

**Department of Parks and Recreation
FY 2018 Regulatory Agenda**

1. Subject:
Reduced Recreation Center Membership Fees for People with Disabilities
 - a. Reason:
It has been brought to Parks' attention that the current Parks rule on reduced recreation center membership fees makes it difficult for individuals with cognitive disabilities to demonstrate that they qualify for the reduced fee.
 - b. Anticipated contents of the proposed rule:
The proposed rule will amend the list of documents that demonstrate that an individual qualifies for the reduced fee. The list of documents will include certification from the New York State Office of Mental Health or New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities that the individual is receiving or eligible to receive services from a program they license, certify, or fund.
 - c. Objectives of the proposed rule:
Make it easier for individuals with cognitive disabilities to avail themselves of the reduced recreation center membership fee for people with disabilities.
 - d. Legal basis:
Sections 389, 533(a)(9), and 1043 of the City Charter
 - e. Relevant federal, state, local laws and rules
§ 2-13 and § 2-14 of Title 56 of the Rules of the City of New York
 - f. Individuals and entities likely to be subject to the proposed rule:
The rule is intended to benefit individuals with cognitive disabilities.
 - g. Approximate schedule for adopting the proposed rule
First quarter of FY 2018
 - h. Agency Contact for Rulemaking:
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2. Subject:
Summer Day Camp Pool Permits
 - a. Reason:
The rules contain no guidance on the "Summer Day Camp Pool Permit" fee listed in Section 2-09 of the Parks rules and would like to provide information on the permitting process and requirements.
 - b. Anticipated contents of the proposed rule:
The proposed rule will include how and when applications for Summer Day Camp Pool Permits are accepted, a list of license and insurance documents that should be submitted with permit applications, and an outline of how permits will be allotted.
 - c. Objectives of the proposed rule:

Give permit applicants more information about Summer Day Camp Pool Permits before they apply for permits.

- d. Legal basis:
Sections 389, 533(a)(9), and 1043 of the City Charter
- e. Relevant federal, state, local laws and rules
Title 56, § 2-09 of the Rules of the City of New York (Parks permit fee table);
Title 10, Section 48.03 of the Rules of the City of New York (DOHMH rule defining summer day camps);
Title 10, Section 7-2.2 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations (NYS DOH rule defining summer day camps);
- f. Individuals and entities likely to be subject to the proposed rule:
The rule will provide information to summer camp operators who conduct programs in parks.
- g. Approximate schedule for adopting the proposed rule
First quarter of FY 2018
- h. Agency Contact for Rulemaking:
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