

# User Fees

Mount Rainier  
National Park

## Entrance Fees

- \$10.00 per vehicle - good for 7 days
- \$ 5.00 per person - pedestrian, bicyclists or bus passengers
- \$ 20.00 Annual Vehicle Permit
- \$ 50.00 Golden Eagle Permit - good at any national park for 12 months from date of purchase
- \$ 10.00 Golden Age Passport - a one-time fee. 62 years or older life time pass
- Golden Access Passport - free to persons with permanent disability

## Auto Campground Fees

- \$10.00 per night for Sunshine Point, Cougar Rock & White River
- \$12.00 per night for Ohanapecosh
- \$ 3.00 per person / per night for group campsites
- \$ 5.00 for extra vehicle per night

## Mountain Climbing Fees

- \$ 15.00 per climb, per person
- \$ 25.00 annual climbing permit



# Why Fees?

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## **We need your support !**

Welcome. The future of our public lands rests with all American citizens. The actions we take today will reflect the price we are willing to pay to pass these lands on to future generations, protected and in better health. We need and welcome your support.

In 1996 Congress directed the U.S. Department of the Interior to implement the **Recreation Fee Demonstration Program**. The program will help spread some of the costs for managing the park among those who use the park.

## **Why the emphasis on recreational use fees?**

Managing our public lands is a major financial investment. These new fees redistribute the burden so that users pay an increased share of the costs.

The **Recreation Fee Demonstration Program** will allow a significant portion of the fees collected at Mount Rainier National Park to be spent directly on behalf of the park.

## **Recreation Use Fees**

The new fees will be used for:

- Repairs and improvements to roads, buildings, campgrounds, and trails.
- Improved signs and exhibits.
- Educational programs, guided walks and hikes, and other visitor activities.
- Natural habitat protection.
- Stabilization and restoration of historic structures.
- Visitor safety and protection.

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*improves this park*