

**Ordinance 25-02252025** to amend section 951.02 Park Rules of the Village of Richwood to change camping fees and rules.

**WHEREAS**, the council determined that Section 951.02 of the Village of Richwood Ordinances needed to be amended and that the amendment will serve the Village of Richwood to change camping fees and rules; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Richwood council finds it in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the Village, its residents and guests of the Richwood Park to amend Richwood Village Ordinance 951.02 to update the Village of Richwood Park and Recreation rules,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the Village of Richwood, County of Union, State of Ohio that:

**SECTION 1.** Ordinance 951.02 The Village Council park rules Part 8, is hereby revised as follows:

camping fee from \$10.00 a night to \$25.00 a night.

a. Registration to be completed online at [www.richwoodohio.org](http://www.richwoodohio.org) or by contacting the village office at (740) 943-3315;

b. All persons over the age of 18 staying at campsite must be registered;

c. No one shall stay more than four (4) consecutive nights. If more than four (4) consecutive nights are requested, prior written approval must be received from the Village Administrator;

(d) Parties must allow five (5) days between stays (this applies to ALL persons registered in a previous stay).

**SECTION 6.** This Ordinance shall take effect on the earliest date permitted by law.


First Reading: February 24, 2025

Second Reading: March 10, 2025


Third Reading: March 24, 2025

Passed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025

Attest:



Clerk, Sarah Sellers



Mayor, Wm. Scott Jerew



Council President, Wm Reddy Brown

(a) Council shall adopt what shall be known as the Richwood Park Rules governing the use of the Park and may amend said Rules from time to time as Council deems necessary on its own motion or upon the recommendation of the Village Administrator. Copies of said Park Rules shall be available to the public upon request and shall be posted in each of the Park shelter houses.

(Ord. 951.02, amended Resolution 25-02252025 )

(b) Park Rules.

(1) No fishing license required.

(2) Lake is catch and release only - with exception of carp.

(3) Electric boat motors only.

A. All boats are subject to Ohio regulations under Ohio R.C. Ch. 1547.

(4) Fires in fireplaces and fire rings only.

(5) Swimming at the beach area only.

(6) No winter activities on the frozen lake.

(7) No motorized vehicles on the walking path.

(8) Camping in designated areas shall cost \$25.00 per night and occur only under the following conditions:

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D. Parties must allow five (5) days between stays (this applies to ALL persons registered in a previous stay).

(9) Do not feed water fowl.

All violators will be prosecuted under ordinance.