

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**



**Dreissenid Mussels (Quagga and Zebra)  
Lake Perris and Silverwood Lake SRA**

March 4, 2021  
Inland Empire District

**DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS ORDER NO. 950-21-001**  
Supersedes Posted Order 950-19-001

1. No person shall launch any vessel and/or vessel trailer in the waters of Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA that has not been inspected for Dreissenid Mussels by a Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA Park Official. An exception to this would be if the vessel has a properly attached Dreissenid Mussel inspection re-entry seal from Lake Perris SRA, Silverwood Lake SRA, or another cooperating Dreissenid Mussel inspection program and only after the seal has been inspected by a Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA Park Official.
2. No person shall remove, alter or tamper with Dreissenid Mussel failure seal for the purpose of entering into Lake Perris SRA or Silverwood Lake SRA prior to the indicated dry-out period unless authorized by a State Park Official.
3. All vessels and/or vessel trailers that have been identified as having Dreissenid Mussels must be removed from the waters of Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA immediately.
4. No person shall launch or attempt to launch a vessel and/or vessel trailer into the waters of Lake Perris SRA or Silverwood Lake SRA that has been subject to a dry-out period for Dreissenid Mussels until the expiration of the dry-out period. (Dry out period is 7 days, with the vessel being allowed to launch on day 8, following a failed inspection.)
  - a. Vessels which have launched at an infected body of water will not be eligible for inspection/launch until the 8<sup>th</sup> day after the vessel's last visit to an infected body.
5. No person shall duplicate, alter photocopy, sell, loan or give away a Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA Dreissenid Mussel Inspection Sheet or Inspection Seal.

6. No person shall receive or possess a Dreissenid Mussel Inspection Sheet or Inspection Seal that was not issued to them by a Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA State Park Official.
7. No person shall sell, give or loan a Vessel Inspection Seal to another person for the purposes of allowing a vessel to enter Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA without being inspected.
8. No person shall re-use a Lake Perris SRA and/or Silverwood Lake SRA Inspection Seal once it has been removed from a vessel.
9. Any violation of this Posted Order is a violation of the California Code of Regulations Section 4326(a).
10. The District Superintendent, or designee, may grant exemptions to this order as determined necessary for the proper administration of the park, and to protect the safety and welfare of its visitors, employees, wildlife and resources. All Exemptions, except for emergency personnel, must be obtained in writing. Requests for exemptions may be made by contacting the District Superintendent, Inland Empire District, 17801 Lake Perris Dr., Perris, California 92571.
11. Nothing herein shall affect any existing private contract or property rights.
12. Nothing herein shall be construed in derogation of other provisions of law.

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District Superintendent

Authority:

State of California Public Resources Code, Sections 5003 and 5008

California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 4300, 4326, and 4662

Copies of this order have been filed with the Desert Division Chief's office.

**DECLARATION OF POSTING**

**DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S ORDER NO. 950-21-001**

I hereby declare that on March 4, 2021, District Superintendent's Order No.950-21-001, hereto attached, was posted at the office of the Sector and parks where it is to be in effect, as well as at other locations which were determined necessary by the Superintendent of the Inland Empire District.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

*Kelly Elliott*

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Kelly Elliott  
District Superintendent  
Inland Empire District

*03/04/2021*

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Date