

**City of St. Clair Shores**  
**Department of Parks & Recreation**  
**2016 GROUP PARK PERMIT**

Permission is hereby requested by (Applicant's Name) \_\_\_\_\_ to use

Veterans Memorial Park \_\_\_\_\_ Blossom Heath Park \_\_\_\_\_ Pavilion \_\_\_\_\_

On (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ (am/pm) to \_\_\_\_\_ (am/pm)

The group will consist of \_\_\_\_\_ total people

The number of picnic tables allotted for your group is \_\_\_\_\_. IF THE ALLOTTED NUMBER OF TABLES IS NOT SUFFICIENT FOR YOUR GROUP, **PLEASE BRING ADDITIONAL TABLES AND CHAIRS.**

**BEER AND/OR WINE IS \_\_\_\_\_ IS NOT \_\_\_\_\_ AUTHORIZED. BEER AND/OR WINE IS FOR CONSUMPTION ONLY. ALL OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE NOT ALLOWED. SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OF ANY KIND IS PROHIBITED.**

**INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**

I/We (Applicant's Name) \_\_\_\_\_ agree(s) to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of St. Clair Shores from any claim, demand, suit, loss, cost of expense, or any damage which may be asserted, claimed or recovered against or from the City of St. Clair Shores by reason of any damage to property, personal injury or bodily injury, including death, sustained by any person whomsoever and which damage, injury, or death arises out of or is incident to or in any way connected with the performance of this contract, and regardless of which claim, demand, damage, cost of expense is caused in whole or in part by the negligence of (Applicant's Name) \_\_\_\_\_, or by third parties, or by the agents, servants, employees of any of them.

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Application Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Group/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**In accordance with the Charter of the City of St. Clair Shores, 20.219 Standards for Issuance of a Group Park Permit, the applicant hereby declares that the above-named group/organization originates within the City of St. Clair Shores and that fifty (50%) percent of the persons attending the event are city residents. A roster of persons attending the event, including addresses, shall be attached to this application prior to issuance.**

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Greg R. Esler, Director of Parks & Recreation  
(586) 445-5350

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Parks & Recreation Department

**PRESENT THIS GROUP PARK PERMIT TO THE GATEKEEPER ON DUTY THE DAY OF YOUR PICNIC**

**PARK HOURS: SUNRISE TO SUNSET UNLESS OTHERWISE POSTED**

**PLEASE READ THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ON REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM**

**CITY OF ST. CLAIR SHORES**  
**GROUP PARK PERMIT RULES AND REGULATIONS**

The cost of a group park permit is \$75 and is required for group picnics of 20 or more people.

Group Park Permits are issued to:

1. St. Clair Shores residents for any picnic, outing or gathering sponsored by a resident composed of twenty (20) or more persons. Fifty (50%) percent of attendees must be residents of St. Clair Shores. Names & Addresses of attendees shall be attached to this application.
2. Groups, organizations or businesses must originate within the City of St. Clair Shores and fifty (50%) percent of the persons attending the event must be city residents. Roster of membership or employees shall be attached to this application.
3. Class reunions must be recognized as the gathering of a true graduating class of a local St. Clair Shores high school by the current principal in writing on high school stationery. A resident of St. Clair Shore must complete the permit application.
4. The pavilion rental is an additional fee and can be rented for holidays, special events and weekends only all group park permit rules apply.

Refunds will be issued for “rain out” day is a day on which there has been rain continuously. **Cancellation must occur within one week of the onset of picnic to receive a refund.** If a person/group desires, they may request a Group Park Permit for another day instead of receiving a refund.

Tables and/or specific areas of the park cannot be reserved. Use of such facilities is on a first-come, first-served basis. Due to the number of picnic tables available, a limit of one (1) table per every ten (10) people, or a maximum of ten (10) tables per group of one hundred (100) or more people has been set. We encourage you and other members of your group to bring in extra chairs and tables.

Use of tents and/or canopies and inflatable’s in the park is prohibited. Cooking fires shall be started and maintained only in a barbecue pit maintained by the Parks & Recreation Department or in a portable camp stove. Electrical service is not available.

The department hopes that persons and/or organizations using the park will exercise common courtesy and good judgment in sharing the parks and facilities. We ask that you follow all posted rules and cooperate with the gatekeepers. Everyone must comply with the City Ordinance regulating conduct in public parks – Chapter 67.

***The Parks & Recreation Director may revoke a permit upon a finding of a violation of any rule or ordinance, or upon the violation of any condition or restriction under which the permit was issued.***

***Permits are not transferable without the written consent of the Parks & Recreation Director.***

**NOTICE: In compliance with the American Disabilities Act – If you and/or someone in your group need special assistance, check here \_\_\_\_\_.**

**I have read and agree to the foregoing rules and regulations \_\_\_\_\_**