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Superintendent's Compendium
Of Designations, Closures, Permit
Requirements and Other Restrictions
Imposed Under Discretionary Authority.

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In accordance with regulations and the delegated authority provided in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations ("36 CFR"), Chapter 1, Parts 1-7, authorized by Title 54 United States Code, Section 100751, the following provisions apply to all lands and waters administered by the National Park Service, within the boundaries of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park unless otherwise stated, these regulatory provisions apply in addition to the requirements contained in 36 CFR, Chapter 1, Parts 1-7.

Written determinations, which explain the reasoning behind the Superintendent's use of discretionary authority, as required by Section 1.5(c), appear in this document identified by *italicized print*.

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I.36 CFR §1.5 – VISITING HOURS, PUBLIC USE LIMITS, CLOSURES, AND AREA DESIGNATIONS FOR SPECIFIC USE OR ACTIVITIES

(a)(1) The following visiting hours and public use limits are established for all or for the listed portions of the park, and the following closures are established for all or a portion of the park to all public use or to a certain use or activity:

Visiting Hours:

- All areas within the Fort Clatsop Unit are open daily only during the posted hours of 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM from Early September to late-June and 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM from late-June to Early September. All park areas are closed on December 25th.
- All areas within the Netul Landing unit are open daily only during the posted hours of 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM from Early September to late-June and 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM from late-June to Early September. All park areas are closed on December 25th.
- All areas within the Salt Works Unit are open sunrise to sunset year-round.
- All areas within the Yeon Unit are open sunrise to sunset year-round.
- The Fort to Sea Trail is open sunrise to sunset year-round. All park areas are closed on December 25th.
- The Middle Village/Station Camp Unit is open daily only during the posted hours of 9:00 AM - 5:30 PM. All park areas are closed on December 25th.
- All NPS owned areas within the Dismal Nitch Unit are open sunrise to sunset year-round.

Public Use Limits:

- In order to properly and efficiently manage large groups, a reservation system has been established for group tours year-round. All tour and educational groups are required to obtain a reservation on-line, by phone, or by writing the Group Reservation Coordinator, Lewis and Clark National Historical Park, Fort Clatsop Unit, 92343 Fort Clatsop Road, Astoria OR 97103.

Determining Factor: The areas receive a great deal of use and reservations are needed to reduce visitor conflict and impacts on the resources. The Visitor Center and Fort replica are in a small area and allowing more people in the building without a reservation would threaten public safety, the historical and cultural resources of the park, and the orderly management of the park.

- Willfully remaining, approaching, photographing, filming or video recording within 50 yards of bear, elk, cougar, or any other wildlife or nesting birds, or within any distance which disturbs or displaces wildlife or nesting birds is prohibited.

Determining Factors: These rules are necessary to protect people from wildlife and to keep wildlife from becoming habituated to human presence.

- Failing to remove one's self to the prescribed distances (50 yards) during inadvertent or casual encounters with wildlife is prohibited.

Determining Factors: These rules are necessary to protect people from wildlife and to keep wildlife from becoming habituated to human presence.

Closures:

- All areas of the Fort Clatsop Unit where NPS staff is working may be closed when necessary, for health and safety.

Determining Factors: These rules are necessary for visitor health and safety.

- The Canoe/Kayak "historic canoe landing" unit shall not be used to launch, retrieve or land any motorized or non-motorized vessel unless authorized by permit.

Determining Factors: These closures are in effect to maintain the historical significance of the landing and to provide visitors with the appropriate experience to be able to understand and comprehend the events that occurred in the park.

- Picnicking is not allowed within the Fort Replica.

Determining Factors: These closures are in effect to maintain the historical significance of the fort and to provide visitors with the appropriate experience to be able to understand and comprehend the events that occurred in the park.

- Launching, landing, or operating an unmanned aircraft from or on lands and waters administered by the National Park Service within the boundaries of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park is prohibited except as approved in writing by the superintendent.

Definition: The term "unmanned aircraft" means a device that is used or intended to be used for flight in the air without the possibility of direct human intervention from within or on the device, and the associated operational elements and components that are required for the pilot or system operator in command to operate or control the device (such as cameras, sensors, communication links). This term includes all types of devices that meet this definition (e.g., model airplanes, quad copters, drones) that are used for any purpose, including for recreation or commerce.

