

ORDINANCE NO. 13,808

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Des Moines, 1991, adopted by Ordinance No. 11,651, passed April 15, 1991, and amended by Ordinance No. 11,953, passed March 15, 1993, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,136, passed January 3, 1995, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,455, passed April 21, 1997, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,592, passed March 23, 1998, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,710, passed May 5, 1999, by repealing Section 15-181 thereof and enacting a new Section 15-181, relating to Blank Park Zoo fees.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of Des Moines, 1991, adopted by Ordinance No. 11,651, passed April 15, 1991, and amended by Ordinance No. 11,953, passed March 15, 1993, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,136, passed January 3, 1995, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,455, passed April 21, 1997, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,592, passed March 23, 1998, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,710, passed May 5, 1999, is hereby amended by repealing Section 15-181 thereof and enacting a new Section 15-181, relating to Blank Park Zoo fees, as follows:

**15-181. ZOO.**

Admissions

Children under 2 yrs Free

Children (2-11 yrs) \$ 3.00

Adults (12-64 yrs) \$ 4.50

Senior Citizens (65 yrs + older) \$ 3.50

Group Rate (20 or more)

Children under 2 yrs Free

Children (2-11 yrs) \$ 2.50

Adults (12-64 yrs) \$ 4.00

Senior Citizens (65 yrs + older) \$ 3.25

School Groups (all ages)

(one free adult with each 10 students, \$ 2.25

\$4.00 each adult thereafter, bus driver-free)

Students of Ruby Van Meter, Smouse,  
and Mann Elementary Schools Free

Educational Programs

Zoo Camp \$ 2.25

Zoomobile Program (Living Classroom)

First class of a school \$ 55.00

Each additional class \$ 35.00

Summer Safari

Regular session (per week) \$66.00

Zoo members (per week) \$60.00

Zookeeper for a day \$30.00

Iowa Communications Network \$40.00

Wildlife Discovery

Adults (over 18 years) \$ 5.50

Child (up to 18 years) \$ 7.50

Senior Outreach Presentations (per show) \$50.00

Feast with the Beasts Animal Presentations \$100.00

Show & Tell Special Requests (per presentation)

Non-Profit Organization \$75.00

Commercial Organization \$200.00

Group Sales

Pavilion Rentals (if Zoo catering services are used and Group admissions) Free

Pavilion Rentals (if Zoo catering services are not used and during Zoo hours)

Large Pavilion \$200.00

Medium Pavilion \$150.00

Small Pavilion \$100.00

Pavilion Plaza \$300.00

Pavilion Rentals (if Zoo catering services are not used and after Zoo hours) \$600.00

Custodial fee (per person) \$ 1.00

Table & chairs (per set of 8) \$ 10.00

Linen Services

Tablecloths (each) \$ 2.00

Napkins (each) \$ .50

Zoo after hours

One Hour \$150.00

Two Hours \$450.00

Three Hours \$700.00

Face Painting (per hour) \$ 45.00

Guided Zoo Tours (per hour) \$ 25.00

Safari travel program (per person) \$350.00

Other

Train Ride \$ 1.25

Camel Ride \$ 3.00

Camel Ride (school group rate) \$ 2.00

Polaroid - person on camel \$ 3.00

Animal Food \$ .25

Penny Press Machine \$ .50

Wheel Chair Rental Free

Stroller Rental \$ 1.50

Night Eyes Event \$ 3.00

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

FORM APPROVED:

Emily Gould Chafa, Assistant City Attorney

Preston A. Daniels, Mayor

Attest:

I, Donna Boetel-Baker, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an ordinance (Roll Call No. 00-983), passed by the City Council of said City at a meeting held April 3, 2000, signed by the Mayor on April 3, 2000, and published as provided by law in the Business Record on April 17, 2000. Authorized by Publication Order No.2423.

Donna Boetel-Baker, CMC/AAE, City Clerk

