



**2017 ILLINOIS STATE FAIR**  
**IMPORTANT CAMPING DATES**

<b>March 27, 2017</b>	Camping applications available on-line only but NOT accepted until <b>March 31, 2017 at 8:00 a.m.</b> ( <b><u>SEE ATTACHED POLICIES &amp; RATES</u></b> )
<b>March 31, 2017</b> <b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Camping reservations accepted  <b>ONLY EIGHT (8) APPLICATIONS PER PERSON WILL BE ACCEPTED.</b>
<b>May 1-15, 2017</b>	Confirmation letters will be mailed to those campers whose applications were approved for placement
<b>July 1, 2017</b>	<b>Last day to cancel reservations with full refund of total payments made to date</b>  Credit cards will be charged in full.  Charge will appear on statement as Illinois State Fair Mega Pass
<b>August 1, 2017</b>	2017 Illinois State Fair camping rates, rules and regulations go into effect
<b>August 10, 2017 -</b> <b>August 20, 2017</b>	Official dates of the 2017 Illinois State Fair
<b>August 10, 2017:</b>	Admission fees go into effect  Vehicles not displaying appropriate parking placard will be subject to tow at owner's expense

**ILLINOIS STATE FAIR CAMPING POLICIES AND RATES BEGIN AUGUST 1, 2017  
CUSTOMER'S COPY**

**Camping on the IL State Fairgrounds is at the camper's own risk. The IL Department of Agriculture shall not be responsible for any damage or loss to camper's personal property.**

**APPLICATION – RESERVATION – RATES – PAYMENT PROCESS:**

- **Camping assignment is on a first come, first served basis, with priority given to vendors/concessionaires and livestock entrants staying 6 nights or longer.** Campsite preference is not guaranteed. All campsites will be assigned at the discretion of the Credentials Office.
- Reservations will be accepted beginning **March 31, 2017 at 8:00 a.m.** by postal mail, hand-delivery to the Credentials Office in the Emmerson Building or by fax at 217-782-9115. **No telephone or email reservations will be accepted. Applications received prior to 8:00 a.m. on March 31, 2017 will NOT be accepted.**
- **Only EIGHT (8) applications per person will be accepted**
- Campsites cannot be transferred to another individual. **Identification will be required at check-in!!!**
- \$40.00 per night
- \$20.00 per night for tent camping (OR) \$15.00 per night for tent camping with no vehicle parking
- The 2017 camping application is the only form accepted to reserve campsites for 2017.
- Cancellations after **July 1, 2017**, will forfeit campsite and total payment.
- If you arrive prior to or depart after your scheduled arrival/departure date, you will be charged for each additional night.
- Visa, Mastercard, Discover or cash are the only acceptable forms of payment. **Personal checks will not be accepted.**
- Confirmation notifications will be mailed beginning May 1, 2017 to those with an accepted reservation. **Payment will be processed July 1, 2017. Credit cards that are declined or expired will be grounds for forfeiture of campsite.** Your campground charge will appear on your credit card statement as Illinois State Fair Mega Pass. Those not assigned a campsite will be put on a wait list and sent a letter indicating such.
- A separate form is required for each campsite requested.

**ADMISSION & PARKING POLICIES:**

- Individuals arriving prior to **August 10, 2017** will not be required to pay admission fee. Those arriving **August 10, 2017** or later will be required to pay the appropriate admission fee per person.
- One vehicle parking placard will be provided with each campsite (except \$15 tent camping). Additional vehicles must purchase a parking placard upon arrival at the campground office and park in designated parking lot.
- Every vehicle at the campground, excluding motor homes, will need a paid seasonal parking placard. Starting **August 10, 2017**, all vehicles will be inspected for appropriate parking placard. Those not displaying the appropriate placard will be subject to tow at the owner's expense.
- Daily parking is also available at Gate 11.
- Lost or stolen parking placards will not be replaced.
- Starting **August 10, 2017**, campers leaving and returning on the same day must have their hand stamped upon exit or be subject to appropriate admission fee upon returning.