Determining Factors: The use of unmanned aircraft will adversely affect the park's natural, aesthetic, scenic and cultural values and impact the park's efforts to restore diverse ecosystems representative of the natural and cultural environment documented by the Lewis and Clark Expedition. In addition, unmanned aircraft may cause an intentional disturbance of wildlife nesting, breeding or other activities.

The use of motorized vehicles, to include scooters and ATVs are prohibited on all park trails.

Determining Factors: The use of motorized vehicles on established hiking trails will adversely affect the park's natural, aesthetic, scenic and cultural values and impact the park's efforts to restore diverse ecosystems representative of the natural and cultural environment documented by the Lewis and Clark Expedition. In addition, motor vehicles may cause an unintentional disturbance of wildlife nesting, breeding or other activities.

(a)(2) The following areas have been designated for a specific use or activity, under the conditions and/or restrictions as noted:

Parking:

Maintenance and repair of any vehicle except for emergencies is prohibited in all public use areas. No overnight parking is allowed in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park.

Determining Factors: Leaving property unattended in the park threatens public safety, the environmental and scenic values of the park, the natural and cultural resources of the park, and the orderly management of the park. Visitors seeking to leave property unattended within the park must obtain a permit from the Superintendent.

Fires:

Fires are not permitted unless under conditions of a Park Special Use Permit issued by the Superintendent.

Determining Factors: Fires may pose a threat to the replica fort, park facilities and surrounding private property.

Camping:

Camping is prohibited in all areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park unless under conditions of a Park Special Use Permit issued by the Superintendent.

Please refer to §2.10 for detailed camping area designations.

Determining Factors: Overnight camping within Lewis and Clark National Historical Park will adversely affect the park's natural, aesthetic, scenic and cultural values and impact the park's efforts to restore diverse ecosystems representative of the natural and cultural environment documented by the Lewis and Clark Expedition. In addition, camping may cause an unintentional disturbance of wildlife nesting, breeding or other activities.

Boat Launching Sites:

Netul Landing, non-motorized boats only.

Determining Factors: The use of motorized boats on established boat launches will adversely affect the park's natural, aesthetic, scenic and cultural values and impact the park's efforts to restore diverse ecosystems representative of the natural and cultural environment documented by the Lewis and Clark Expedition. In addition, motorized boats may cause an unintentional disturbance of wildlife nesting, breeding or other activities.

The following restrictions and/or conditions are in effect for the specific uses or activities noted:

Passenger Carrying Buses:

Engines must be shut down when not underway.

Determining Factors: The idling of bus engines adds unnecessary exhaust fumes to the air and the noise created diminishes the enjoyment by visitors of the peace and tranquility of the park.

Commercial Filming

The following types of filming activities may occur in areas open to the public without a permit and without advance notice to the NPS:

- Outdoor filming activities [outside of areas managed as wilderness] involving five persons or less and equipment that will be carried at all times, except for small tripods used to hold cameras.

The organizer of any other type of filming activity must provide written notice to the Superintendent at least 10 days prior to the start of the proposed activity. Based upon the information provided, the Superintendent may require the organizer to apply for and obtain a permit if necessary to:

- maintain public health and safety;
- protect environmental or scenic values;
- protect natural or cultural resources;
- allow for equitable allocation and use of facilities; or
- avoid conflict among visitor use activities.

If the Superintendent determines that the terms and conditions of a permit could not mitigate the concerns identified above in an acceptable manner, the Superintendent may deny a filming request without issuing a permit. The Superintendent will provide the basis for denial in writing upon request.

The NPS will consider requests and process permit applications in a timely manner. Processing times will vary depending on the complexity of the proposed activity. If the organizer provides the required 10 day advance notice to the NPS and has not received a written response from the NPS that a permit is required prior to the first day of production, the proposed filming activities may occur without a permit.

