



SYCAMORE GROVE PARK PHOTOGRAPHY APPLICATION

(APPLICANT MUST BE 18+ YEARS)

Rental Date(s): _____ Day(s) of the Week: _____

Rental Time: ____ am/pm ____ am/pm

*Rental hours must include all time needed for scheduled photography session.

Applicant Name (will also be main contact for rental): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Secondary Contact Person: _____ Phone Number: _____

Photographer Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Use of Photography: _____

COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS

The Livermore Area Recreation and Park District requires commercial photographers to have a permit when taking photographs within any District facility or parkland. A commercial photographer is defined as any individual who will take video, film, photography or other capture of image, whether moving or still, with the objective to sell, make profit from, or barter, including but not limited to documentaries, commercials, television series and movies, motion picture, advertising, public service announcements, editorial, stock, portraits, etc. Permits will be issued to individual commercial photographers. Businesses will be required to purchase a Sycamore Grove Photography permit for each individual commercial photographer onsite; one permit does not encompass an entire business or multiple commercial photographers.

AGREEMENT AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

The undersigned or, if signing for an organization, that organization, certifies that the above information is accurate and correct, and that the undersigned has read and understood the Sycamore Grove Photography Rules and Regulations as set forth by Livermore Area Recreation and Park District pertaining to the use of LARPD facilities. To the maximum extent permitted by law, the undersigned or, if signing for an organization, that organization, on behalf of itself and all parties claiming by or through it, hereby releases and agrees to indemnify and hold LARPD free and harmless from and against any and all liability, harms, injuries, claims, damages, or causes of action arising out of or in any way connected with or related to the use or occupancy of the facility(ies) including, without limitation, any personal injury or property damage suffered by any user of the facility(ies) or any guest, vendor, agent, employee, or member thereof, whether caused by the act or neglect of the user, a third party, LARPD, agents or employees thereof, *force majeure*, or by any allegedly dangerous condition of the facility(ies) or surrounding area.

Applicant Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

SYCAMORE GROVE PHOTOGRAPHY RULES AND REGULATIONS

I certify that I, the applicant reserving with Livermore Area Recreation and Park District, am at least 18 years of age. I am responsible for adhering to all of the Sycamore Grove Photography Rules and Regulations. Failure to comply with the District's Sycamore Grove Photography Rules and Regulations will result in my permit being forfeit and cancelled, a refund will not be issued by the District, and I may incur additional citation fines. The Sycamore Grove Photography Rules and Regulations are attached to this agreement for my review and understanding.

The following requirements include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first serve basis during business hours of Monday-Thursday from 8:00am to 6:00pm, and Friday from 8:00am-5:00pm. We require a minimum of 48 business hours for processing; applications submitted on a Friday may not be approved. The \$50 fee is due at the time of submitting your application; if the fee is not received with the application, and/or there is a household balance on your account, new applications will not be approved and a permit will not be issued.
2. Permits are valid for the entire day during Sycamore Grove Park operation hours of 7:00am to sunset (or other hours as posted). Applicants will be required to have their permit on them at all times during the use of their permit.
3. Each applicant will receive two (2) Sycamore Grove Parking passes valid for the day of their photography permit. These parking passes are not transferable to any other day or use. The applicant will be required to print out the parking passes and place on the vehicle's dashboard; the date and permit number must be visible.
4. The applicant will be held responsible for their group's conduct at all times. The applicant and/or their group are not permitted to sit, stand, or swing on park fences or railings, and climbing of any trees is prohibited.
5. The District is not responsible for any lost or stolen items; please lock your vehicles and do not leave any items within the park unattended.
6. Vehicles are required to stay within designated parking areas; no driving into the park for any reason.
7. A Sycamore Grove Photography Permit does not grant authority to conduct business with the City of Livermore. Applicants will be required to obtain a business license through the City of Livermore if needed.
8. Sycamore Gove Park maybe closed at any time, with or without notice. District staff will make every effort to contact the applicant ahead of time of any park closures that may affect your permit date. If a closure occurs on behalf of the District, the Applicant will be offered an alternate date, and/or receive a full refund.
9. Photography props that are not naturally found within the park are not permitted. Applicants may use a tripod, non-camera mounted external lighting (strobe or flash), light reflectors, breeze shields, soft boxes, and umbrellas.
10. The photography permit does not grant the applicant any kind of exclusive use of Sycamore Grove Park; photographers are not permitted to interfere or impact normal park operations and programs, and/or public use.
11. The applicant and/or their group are not permitted to block any trail, walkway, roadway, driveway, or parking lot. Applicant and their group are not permitted to go more than 20 feet off of any path or trail.
12. Photography on Sycamore Grove Park bridges is not permitted.
13. The applicant and/or their group is not permitted to make any alterations to the park, including but not limited to, moving any picnic or park furniture, rocks, logs, vegetation, flowers, grasses, shrubs, trees, etc.
14. Sycamore Grove Park is the home to many wildlife animals, some of which can be harmful to people including bees, yellow jackets, mountain lions, bobcats, coyotes, foxes, and snakes. Be observant of the areas around you as wildlife may be hard to spot.
15. The applicant will be held responsible for any damages that occur during their designated park use. Additional fees will be billed to the applicant for the cost associated with the damage to repair, replace, or cleanup, and a hold will be put on the applicant's household account until all damage fees are paid in full.

I understand that failure to comply with this application may lead to the forfeit of my application fee and cancellation of my permit. I have read and understand the Sycamore Grove Photography Rules and Regulations set forth by the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District.

Applicant Printed Name: _____ **Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____