

RE-OPENING BEST PRACTICES FOR PARKS

GENERAL

STAFF
COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

TRAINING OF PERSONNEL:

Equipment, PPE, Products (chemicals, cleaning solutions, how to prepare),
Signage, Rules/Regulations, Reasons why, Proper responses to FAQ

AMPLE SIGNAGE & COMMUNICATION:

Signs (general and activity/area specific), Social Media sites, Website,
Email blasts, Text messaging, Electronic message boards, Cross marketing efforts
Post signage to inform public of when cleaning/disinfecting will be done.

PARKS

PAVILIONS
RESTROOMS
TRAILS/WALKING PATHS

No pavilion reservations currently. Small groups in Yellow Phase.

Some agencies are closing large/medium sized pavilions.

Clean/Disinfect restrooms at least once per day (depends on staff resources).

Signage on trails at normal points of gathering (trailheads, drinking fountains,
connection points, etc.).

Clean/Disinfect pavilions daily or as determined by agency specific needs.

PLAYGROUNDS

STRUCTURE
SURFACING
SURROUNDING VEGETATION

EQUIPMENT NEEDS:

Sprayers for chemical applications - ensure no overspray to vegetation, etc.

Bleach or Chlorine mixtures

Use what is easily available for long term.

Consider environmental impact of product.

Consider effect on equipment, surfacing (mulch, sand, poured in place).

Product storage

Staff in area to allow drying time (good opportunity to interact with public).

SPORTS COURTS

PICKLEBALL
TENNIS

BASKETBALL
VOLLEYBALL
FIELDS: SB, BB, SOCCER, MULTI-USE

RULES/SET-UP MODIFIED:

Site/agency specific, P&R staff to determine best protocol to follow.

Singles only, limit or eliminate activities where social distancing is difficult or not followed.

Fenced areas (some skateparks) easier to enforce.

Level of enforcement determined by city administration.

Third-party protocols (not allowed vs modified)