The following are prohibited:

1. Engaging in a filming activity without providing advance notice to the Superintendent when required.
2. Engaging in a filming activity without a permit if the activity takes place in areas managed as wilderness or if the Superintendent has notified the organizer in writing that a permit is required.
3. Violating a term and condition of a permit issued under this action.

Violating a term or condition of a permit issued under to this action may also result in the suspension and revocation of the permit by the Superintendent.

II.36 CFR §1.6 – ACTIVITIES THAT REQUIRE A PERMIT

(f) The following is a compilation of those activities for which a permit from the superintendent is required:

- §1.5(d) The following activities related to Public Use Limits:
 - Tour and Education Groups
- §2.4(d) Carry or possess a weapon, trap, or net
- §2.5(a) Specimen collection (Take plant, fish, wildlife, rocks or minerals)
- §2.10(a) The following camping activities:
 - All camping activities in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park require a permit from the Superintendent.
- §2.12 Audio Disturbances:
 - (a)(2) Operating a chain saw in developed areas
 - (a)(3) Operation of any type of portable motor or engine, or device powered by a portable motor or engine in non-developed areas
 - (a)(4) Operation of a public address system in connection with a public gathering or special event for which a permit has been issued pursuant to §2.50 or §2.51
- §2.17 Aircraft & Air Delivery:
 - (a)(3) Delivery or retrieval of a person or object by parachute, helicopter or other airborne means

- (c)(1) Removal of a downed aircraft
- §2.23(b) The following special recreation activities (per 36 CFR Part 71):
 - transporting of lawfully taken wildlife through the park
- §2.37 Soliciting or demanding gifts, money, goods or services (Pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit issued under §2.50, §2.51 or §2.52)
- §2.38 Explosives:
 - (a) Use, possess, store, transport explosives, blasting agents
 - (b) Use or possess fireworks
- §2.50(a) Conduct a sports event, pageant, regatta, public spectator attraction, entertainment, ceremony, and similar events
- §2.51(a) Public assemblies, meetings, gatherings, demonstrations, parades and other public expressions of views
- §2.52(c) Sale or distribution of printed matter that is not solely commercial advertising
- §2.60(b) Livestock use
- §2.61(a) Residing on federal lands
- §2.62 Memorialization:
 - (a) Erection of monuments (Requires approval from Director)
 - (b) Scattering ashes from human cremation
- §3.3 Use of a vessel
- §4.11(a) Exceeding established vehicle load, weight and size limits
- §5.1 Advertisements - (Display, posting or distribution.)
- §5.2(b) Sale of intoxicants on private lands.
- §5.3 Engaging in or soliciting any business (Requires a permit, contract or other written agreement with the United States, or must be pursuant to special regulations).
- §5.5 Commercial Photography/Filming:
 - (a) Commercial filming of motion pictures or television involving the use of professional casts, settings or crews, other than bona fide newsreel or news television
 - (b) Still photography of vehicles, or other articles of commerce or models for the purpose of commercial advertising.
- §5.6(c) Use of commercial vehicles on park area roads (The superintendent shall issue a permit to access private lands within or adjacent to the park when access is otherwise not available)
- §5.7 Construction of buildings, facilities, trails, roads, boat docks, path, structure, etc.
- §6.9(a) Operation of a solid waste disposal site

III. GENERAL REGULATIONS

36 CFR §2.1 – PRESERVATION OF NATURAL, CULTURAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

- **(a)(1)(ii) The following are prohibited- Possessing, injuring, defacing, removing, digging, or disturbing from its natural state, plants or the parts or products thereof**
 - Plants thinned or harvested out of the park ethnobotanical garden by park staff and volunteers as part of the garden management plan may be possessed and transferred to outside groups and individuals in the interest of spreading cultivation of native plants, or for educational purposes demonstrating traditional uses. These plants are part of a planted ethnobotanical garden. Collection or possession of native plants from the natural environment is prohibited except where authorized by (c)(1) and (c)(2) below.
- **(a)(4) Dead wood on the ground may not be collected for personal or commercial use.**
- **(a)(5) The following conditions are in effect for walking, climbing, entering, ascending or traversing the listed archeological or cultural resource, monuments or statues:**
 - Visitors are to remain on established trails within the Middle Village/Station Camp unit of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park
 - Visitors are to remain on the established trail and boardwalks along the Netul River within the Fort Clatsop unit of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park
 - Visitors are to remain on established trails within 1,000 feet of the Fort Clatsop replica.
 - Climbing the replica of Fort Clatsop is prohibited
 - Climbing the Sacajawea Statue is prohibited
 - Climbing on the Arrival Statue is Prohibited

