## **Guadalupe River** TEXAS **State Park** WILDLIFE

## **Please Note:**

As a State Park, the primary focus of this site is to provide recreational opportunities while protecting fragile park resources and maintaining public safety. Help us to protect this special place and provide for everybody's enjoyment by following some simple guidelines:

- All tents must be placed only on the designated 16' x 16' tent pad. Camping on designated tent pads helps protect fragile vegetation and minimizes soil compaction.
- Gathering firewood is prohibited. Dead wood is an important source of food and shelter to wildlife and it replenishes nutrients in the soil.
- · Fires are only permitted in self-contained grills and cook stoves. Ground fires can cause wildfires and they scar rocks and soil
- · Stay on designated trails. It is harder to spot poisonous wildlife and plants off trail. Creating new trails causes confusion, destroys vegetation and increases soil erosion. This applies to all users including bikers and horses.
- · Leave all plants, animals, minerals and artifacts in the park as you found them. Everything in the park is protected by State Law for everyone's enjoyment.
- · Pets must be kept on a leash no longer than 6' and must not be left unattended. This keeps them and others safe while protecting wildlife.
- · Black water and gray water can only be discharged at the dump station. This water carries bacteria that can spread serious illnesses and food particles that can attract undesirable animals, including fire ants,
- Keep camp and picnic areas clean. Leaving no trace of your visit helps keep this area beautiful. Please recycle appropriate litter and deposit trash in trash containers.
- · Public consumption or display of an open container of any alcoholic beverage is prohibited. All outdoor areas within the park are "public."
- A valid permit is required for all vehicles in the park. Please place the permit on the windshield of each vehicle in park.
- All vehicles must remain on the pavement. This protects the park's fragile vegetation
- · Persons under 18 years old are not permitted to ride in the back of a pickup truck. This State law was enacted to provide for children's safety.
- Campsite CHECK OUT time is 2 pm. Renewal requests should be made by 9 a.m. and are subject to site availability.
- A maximum of eight people are permitted per campsite. Overcrowding damages vegetation, increases soil compaction, and often leads to noise problems.
- · Quiet hours are enforced from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. and guests who do not have a camping permit must leave the park by 10 pm. Unnecessary noise can ruin your neighbor's outdoor experience.
- Only one unit per site is permitted to hook up to utilities.
- · Numbered sites for overnight camping only. NO PICNICKING.

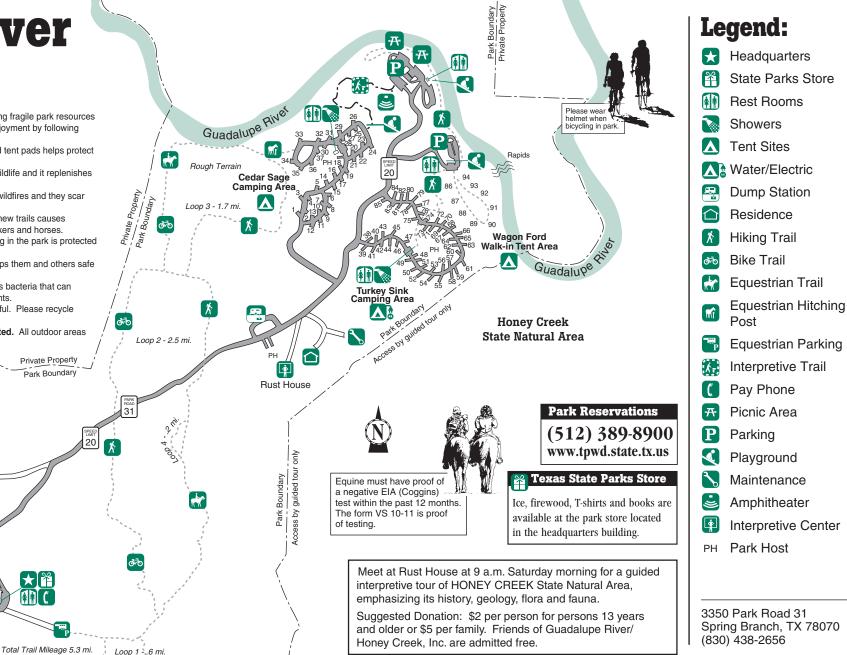
## Friends of Guadalupe River/ Honey Creek, Inc.

Please join us as a member of this support organization.

Your contribution of professional services, volunteer services or

your financial contributions can help protect and preserve this natural wonder for future generations.

To find out more, ask at the Park Headquarters or log on to www.honeycreekfriends.com



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