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Fitzgerald Announces Launch of Online Booking for Park Shelters & Facilities

PITTSBURGH – Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald today announced the launch of online booking for shelters and facilities in all nine county parks starting on Monday, December 7. This marks a major procedural change for the Allegheny County Parks Department, which currently requires individuals to rent shelters and facilities in person at park offices.

“The move to online park rentals is our latest step to improve the county’s technological capabilities and increase convenience for park users,” said Fitzgerald. “Residents and visitors will no longer have to stand in line at a park office in order to rent a shelter or facility. Starting December 7, park users will be able to view the availability of a shelter or facility and immediately book online at any time of the day or night.”

Park rentals may be booked online starting at 12:00 midnight one year in advance of the desired date. For example, a facility may be booked starting at midnight on December 7, 2015, for use on December 7, 2016. The parks department encourages users to get ready for online booking by creating an account today at www.alleghenycounty.us/parkrentals. The same account may be used to purchase park seasons passes and to register for park programs and activities. There is no additional fee for any online transactions.

Individuals may continue to rent shelters and facilities in person at park offices up to one year in advance, subject to availability, during normal business hours:

- [Boyce Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Deer Lakes Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Downtown Administration Office](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Harrison Hills Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Hartwood Acres Mansion](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [North Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Round Hill Park Visitors Center](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [Settlers Cabin Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [South Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- [White Oak Park Administration Building](#) – Monday-Friday, 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Nonprofit groups must register at a park office prior to booking to receive discounted rentals. Call 412-350-2455 or visit a park office for details.

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