Determining Factors: going off trail, and climbing statues and structures within Lewis and Clark National Historical Park will adversely affect the park's natural, aesthetic, scenic and cultural values and impact the park's efforts to restore diverse ecosystems representative of the natural and cultural environment documented by the Lewis and Clark Expedition. In addition, these actions may cause an unintentional disturbance of wildlife nesting, breeding or other activities.

- **(c)(1), (c)(2) The following fruits, berries, fungi or mushrooms may be gathered by hand for personal use or consumption, in accordance with the noted size, quantity, collection sites and/or use or consumption restrictions:**
 - Small amounts of edible fruits and berries (Oregon grape, salal, salmonberries, thimbleberries, wild blackberries, evergreen and red huckleberries, and blue huckleberries) may be gathered by hand for personal use and on-site consumption. Limit is one pint (16 ounces) per person per day. Gathering for sale or commercial use is prohibited.
 - Collection of fungi, including mushrooms and shelf fungi may be gathered by hand for personal use and on-site consumption. Limit is one pint per person per day. Gathering for sale or commercial use is prohibited.
 - Exotic species (non-native blackberries) are exempt from the daily possession limit.

Determining Factors: Limited consumption of these resources does not adversely affect the reproduction of either plants or the wildlife food source. If future monitoring indicates that such gathering or consumption is likely to cause adverse effects to park resources, then the authorization of this consumptive use will be terminated. Use of these items for any purpose other than personal consumption is specifically prohibited.

36 CFR §2.2 – WILDLIFE PROTECTION

- **(a) The transporting of lawfully taken wildlife through the park is permitted under the following conditions and procedure.**
 - Wildlife taken legally outside Lewis and Clark National Historical Park may be transported through the park **on Fort Clatsop Road only, in a Vehicle**; Stopping while enroute is prohibited except for emergencies.
 - Hunters accessing adjacent lands and boundaries outside the Park via Park land may not transport legally taken wildlife back through the park except as noted above.
- **(b) The following areas are closed to the viewing of wildlife with the use of an artificial light:**
 - The use of artificial light for purposes of viewing wildlife is prohibited in all areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park

36 CFR §2.3 – FISHING

(a) State fishing laws and/or regulations apply in all areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park

36 CFR §2.5 – RESEARCH SPECIMENS

(a) Taking plants, fish, wildlife, rocks or minerals is prohibited except in accordance with other regulations of Chapter I of 36 CFR or pursuant to the terms and conditions of a specimen collection permit.

36 CFR §2.11 – PICNICKING

- Certain areas have been closed to picnicking and are listed in section 1.5(a)(1) “Closures”.

36 CFR §2.12 – AUDIO DISTURBANCES

- **(a)(1) Operating a power saw in developed areas is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.**

- **(a)(2) Operating any type of portable motor or engine, or device powered by a portable motor or engine in non-developed areas is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.**
- **(a)(3) Operating a public address system is prohibited, except in connection with a public gathering or special event for which a permit has been issued pursuant to §2.50 or §2.51.**

36 CFR §2.13 – FIRES

(a)(1) The lighting or maintaining of fires is generally prohibited, except as provided for in the following designated areas and/or receptacles, and under the conditions noted:

Established Conditions for Fires:

- Fires are prohibited in all areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park except those fires started and maintained by staff for interpretive, maintenance or resource management purposes. Fires may be permitted in designated areas or receptacles under conditions of Park Special Use Permit by the Superintendent.

