Pack Overnighter Site Approval Form

This site approval form is to be used by the BSA council to evaluate local pack overnight family camping locations. It should be kept on file in the council office for local unit use and periodically reviewed for accuracy.

Site: ________________________________________________________ Phone: _________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________________________________________

Site contact: _______________________________________________ Title: ___________________________________

Site managed by (check one): City _____  County _____  State _____  Federal _____  Private _____  BSA _____

Mandatory Standards

Meets Standard

1. The camping site is clean and safe from hazards. _____   No
2. The site is not located near any natural or manmade hazards. _____   No
3. Facilities are available for the proper and sanitary disposal of garbage, with vermin-proof receptacles. These facilities are serviced regularly by the managing agency. _____   No
4. Drinking water from an approved source is provided at convenient locations and is readily accessible. _____   No
5. Emergency assistance is available 24 hours a day. _____   No
6. A public telephone is available within a reasonable distance. _____   No
7. If fires are permitted, adequate and safe equipment is provided for cooking and recreational fires. _____   No
8. Each family site is within 300 feet of a sanitary toilet facility. _____   No
9. Any individual site hook-ups provided for electricity, water, or sewer meet all appropriate local and state health codes. _____   No
10. If swimming is available, it is limited to facilities that meet state health standards. BSA safety guidelines for aquatics are followed. _____   No
11. Adequate shelter is available for program activities during inclement weather. _____   No

Site Amenities (optional)

12. Campsites are available for tents. _____   No
13. Campsites are available for recreational vehicles. _____   No
14. Clean and warm showers are available for all campers. _____   No
15. Sufficient picnic tables are available. _____   No
16. An open area is available for group games and other recreational activities. _____   No
17. Well-marked and easy-to-follow trails are available. _____   No
18. Playground equipment is available and in good repair. _____   No
19. Recreational equipment is available for packs to check out. _____   No

Additional Opportunities

List any items of interest, historical sites, etc., in or near the vicinity of campsites. ______________________________
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Site inspected by: ___________________________________________ Date: _________________________________

Site approved by: _________________________________________  Date: _________________________________

Council contact: _____________________________________________ Phone: _________________________________

Site approval expires (date): __________________. (This is two years from the date of inspection.)