

**BY AUTHORITY**

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
SERIES OF 2018

COUNCIL BILL NO. 18-0237

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:

Business, Arts, Workforce & Aeronautical Services

**A BILL**

**For an ordinance amending Sections 39-121(c) of the Revised Municipal Code of the City and County of Denver regarding the Schedule for Use of Facilities, specifically for the Denver Zoological Gardens.**

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

**Section 1.** Section 39-121 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code is amended by revising subsection (c) to read as follows:

“(3) *City park zoo fees:*

a. Regular fees; single admission:

		March through October	November through February
1.	12 years and over (other than senior citizens) .....	<del>\$17.00</del> <u>20.00</u>	<del>\$13.00</del> <u>15.00</u>
2.	3 years to 11 years, and accompanied by parent or other adult .....	<del>12.00</del> <u>14.00</u>	<del>9.00</del> <u>10.00</u>
3.	Under 3 years and accompanied by parent or other adult .....	No Charge	No Charge
4.	Senior citizen, 65 years and over .....	<del>14.00</del> <u>17.00</u>	<del>11.00</del> <u>13.00</u>
5.	Denver Zoological Foundation members .....	No Charge	No Charge

b. Special days, rates and conditions: The manager of parks and recreation shall designate not less than seven (7) days in each calendar year during which no admission will be charged to residents of the state, and may establish rates or conditions for groups or special parties, and may charge additional rates for groups or special parties from outside of the city. Current members of the Denver Zoological Foundation shall be admitted without charge.

The manager of parks and recreation may also establish rates for business-sponsored periods, including evenings, for the Denver Zoo.

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c. Zoo facility fees:

1. Norgren Hall - Gates Education Center (all 3 rooms)

Capacity: 300 people theater style/200 people banquet style/500 people cabaret style

4 hours ..... ~~\$2,550.00~~ 2,800.00

8 hours ..... ~~\$3,300.00~~ 3,500.00

After hours

No zoo access ..... \$1,600.00

April—October (zoo access) ..... \$3,750.00

Zoo lights - Public night (3 rooms) ..... ~~\$4,000.00~~ 5,000.00

Zoo lights - Public night (2 rooms) ..... ~~\$2,600.00~~ 3,200.00

Zoo lights - Public night (1 room) ..... ~~\$1,250.00~~ 2,000.00

Zoo lights sneak peek (3 rooms) ..... ~~\$10,000.00~~ 13,750.00

3 rooms, plus Grasslands and Treetops Studios ..... \$7,000.00

2. Norgren Hall - Gates Education Center (2 rooms)

Capacity: 160 people theater style/96 people banquet style/120 people cabaret style

4 hours ..... ~~\$1,500.00~~ 1,600.00

8 hours ..... ~~\$1,950.00~~ 2,100.00

After hours

No zoo access ..... \$1,050.00

Zoo lights ..... ~~\$2,500.00~~ 3,200.00

Zoo lights daytime 10:00—2 1:00 p.m. .... ~~\$1,950.00~~ 2,800.00

3. Norgren Hall - Gates Education Center (1 room)

Capacity: 80 people theater style/48 people banquet style/75 people cabaret style

4-3 hours ..... \$850.00

8 hours ..... \$1,100.00

After hours

No zoo access ..... \$650.00

Zoo light ..... ~~\$1,200.00~~ 2,000.00

Zoo lights daytime 10:00—2 1:00 p.m. .... \$1,200.00

4. Grasslands and Treetops Studios - ~~Norgreen~~ Norgren Hall (both)

Capacity: ~~96~~ 80 people banquet style

After hours

Zoo lights ..... ~~\$1,900.00~~ 2,000.00

~~Add-on to Norgren Hall Rental~~ ..... \$700.00

Sneak peek ..... \$1,350.00

5. Grasslands or Treetops Studio - ~~Norgreen~~ Norgren Hall (1 room)

Capacity: 40 people each room

After hours

Zoo lights ..... ~~\$900.00~~ 1,150.00

~~Add-on to Norgren Hall~~ ..... \$400.00

1 ~~Sneak peek ..... \$800.00~~

2 6. Original Board Room

3 Capacity: 30 people boardroom style

4 ~~43 hours ..... \$600.00~~ 700.00

5 8 hours ..... ~~\$900.00~~ 950.00

6 Zoo lights ..... ~~\$700.00~~ 750.00

7 7. Conoco Zoo Gardens

8 Daytime Rental

9 Capacity: 200 people - Half of the Pavilion/~~750~~ 500 people - Full Pavilion

10 One half of pavilion ..... ~~\$3,500.00~~ 3,700.00

11 Full pavilion ..... ~~\$6,000.00~~ 7,000.00

12 After hours rental

13 Capacity: 750 people (includes access to Pahali ya Simba and  
14 Pachyderm Building)

15 Full pavilion ..... ~~\$6,500.00~~ 6,750.00

16 ~~8. Primate panorama~~

17 Capacity: ~~500 people (includes access to Emerald Forest and Great Ape~~  
18 ~~Buildings)~~

19 ~~After hours 6:30 — 10:00 p.m. .... \$3,750.00~~

20 ~~Add-on to Conoco Zoo Gardens ..... \$1,000.00~~

21 ~~98.~~ Northern Shores

1 Capacity: 500 people (includes access to Tropical Discovery and Giraffe  
2 Buildings)

3 After hours ~~6~~5:30—~~10:00~~9:30 p.m. .... ~~\$4,000.00~~ 4,500.00

4 Add-on to Conoco Zoo Gardens ..... ~~\$1,000.00~~ 4,000.00

5 409. Samburu Grille Patio

6 Capacity: 250 people

7 After hours ~~6~~5:30—~~10:00~~9:30 p.m. .... \$3,750.00

8 ~~Add-on to Conoco Zoo Gardens ..... \$1,000.00~~

9 Add-on to Norgren Hall ..... \$1,000.00

10 10. Giraffe Meadows Tent

11 3 hours ..... \$2,000.00

12 11. Zoo buy-out

13 Capacity: 1,500 seats and 8,000 capacity (includes access to entire zoo)

14 After hours ~~6~~5:30—~~10:00~~9:30 p.m. .... ~~\$13,000.00~~ 15,000.00

15 Not for profits receive a 15-percent discount for weekend (Fri.—Sun.) and Zoo  
16 lights rentals. Not for profits receive a 25-percent discount for weekday rentals  
17 (Mon.—Thurs.)

1 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: March 21, 2018  
2 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: March 27, 2018  
3 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL: \_\_\_\_\_ April 9, 2018  
4 Mary Beth Susman \_\_\_\_\_ - PRESIDENT PRO-TEM  
5 APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_ - MAYOR \_\_\_\_\_  
6 ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ - CLERK AND RECORDER,  
7 EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE  
8 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER  
9 NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL: \_\_\_\_\_;  
10 PREPARED BY: Jason D. Moore, Assistant City Attorney DATE: March 29, 2018  
11 Pursuant to section 13-12, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of  
12 the City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed  
13 ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §  
14 3.2.6 of the Charter.  
15 Kristin M. Bronson, Denver City Attorney  
16 BY: Kristin M. Bronson, Assistant City Attorney DATE: Mar 29, 2018