36 CFR §2.14 – SANITATION and REFUSE

- **(a)(1) The use of government refuse receptacles or facilities for dumping household, commercial or industrial refuse, brought as such from private or municipal property is allowed under the following conditions:**
 - The use of government refuse receptacles for dumping household, commercial or industrial refuse is not allowed.
- **(a)(2) Bathing or washing food, clothing, dishes, or other property at public water outlets, fixtures, or pools is prohibited.**
- **(a)(3) Disposing of fish remains on land or in waters within 200 feet of boat docks or designated swimming beaches or within developed areas is prohibited.**
- **(a)(4) In developed areas, the disposal of human body waste is prohibited.**
- **(a)(5) In non-developed areas, the disposal of human body waste within 10 feet of a water source, high water mark of a body of water, or within sight of a trail is prohibited.**

36 CFR §2.15 – PETS

- **(a)(1) The following structures and/or areas are closed to the possession of pets:**

- Service animals are not subject to the park's pet policies and, when accompanying an individual with a disability, they are allowed wherever visitors are allowed. A service animal means any dog or miniature horse that is individually trained to do work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability, including a physical, sensory, psychiatric, intellectual or other mental disability.
- Pets are prohibited inside all public buildings of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park to include, the Fort replica rooms, the Visitor Center (carpeted areas beyond the restroom foyer) and the Yeon House, except for service animals as defined above and dogs who are working as volunteers to the NPS.
- **(a)(2) Pets must be physically restrained at all times such as by use of a leash no more than six (6) feet in length.**
- **(a)(3) Leaving a pet unattended and or tied to an object is prohibited.**
- **(a)(4) Pet excrement must be disposed of in accordance with the following conditions:**
 - Pet waste must be disposed of by placing the waste in a plastic bag and depositing it in a trash receptacle.

36 CFR §2.16 – HORSES AND PACK ANIMALS

- **(b) Horses are prohibited on all park trails except the portion of the Fort to Sea Trail running from the Trailhead on Fort Clatsop Road to the Overlook. Horses are prohibited in all areas closed to motorized vehicles unless authorized by permit.**
- **(d) Free-trailing or loose-herding of horses or pack animals on trails is prohibited.**

36 CFR §2.17 – AIRCRAFT and AIR DELIVERY

(c)(1) The removal of a downed aircraft, components, or parts thereof is subject to procedures established by the Superintendent through written authorization.

36 CFR §2.20 – SKATING, SKATEBOARDS and SIMILAR DEVICES

- The use of roller skates, skateboards, roller skis, coasting vehicles, or similar devices are not allowed in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park.

36 CFR §2.21 – SMOKING

- **The following portions of the park, or all or portions of buildings, structures or facilities are closed to smoking as noted:**
 - All government buildings, including the visitor center
 - Trails during fire season as declared by the Oregon Department of Forestry

- Fort Replica
- Netul Landing during fire season as declared by the Oregon Department of Forestry
- Within 500 feet of any fuel storage dispensing facility
- Within 500 feet of any black powder storage facility
- Within the Middle Village unit of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park
- Within the Yeon unit during fire season as declared by the Oregon Department of Forestry

Determining Factors: Smoking is prohibited in all National Park Service owned or administered buildings, structures, vehicles and park trails within Fort Clatsop Unit, except in employee housing units or in areas reserved exclusively for and designated as smoking areas by the Superintendent. During periods of extreme fire danger, additional restrictions may be imposed.

(Smoking includes cigarettes, cigars, pipes, e-cigarettes)

36 CFR §2.22 – PROPERTY

- **(a)(2) Property may be left unattended for periods longer than 24 hours in the following areas and under the following conditions:**
 - Geocaching is allowed in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park with approval from the Superintendent

36 CFR §2.23 – RECREATION FEES

(b) Recreation fees, and/or a permit, in accordance with 36 CFR part 71, are established for the following entrance fee areas, and/or for the use of the following specialized sites, facilities, equipment or services, or for participation in the following group activities, recreation events or specialized recreation uses:

Entrance Fee Areas:

- An entrance fee is required for all areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park (except restrooms, Lewis and Clark National Park Association Bookstore)
- The entrance fee is \$10.00 for adults (16 and older) and youth (15 and under) are free. All entrance fees will be paid at the visitor center.
- Free admission is granted to the following:
 - Tour groups including commercial (with some exceptions) are the same as above.
 - Visitors and/or carloads with the Oregon Pacific Coast Annual or 5-day pass, Federal Interagency Annual Pass, Senior Pass, Military Pass and Access Pass.
 - Eligible groups that have obtained a fee waiver approved by the Superintendent.
 - Those with the Superintendent's approval.

