



TOWN OF CLOVER  
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

**INFLATABLES POLICY**

**PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this policy is to establish guidelines for the use of inflatables, bounce houses, and other similar play equipment or apparatus (hereinafter "Inflatable") at the following facilities of the Clover Parks and Recreation Department (hereinafter "CPRD"): Roosevelt, Clover Community and New Centre Parks. This policy applies to all individuals or groups (hereinafter "Sponsor") that make use of any inflatable play equipment, bounce house or similar apparatus in any Town park or facility. Other high-risk play equipment such as climbing walls and mechanical rides are prohibited except by special permission by the Town Administrator.

**PERMIT REQUIRED:**

A Facility Rental Agreement is required for use of Inflatables at the Clover Parks and Recreation Department (CPRD) park or facility listed above. A Special Event Permit may also be required.

**TYPE ALLOWED:**

Privately owned, or non-commercial Inflatables, including, but not limited to those that use water features as part of the apparatus, are prohibited in Town of Clover parks. At its sole discretion, Town of Clover Parks and Recreation may refuse approval of Inflatable play equipment not listed in this agreement.

**LIABILITY INSURANCE:**

Inflatables must be rented, set up and removed by a Vendor that has appropriate insurance and a Town of Clover Business License. The Vendor must provide a certificate of liability insurance (ACORD) in the amount of \$1,000,000 minimum per occurrence (depending on the size of the event or type of Inflatable, this amount may increase). The Town of Clover must be listed as an "Additional Insured".

All documentation pertaining to proof of liability insurance must be submitted at least two weeks prior to the event for review and approval by CPRD.

**SET UP:**

CPRD reserves the right to limit the number and the size of inflatables to be used. Inflatables must be free standing and weighted. Use of stakes, anchors, or any other object inserted into the ground, sidewalk or roadway is prohibited. Inflatable must not be tied or tethered to trees, tables, or other park amenities. Inflatables cannot prohibit or impede access to public restrooms, walkways, or trails.

Inflatables are to be set up and removed by qualified representatives of the rental company in compliance with the manufacturer's specifications. No vehicles are allowed on turf or on walkways. The Inflatable must be removed from the property by the ending time of the Facility Rental. Inflatables are not allowed to be left in any Clover park overnight.

The Town does not provide electricity for Inflatables. Generators must be marked as "Quiet" and shall not generate noise in excess of Parks and Recreation standards. The generator shall be placed a safe distance from the inflatable; electrical cords must be properly insulated, grounded and covered to prevent tripping hazards. Gas cans shall not be stored in close proximity to the generator.

**SUPERVISION:**

Inflatables must be under supervision at all times by an adult who is at least 18 years old. Sponsors must provide adequate supervision so that the Sponsor is in compliance with manufacturer's recommendations for safe operation.

**RESPONSIBILITY:**

The Sponsor is responsible for any and all damages that may be caused by the Inflatable to the park or facility. The Town of Clover shall not be responsible for any damages to Inflatables.

**HOLD HARMLESS:**

Sponsor hereby shall assume all risks incident to or in connection with the permitted activity and shall be solely responsible for damage or injury, of whatever kind or nature, to person or property, directly or indirectly arising out of or in connection with the permitted activity or the conduct of Sponsor's operation. Sponsor hereby expressly agrees to defend and save the Town harmless from any penalties for violation of law, ordinance, or regulation affecting its activity and from any and all claims, suits, losses, damages or injuries directly or indirectly arising out of or in connection with the permitted activity or conduct of its operation or resulting from the negligence or intentional acts or omissions of Sponsor or its officers, agents and employees.

I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions of this Policy.

Name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE INFLATABLE(S) AND/OR PLAY APPARATUS REQUESTED TO BE USED

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***Attach this completed form to the Facility Rental Application.***