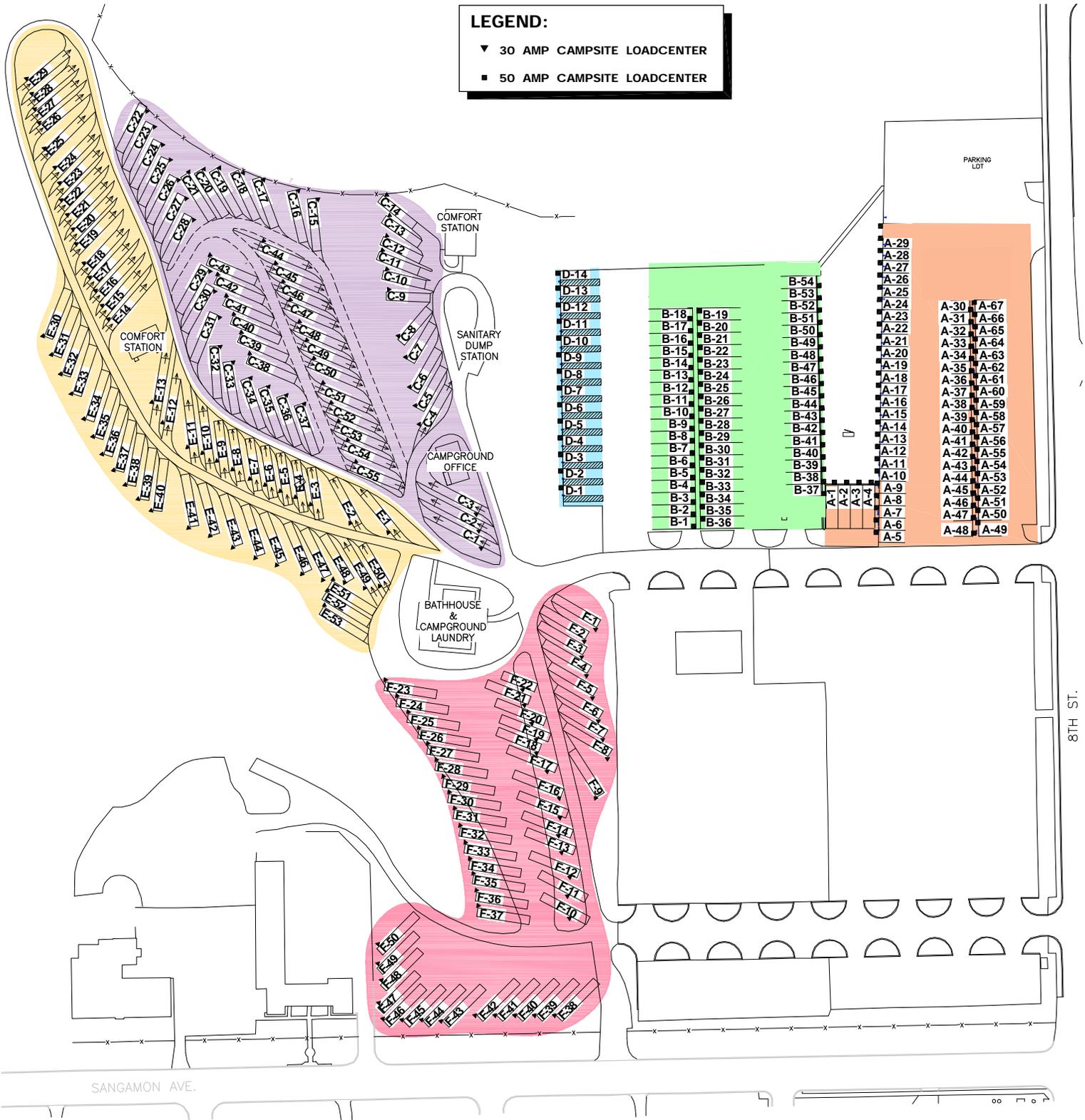
**CAMPING POLICIES:**

- Illinois State Fair camping rules and regulations go into effect **August 1, 2017**.
- Campers will be checked for length upon arrival.
- Check-in is at 3:00p.m. – Check-out is at 12:00p.m.
- Campers who do not vacate their campsite by 12:00p.m. on their scheduled date of departure will be subject to additional nights camping charged to their credit card.
- Gate 10 is for campers with seasonal paid parking placard only.
- Visitors must enter through Gate 11 and will be subject to admission and parking fees.
- Supply vehicles are not permitted in the campgrounds.
- Generators will not be allowed.
- No awnings allowed on asphalt campsites.
- All pets must be on a leash and owner's responsible for cleaning up after them.
- Tram service is available.
- Disabled camping sites are limited. Campers requiring a disabled location must show proof of disability plates or disability placard.
- Tent lot does not have water or electricity.
- A dump station, showers and restrooms are located in the campgrounds.

**LEGEND:**

▼ 30 AMP CAMPSITE LOADCENTER

■ 50 AMP CAMPSITE LOADCENTER



**CAMPGROUND MAP**