alone in the ORV Area?

A: It is strongly recommended that riders under 16 years old or inexperienced riders be accompanied by an experienced rider 18 years of age or older.

#### Q: What rules govern me as I ride?

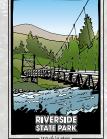
A: All Washington state laws, rules listed in this brochure and all posted signs in the ORV area.

### Q: Does the ORV Area have clear trail markings?

A: No. Users ride at their own risk. The Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission and Riverside State Park assume no liability for equipment damaged or injuries resulting from park use. Riders beware: If you don't know, don't go!

#### O: What are the boundaries for the ORV area?

A: A double-rail fence surrounds the entire ORV area. Do not ride outside of the fenced area.



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**State Parks information:** (360) 902-8840

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## **ORV** operating requirements

- ORV permit tabs are required for operating any non-street-legal vehicle in the ORV Area.
- A U.S. Forest Service approved spark arrestor is required and must be in working order. No modifications are permitted.
- ORVs are required to have an operating muffler device which is adequate and does not exceed noise standards of 105 decibels.
- ORV users are required to stay within the fenced boundaries.
- Only street-legal vehicles are permitted on Inland Road. ORVs can only be operated in designated areas.
- Riders must use Washington State Department of Transportation-approved helmet.

## Beginner's riding area rules

This area is intended for riders with a skill level of one year or less and small displacement ORV machines.

- Operators must maintain control of ORV at all times.
- Ride within your skill level.
- · Stay on designated trails.
- DOT approved helmets required.
- Adult supervision is required for operators under 12 years of age.

## Safety tips

- Wear your helmet and other protective gear.
- Be sure your ORV is in good operating condition.
- · Know your abilities and limitations.
- Be aware of other ORV users.
- When jumping hills, use spotters for your safety and the safety of others.
- · Ride safely.

#### Restrictions

To protect water quality and resources, crossing Deep Creek is prohibited when water is flowing, usually in the spring when winter runoff occurs. Crossing the creek causes soil erosion and sedimentation, which affects water quality downstream. Oil and other petroleum products from ORVs also affect water quality.

To ensure future use of this area for everyone's enjoyment, please obey posted signs.

### Things to remember

Please check the park bulletin board for general regulations.

- Alcohol is prohibited in parking lots and riding areas.
- Pets must be on a leash and under control at all times.
- No open fires are allowed.
- Place all litter in trash cans.

Help us conserve natural resources. State Parks encourages you to take your recyclables home with you or deposit them in the nearest recycling center. Not only will you help keep our parks beautiful, you will lower garbage collection costs, freeing dollars for maintenance and improvement projects.

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## **Directions to the park:**

From Spokane: Take I-90 to exit 280, turn north off the exit ramp on Maple Street, continue 1.9 miles. Turn left on Northwest Boulevard, continue 2.4 miles, and road name changes to Assembly Street, continue 1 mile. Turn left (NW) on Nine Mile Road (Hwy 291), continue 2.2 miles, turn left (west) on Seven Mile Road, continue 2.1 miles. Turn left (south) on Inland Road, continue .7 miles to staging area.

