

Legislative Update



The Latest Legislative Issues Affecting Parks, Recreation and Conservation

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TO: IAPD Members

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RE: Further Clarification on Outdoor Playgrounds

We hope your Saturday is off to a great start.

Last night, the DCEO General Counsel's Office provided us with their [Phase 4 FAQ's](#). Although these FAQ's have not yet been officially posted, we were granted permission to share them with you.

The FAQ's contain further clarification on outdoor playgrounds on page 5 by specifying that **individuals** must follow all other applicable IDPH guidance, including social distancing guidance.

"Will playgrounds reopen in Phase 4? If so, with what restrictions?"

- Indoor playgrounds are to remain closed
- Units of local government are provided the discretion to determine if outdoor playgrounds can open; the playground should be limited to no more than 50 persons at the playground, **individuals should follow social distancing guidance and all other applicable IDPH guidance.**

Please visit the [IAPD COVID-19 Resource page](#), which we continue to update daily, for the latest information.

As always, please continue to contact us with any questions.

Have a great weekend!

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