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Recommended Camping Management Byelaws and Management Zone Maps



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RECOMMENDED CAMPING MANAGEMENT BYELAWS AND ZONE MAPS

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Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Camping Management Byelaws

General

The Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority, constituted under the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 and the Loch Lomond and The Trossachs National Park Authority Designation, Transitional and Consequential Provisions (Scotland) Order 2002, and having its principal offices at Carrochan, Carrochan Road, Balloch, G83 8EG ("the Authority"), in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Paragraph 8 of Schedule 2 to the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 hereby makes the following byelaws:

Citation and Application

- (1) These byelaws may be cited as The Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Camping Management Byelaws.
- (2) These byelaws shall apply between the dates of 1 March and 31 October in each calendar year (both dates inclusive) to the following areas within the Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park ("the Park") (any such areas hereinafter referred to as "Management Zones"):
 - (a) the area delineated in orange on plan 1 annexed hereto;
 - (b) the area delineated in pink on plan 2 annexed hereto;
 - (c) the area delineated in purple on plan 3 annexed hereto;
 - (d) the area delineated in green on plan 4 annexed hereto;
- (3) Where the boundary of a **Management Zone** is a river or other body of water, the boundary shall be the **shoreline** of such river or other body of water and shall include the whole of any piers, jetties, pontoons, bridges or dams extending therefrom.
- (4) Where the boundary of a **Management Zone** is a wall, fence, hedge or other such enclosure it shall be regarded as lying within the **Management Zone**, as the case may be.

Definitions and Interpretations

- (5) In these byelaws, the following words, phrases and expressions are printed in bold wherever they appear and they have the interpretation and meaning hereby assigned to them, respectively:
 - (a) "connected person": means (i) in the case of a landowner or a tenant who is an individual, the landowner's or the tenant's parents, spouse or children; and (ii) in the case of a landowner or a tenant which is a body corporate or unincorporated body, any individual who has the power to control the affairs of that body, by whatever means;
 - (b) "landowner" means the owner of any land within a **Management Zone**;
 - (c) "overnight" means the period from 7pm to 7am (or any part thereof) on any day;
 - (d) "public road" means: (i) a road or any part thereof which a **roads authority** has a duty to maintain; (ii) a layby bounded partly by the outer edge of any such road; or (iii) any public car park provided by or on behalf of a **roads authority**;
 - (e) "roads authority" means a council in terms of section 2 of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994 or the Scotlish Ministers;
 - (f) "shoreline" means the point at which a river or other body of water immediately adjoins land within a **Management Zone**;
 - (g) "tenant" means the tenant of any land within a **Management Zone** leased or let to such tenant under a lease of one year or more;
 - (h) "vehicle" means a mechanically-propelled vehicle or a vehicle designed or adapted for towing by a mechanically-propelled vehicle;
 - (i) "wood" includes any tree or part thereof, any log, sawn wood, and any other item consisting or constituted wholly or mainly of wood.

Any references in these byelaws to any gender shall be deemed to include a reference to all genders. Any words following the terms "including" and "include" or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words, description, definition, phrase or term preceding those terms. Any reference in these byelaws to the singular shall be deemed to include the plural and vice versa. A reference to a statute, statutory provision or subordinated legislation is a reference to it as it is in force for the time being taking account of any amendment, extension, application or re-enactment and includes any subordinate legislation for the time being in force made under it and any former statute or statutory provision which it amends or re-enacts.

Unauthorised Camping

- (6) No person shall:
 - (a) set up, use or occupy a tent, wigwam or bivouac; or
 - (b) set up, use or occupy **overnight** a form of shelter (other than an umbrella) within a **Management Zone** unless they have been authorised to do so by the Authority under byelaw 12.
- (7) No person shall sleep overnight in a stationary **vehicle** within a **Management Zone** unless:
 - (a) they have been authorised to do so by the Authority under byelaw 12; or
 - (b) the **vehicle** is on a **public road** and such activity is not prohibited by the relevant **roads** authority.
- (8) A new offence under byelaw 6 or byelaw 7 is deemed to have been committed for each period of 24 hours during which any activity listed in byelaw 6 or byelaw 7 takes place in a **Management Zone**, or any person or **vehicle** remains in, or returns to, a **Management Zone** in contravention of byelaw 6 or byelaw 7.

Fires

- (9) No person shall without lawful authority:
 - (a) light or cause a fire within a **Management Zone** causing damage or likely to cause damage to a **Management Zone**; or
 - (b) collect or use **wood** from within a **Management Zone** that causes damage or is likely to cause damage to a **Management Zone**.

Provision of Details

(10) It shall be an offence under these byelaws for any person to refuse to provide their correct full name, date and place of birth, address and the registration of any vehicle to an officer of the Authority, a police officer or any other person authorised in writing by the Authority who has reasonable grounds for believing that such person has committed an offence under these byelaws.

Exemptions and Authorisations

- (11) These byelaws shall not apply to areas within **Management Zones** which have been exempted from the application of any provision of these byelaws by the Authority from time to time.
- (12) The Authority may authorise any person, group or organisation to undertake or provide facilities for undertaking any activity within a **Management Zone** which would otherwise be prohibited by byelaw 6 or byelaw 7 provided that such person, group or organisation has made a prior application in writing to the Authority and has been authorised to undertake such activity within that **Management Zone** by the Authority. Any such authorisation so granted by the Authority shall be in writing and shall specify the duration of and the terms and conditions which apply to such authorisation as the Authority may in its sole discretion consider appropriate from time to time. It shall be an offence under these byelaws to contravene any such terms or conditions specified by the Authority. The Authority may revoke any such authorisation so granted at any time if such person, organisation or group contravenes the terms or conditions subject to which the authorisation has been granted by the Authority. Any authorisation granted under this byelaw 12 shall not remove the requirement to obtain separately the approval of any **landowner**, where required.
- (13) These byelaws shall not apply to any: **landowner**; **tenant**; or **connected person** authorised by the relevant **landowner** or **tenant** using land within a **Management Zone** owned or leased by such **landowner** or **tenant** for any of the activities listed in these byelaws.

Removal from a Management Zone

(14) A person shall leave a **Management Zone**, together with their **vehicle** (if required) after having been requested to do so either by an officer of the Authority, a police officer or any other person authorised in writing by the Authority having reasonable grounds for believing that such person has committed an offence under these byelaws.

Penalties and Offences

- (15) No person shall obstruct an officer of the Authority or any other person authorised in writing by the Authority in the proper execution of their duties.
- (16) Any person who contravenes any of the foregoing byelaws shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding Level 2 on the Standard Scale in respect of each offence.

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Zone Maps

General Mapping Disclaimers

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