

Annual Pass Frequently Asked Questions

Who can get an annual pass? What does the pass allow me to do?

Annual Parking Passes are only available to those who live within the incorporated city limits. City of Crystal River residents are already paying city taxes to support the maintenance of our facilities, so they are able to get an annual pass. Some with a Crystal River address live outside the city limits and do not qualify. Citrus County tax dollars are not utilized to maintain our city parks.

The annual parking pass allows residents to park at Kings Bay Park, Hunter Springs Park, and the Fire House lot across from the 3rd Ave. boat ramp (pass does not guarantee a parking spot) and allows residents to launch motorized vessels for free at the 3rd Ave. boat ramp or the city boat ramp at Pete's Pier Marina. Parking at Pete's Pier is not included in the pass and is paid directly to the Pete's Pier attendant. This pass does not include paddle-craft launching.

Annual Paddle-craft Launch Passes are available to those who reside within the incorporated city limits. Residents can get up to 10 passes per household. The pass does not include parking fees and allows for unlimited paddle-craft launches from either Kings Bay Park or Hunter Springs Park.

Commercial Annual Passes are available to those companies who have a current business license with the city, and it allows for parking at the Fire House lot across from the 3rd Ave. boat ramp and launching from the 3rd Ave. boat ramp and the city boat ramp at Pete's Pier Marina. Parking at Pete's Pier is not included in the pass and is paid directly to the Pete's Pier attendant.

Citrus County Resident Annual Motorized-Vessel Pass are available to Citrus County residents and allows for parking at the Fire House lot across from the 3rd Ave. boat ramp and motorized vessel launching from the 3rd Ave. boat ramp and the city boat ramp at Pete's Pier Marina. Parking at Pete's Pier is not included in the pass and is paid directly to the Pete's Pier attendant. This pass is not for paddle-craft launching.

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What can I do to avoid parking fees?

There are several free parking options within close walking distance to the paid lots. Patrons launching paddle-craft still need to pay launch fees or risk getting citations.

Do I need to pay parking and launch fees if I have an ADA tag or placard?

If you have a valid ADA tag or placard displayed on your vehicle you do not need to pay parking fees even if you do not utilize an ADA parking space. You still must pay the per vessel launch fee.

Will you be creating a non-resident launch or parking pass?

Citrus County residents can get a motorized vessel launch pass, but there are no plans to offer a paddle-craft or parking pass for non-city residents.

Where can I get an annual pass?

Annual passes are available at the Finance Department at City Hall. Forms are available on the City Website and at the finance office.

For more information, please visit the City Website at

<https://www.crystalriverfl.org>