



# Marinette County Forestry Department

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## PRESS RELEASE

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From: Pete Villas, Marinette County Forestry Administrator

Subject: Camping on Marinette County Forest Lands

Marinette County Forest Lands will once again be open to camping beginning Friday, May 22, 2020. An Annual Forest Camping Sticker is required to camp on Marinette County Forest Lands. The cost of the sticker is \$20 and can be purchased at the Marinette County Forestry Office located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Courthouse, 1926 Hall Ave, Marinette, Wisconsin between the hours of 8 am and 9 am Monday through Friday or at one of the vendors identified on the following website.

<https://www.marinettecounty.com/departments/forestry-br/general-information/county-forest-annual-camping-sticker-2000/>

Marinette County residents and visitors should continue to practice physical distancing and good personal hygiene as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Here is a list of some suggested practices we encourage all to follow when visiting the County:

- Cover your coughs and sneezes.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer when soap and water is not available.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Keep 6 feet of distance from others.
- Monitor yourself for symptoms of COVID-19. If you develop symptoms, stay home and call your health care provider to see how you can get tested.
- Wear a mask when you have to go out to public places.
- Do not gather with others outside of your family group.
- Please keep your campsite and surrounding area free of all debris and trash. Leave the County Forest Lands as clean if not cleaner than you found it.