36 CFR §2.35 –ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES and CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

(a)(3)(i) The following public use areas, portions of public use areas, and/or public facilities within the park are closed to consumption of alcoholic beverages, and/or to the possession of

a bottle, can or other receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage that is open, or has been opened, or whose seal has been broken or the contents of which have been partially removed:

- *All areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park are closed to consumption of alcoholic beverages except those special events designated by the Superintendent.*

Determining factors: Consumption of alcohol was deemed an inappropriate activity considering the other uses of these sites. Aberrant behavior related to the consumption of alcoholic beverages is of such magnitude that diligent supervision would be required. It is not possible to supervise the public on a constant basis in these areas; therefore the consumption of alcohol is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.37 – NONCOMMERCIAL SOLICITING

Soliciting or demanding gifts, money, goods or services is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions or a permit that has been issued under §2.50, §2.51, or §2.52.

36 CFR §2.38 – EXPLOSIVES

- **(a) Using, possessing, storing, or transporting explosives, blasting agents or explosive materials is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.**
- **(b) Using, or possessing fireworks and firecrackers is prohibited.**

36 CFR §2.50 – SPECIAL EVENTS

(a) Sports events, pageants, regattas, public spectator attractions, entertainments, ceremonies, and similar events are allowed, provided there is a meaningful association between the park area and the events, and the observance contributes to visitor understanding of the significance of the park area, and a permit therefore has been issued by the superintendent.

36 CFR §2.51 -- DEMONSTRATIONS

- **(b) Demonstrations of more than 25 people are allowed within park areas designated as available under paragraph (c)(2) when the superintendent has issued a permit for the activity.**
- **(c)(2) The following locations are designated as available for demonstrations**
 - *The sidewalk near the bus loading in front of the Visitor center*
 - *The bus shelter at Netul Landing*
 - *The sidewalk just off the parking lot at Middle Village*

NOTE: Pursuant to §2.51(c)(2) the superintendent must designate on a map, which must be available in the office of the superintendent and by public notice, the locations designated as available for demonstrations and the sale or distribution of printed matter.

36 CFR §2.52 -- SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF PRINTED MATTER

(a) The sale or distribution of printed matter by more than 25 persons is allowed within park areas designated as available under §2.51(c)(2) (see above) when the superintendent has issued a permit.

36 CFR §2.60 – LIVESTOCK USE AND AGRICULTURE

(a) Livestock are generally prohibited in any park area. They are only permitted in park areas pursuant to the exceptions provided for in §2.60(a) and only pursuant to the terms and conditions of a license, permit, or lease.

36 CFR §2.61 – RESIDING ON FEDERAL LANDS

(a) Residing in park areas, other than on privately owned lands, is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit lease or contract.

36 CFR §2.62 – MEMORIALIZATION

(a) The installation of a monument, memorial, tablet, structure, or other commemorative installation in a park area without the authorization of the Director is prohibited.

(b) A permit is required for the scattering of ashes from cremated human remains.

36 CFR §3.3 – VESSEL PERMITS

Permits are required for the use of a vessel in the following areas:

- Launching or landing watercraft at the Fort Clatsop Unit "Historic Canoe Landing" site is prohibited unless authorized by permit.
- Launching or landing watercraft in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park, other than at the Netul Landing Canoe/Kayak Launch, is prohibited unless authorized by permit.

36 CFR §3.6 – BOATING OPERATIONS

(l) Vessels must meet the following size, length or width restrictions:

- Hand carried and non-motorized

36 CFR §3.21 – SWIMMING AND BATHING

(a)(1) The following areas are closed to swimming and bathing:

- All areas of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park are closed to swimming and bathing.

36 CFR §4.10 – TRAVEL ON PARK ROADS AND ROUTES

(a) Park roads, open for travel by motor vehicle are those indicated below.

