



## Public Service Announcement

### Winter Service Levels and Important Dates

The Teton County/Jackson Parks and Recreation Department continues to be in full winter mode as we roll past meteorological spring (March 1<sup>st</sup>). That being said, we are starting to think about spring/summer activities and wanted to provide an update on timing of some of our infrastructure and Special Events for March:

- **Grooming** will continue through March based on the snowpack and forecast. Staff will evaluate conditions the week of April 3<sup>rd</sup> and determine if grooming can continue past that date.
- **Ice rinks:** *Owen Bircher ice rink* will be maintained at least through March 18<sup>th</sup> and staff will evaluate weather conditions to determine if maintenance continues beyond that date. The *Fairgrounds ice rink* will be closed on Monday March 13<sup>th</sup> in order to vacate the arena and accommodate the Hill Climb related activities. *Powderhorn ice rink* will stay open as long as weather allows, however, daily maintenance will cease on Monday March 13<sup>th</sup>. *Alta ice rink* will be evaluated weekly and open at least through March 18<sup>th</sup>.
- **Boat Ramps:** *Wilson Boat Ramp* has winter seasonal access closures through March 15<sup>th</sup>. Based on the amount of snow and forecast we anticipate having those facilities fully open by April 15<sup>th</sup>. The approved upland development and ramp improvements construction is to start this spring; however, timelines are not fixed at this point. *South Park Boat Ramp* will be an April 15<sup>th</sup> opening as well and we will be coordinating with the Bridger Teton National Forest (BTNF) to ensure access aligns with downriver boat ramps managed by the BTNF.
- **Seasonal Restrooms** in Town and County Parks will open May 1<sup>st</sup>.
- **March Special Events:** *Snow King Mountain Big Air* event with Fireworks afterwards-March 11<sup>th</sup>. *WY Special Olympics* at the Teton County School District Complex March 14-16<sup>th</sup>. *World Championship Snowmobile Hill Climb* at Snow King Mountain March 23-26<sup>th</sup> with *Octane Addictions Freestyle* event at the Teton County Fairgrounds March 25<sup>th</sup>.
- **Parks and Recreation Public Open House** has been scheduled for Thursday March 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday March 10<sup>th</sup> to solicit public input on Winter Service Levels, as well as Karns Meadow Zoning and Master Plan and Melody Ranch Trailhead Bicycle Pump Track. Information on this event can be found by scanning the following QR codes:

English



Spanish



Or by visiting <https://engagetoncountywy.com/tetonopenhouse>  
<https://engagetoncountywy.com/parksopenspanish>

Please continue to check the Parks and Recreation website for up-to-date information including grooming and ice rink status: <http://www.tetonparksandrec.org/1338/Parks-Pathways>