New York City Region

PARK USE PERMIT

Indicate State Park Requested(x)

Clay Pit Ponds______ Empire-Fulton Ferry__________ Roberto Clemente__________
Gantry Plaza_________ East River__________ Denny Farrell Riverbank__________

APPLICANT:
Print Name
E-mail Address
Telephone Number

Address           City           State           Zip Code

Organization/Sponsor
E-mail Address
Telephone Number

Type of Organization: (Check one) __Government  __Non-Profit  __Social  __Commercial  __Other (Specify type)

Event Coordinator
(Area Code) Business Phone
(Area Code) Home Phone

DATES REQUESTED
Set Up
EVENT TIME
Clean Up

Date(s) of Event ____________ From____To______
From____To______

Type of Event (Please check) __Meeting  __Sports Competition  __Outing  __Special Event  __Other

Describe planned event in detail (Attach additional sheet if necessary)

Will event be advertised? Yes/No
How? ____________________________
When? ____________________________

Will vehicles be required to enter Park? Yes/No
Number? _________
Will use of electrical energy required? _________

Specify equipment you will bring to be used during event ______________________________

List previous events held at State Parks’ facilities by your organization: ______________________________

PARK AREAS REQUESTED: __Swimming Pool  __Gymnasium  __Outside Entertainment Area  __Meeting Room
__Picnic Area  __Lawn Areas  __Rink  __Cultural Building  __Other

Specify Other Area(s): ______________________________

Anticipated Number of: (Breakdown below) Participants _________ Spectators _________
Children (under 13)______ Teen (13-17)______ Adults (18-54)______ Senior Citizens (55 & over) ________ Handicapped____

Special Request: ______________________________

I have read all the terms and conditions contained on both sides of the application and agree to comply with them. I understand that my organization and/or I will be held responsible for the terms and conditions of this permit.

Authorized Signature: ____________________________ Date: __________

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Date Received: ____________________________

Granted: Yes/No  Reason Denied: ____________________________

Insurance: Yes/No $___________ Bond: Yes/No $___________

Park/OT Fee Yes/No $___________

Park Representative’s Signature: ____________________________
Title: ____________________________ Date: __________

Regional/Assistant Regional Director: ____________________________
Title: ____________________________ Date: __________
PARK TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The permit does not become effective until approved by the park facility and, if necessary, the Regional Office.

2. The Permit authorizes only those activities specified and only during the hours and times approved.

3. During the planning stages of the event, NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation may alter or add terms and conditions if and as necessary.

4. If the Permit is granted, the Permittee shall be subject to the Rules and Regulations of the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation and to all regulations, ordinances, and laws of all other City, State, and Federal Departments insofar as they may apply to the specific terms of the Permit. The Permittee must have the Permit in their possession on the day and site of the event. The Permit shall be shown to any official of the Agency upon request. The Agency shall have the right to have staff present during the event.

5. NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation reserves the right to cancel any activities. The Permit, if granted, is not transferable and is revocable at any time at the absolute discretion of the Regional Director, or designee.

6. NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation reserves the right to close the Park or facility, including the Permit area, in times of emergencies or for safety reasons.

7. The Permittee is responsible for the conduct of its participants. The Permittee is also responsible for cleaning and restoring the area after the event. The Permittee will be required to post bond(s) in order to insure that the Permittee has cleaned and restored the area after the special event. The cost of any State Parks employee overtime incurred because of this event will be borne by the Permittee. This cost may be paid in advance or deducted from the posted bond.

8. The Park will remain open to the public during park hours.

9. The approved activities shall not interfere with the use of park facilities by the public.

10. The sale of refreshment, foodstuffs or other items by the Permittee or agents of the Permittee is not permitted. No caterer or vendor may enter park property without an appropriate permit issued by the Regional Office. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed into the park.

11. The Permittee agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation, its officers, agents and employees, from all suits arising from the operation of this Permit, or as a result of the consequences of any act, omission, neglect or misconduct on the part of anyone associated with the Permittee on this event.

12. If insurance is required, the Permittee shall obtain such insurance protecting the State of New York as shall be required under the Permit. The Certificates of Insurance must designate the State of New York and the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation as additional named insured.

13. All Bonds and Insurance Certificates must be posted one week prior to the event.

14. It is prohibited to post, place, distribute, display, or dispense by any other means pamphlets, handbills, signs or advertising material of any kind within any park or any park street without first obtaining a permit.

15. It is prohibited to solicit funds or to collect contributions within park area.

16. The New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation shall not be responsible for providing any utility or service, including but not limited to gas, electricity, restrooms, etc., more than that which is already available and can be provided without detriment to the Agency’s operations.

17. Amplification of sound requires a permit issued by the New York City Police Department.

18. State Parks’ music and sound regulations also apply and must be adhered to. The appropriate sound/decibel level shall be at the sole discretion of State Parks.

19. Mail the completed application(s), along with the non-refundable application fee, to:

Denny Farrell Riverbank State Park
Attn: Permit Dept
679 Riverside Drive @ 145th St.
New York, NY 10031