- Fort Clatsop Road

36 CFR §4.11 – VEHICLE LOAD, WEIGHT AND SIZE LIMITS

(a) State and county load, weight and size limits apply to roads indicated below.

- Fort Clatsop Road

36 CFR §4.21 – SPEED LIMITS

(b) The following speed limits are established for the routes/roads indicated:

- 35 mph speed limit will be observed on all roads within Lewis and Clark National Historical Park.
- 15 mph speed limit will be observed in all parking areas within Lewis and Clark National Historical Park.

36 CFR §4.30 – BICYCLES

(a) The use of bicycles (including "mountain bikes" and e-bikes) are prohibited on all park trails except the portion of the Fort to Sea trail running from the Trailhead on Fort Clatsop Road to the Overlook and Perkins Administrative Road that links the Fort to Sea Trail to the public road. Bicycles are prohibited in all areas closed to motorized vehicles unless authorized by permit.

(f) The speed limit for bicycles is 15 mph except that bicycles shall not exceed 5 mph on any blind curve.

Determining factors: The use of non-designated trails by bicycles would unnecessarily impact park resources and the enjoyment of the Park by other visitors. Speed limits are designed to protect the health and safety of bicyclists and e-bicyclists and other visitors in areas of high visitation or with limited visibility.

(i) E-bikes are allowed in Lewis and Clark National Historical Park where traditional bicycles are allowed. E-bikes are prohibited where traditional bicycles are prohibited.

- The term "e-bike" means a two- or three-wheeled cycle with fully operable pedals and an electric motor of less than 750 watts (1 h.p.).
- Except where use of motor vehicles by the public is allowed, using the electric motor to move an e-bike without pedaling is prohibited.
- A person operating an e-bike is subject to the following sections of 36 CFR part 4 that apply to the use of traditional bicycles: sections 4.12, 4.13, 4.20, 4.21, 4.22, 4.23, and 4.30(h)(2)-(5).
- Except as specified in this Compendium, the use of an e-bike within Lewis and Clark National Historical Park is governed by State law, which is adopted and made a part of this Compendium. Any violation of State law adopted by this paragraph is prohibited.

Determining factors: On September 17, 2021, the Park re-considered e-bike use on the Fort to Sea Trail and Perkins Administrative Road and determined continued e-bikes use is appropriate based on minimal occurrences, the ability to maintain safety considerations and that no wildlife or park resources are impacted.

36 CFR §5.1 – ADVERTISEMENTS

Commercial notices or advertisements shall not be displayed, posted, or distributed on federally owned or controlled lands within a park area unless prior written permission has been given by the Superintendent.

36 CFR §5.3 – BUSINESS OPERATIONS

Engaging in or soliciting any business in park areas, except in accordance with the provisions of a permit, contract, or other written agreement with the United States, except as such may be specifically authorized under special regulations applicable to a park area, is prohibited.

36 CFR §5.5 – COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHY

- **Before any motion picture may be filmed or any television production or sound track may be made by any person other than bona fide newsreel or news television personnel, written permission must first be obtained from the Superintendent.**
- **(b) Taking photographs of any vehicle or other articles of commerce or models for the purpose of commercial advertising without a written permit from the Superintendent is prohibited.**

36 CFR §5.6 – COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

(b) & (c) Using commercial vehicles on government roads within park areas when such use is in no way connected with the operation of the park is generally prohibited, and requires permission or a permit from the Superintendent with the following exception.

- **Commercial vehicles are allowed on Fort Clatsop Road**

36 CFR §5.7 – CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS OR OTHER FACILITIES

Such activities are prohibited, except in accordance with the provisions of a valid permit, contract, or other written agreement with the United States.

36 CFR §5.1 – EATING, DRINKING, OR LODGING ESTABLISHMENTS

(a) In certain parks, establishments offering food, drink, or lodging for sale on privately owned lands may only be operated with a permit from the Superintendent. See §5.10 for more information.

36 CFR §§6.4, 6.5, 6.8, 6.9 – WASTE DISPOSAL SITES

A person proposing to operate a solid waste disposal site must submit a request for a permit to the Superintendent for review by the Regional Director.