

Homeward Bound Safe Park Code of Conduct

- 1. No weapons are allowed on the property—licensed, permitted, or otherwise.
- 2. No violence or verbal abuse will be tolerated. This includes degrading, ethnic, racist, sexist, or homophobic remarks. All Participants, staff, and visitors must be treated with kindness, respect, and dignity.
- 3. Homeward Bound Safe Park is a drug- and alcohol-free community.
 - Use, possession, or sale of illegal substances or alcohol on or 1000ft around property will result in exit.
 - Strong suspicion, supported by evidence, of drug sales may also result in exit.
 - Substance use off property or being under the influence is not a cause for removal unless it results in disruptive behavior or observed use on site.

Community Responsibility

4. Approval Protocol

All approvals for exceptions to rules or expectations must come directly from the Operations Manager. Shift staff are not authorized to grant approvals. Participants must not request or assume approval from staff unless it has been formally communicated by the Operations Manager.

5. Program Accommodations

Safe Park is unable to provide accommodations beyond what is already offered as part of the program. While we strive to support each participant 's needs, additional resources, special arrangements, or personalized setups outside the scope of standard services cannot be guaranteed.

6. Personal Boundaries

Participants are not allowed to enter another participant's RV, vehicle, or



personal space for any reason. Additionally, giving or accepting rides to or from other participants on or off the property is not permitted. These rules are in place to support safety, privacy, and healthy boundaries within the community.

- 7. Property Responsibility
 Safe Park is not responsible for any lost, stolen, or damaged personal property.
 Participants are encouraged to secure their belongings and avoid leaving valuables unattended.
- 8. Exit Policy

The Operations Manager has the authority to determine the timeframe for a Participant's exit from the program. This may range from immediate removal to a scheduled departure based on the nature of the violation and the impact on community safety. All decisions will be in the best interest of the Safe Park community.

- 9. Overnight Absence Notice
 - If you plan to be off-site overnight, you must request and receive approval from the Operations Manager during regular business hours. Unapproved overnight absences may be considered a program violation and could impact your standing in the program.
- 10. **No littering**. Keep your area clean and follow posted parking spot cleanliness standards. Use provided trash receptacles.
- 11. **No dumpster diving.** Continued violations may result in program exit.
- 12. **No working on cars on property.** This is strongly enforced. Clean up any oil leaks from your vehicle. Supplies like kitty litter, broom, and dustpan are available.
- 13. **Quiet hours are from 10:00 PM to 7:00 AM**. Keep volume respectful outside those hours, including car doors, music, and voices.
- 14. **Do not leave your vehicle unattended for more than 24 hours** without staff notification. Unattended vehicles for 7 days may be towed.
- Vehicle & Property Guidelines



- 15. **No unauthorized guests.** Only authorized participants are permitted in the parking lot.
- 16. Working on vehicles is not allowed on the property and this rule is strictly enforced. Any repairs that involve getting underneath a vehicle, handling fluids, or activities that could result in a fluid spill are strictly prohibited. Residents must immediately clean up any oil leaks—supplies such as kitty litter, a broom, and a dustpan are available onsite. Minor repairs such as changing a tire, battery, or headlight may be permitted with prior approval from the Operations Manager.
- 17. **Park in designated areas** and occupy only one space. When space allows, leave one spot open between vehicles.

Permitted outside items per household:

- Fuel/Cooking: 1 gas can, two 5-gallon propane tanks, BBQ or cooktop, one 5gallon water jug
- o Storage: 2 totes max, 1 folding table
- Power: 1 solar panel, 1 generator and casing
- Personal: 1 bike per Participant, mobility equipment, cooler
 Not Allowed: Unauthorized furniture, excessive storage, or any food stored outside the vehicle. Shared spaces must remain obstacle-free.
- **iii** Hygiene & Facilities
 - 11. **Keep the bathrooms and porta potty's clean.** Clean up after showers and bathroom use for the next person.
 - 12. **Do not use your space as a bathroom.** If access is difficult due to disability or health, staff can help find solutions.

Dress Code

Participants are expected to wear clothing that is appropriate, respectful, and suitable



for a shared community setting. T-shirts or tops that cover the chest and torso must be always worn when outside of personal vehicles or RV/Trailer. Clothing must fully cover private areas. Attire that displays offensive language, hate symbols, or promotes violence, substance use, or gang affiliation is not allowed. Footwear is also required when outside.



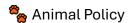
Children & Family Guidelines

- 13. Accompany children under 16 when they exit the vehicle. Children 16 and older may walk the property unsupervised based on behavior.
 - o No child under 16 may be left unattended inside a vehicle or RV.
 - Siblings under 18, are not allowed to babysit each other unless emergency circumstances.
 - The back of the property has a play area; supervision is required.



Respect & Participation

- 14. **Respect** the property, neighbors, and fellow Participants.
- 15. Community meetings are held bi weekly on Thursday at 5pm at the community tent and are strongly encouraged. These provide updates, support, and a chance for Participants to share feedback and build community.
- 16. **No open flames**, camping fires, candles etc., are allowed at any time.



- 17. Pets must be always leashed. Pet waste must be bagged and properly disposed of in trash bins. If you need doggy bags please talk with staff.
- **18.** If you need to leave your animal unattended in your car or RV while you use the bathroom, please notify staff. If we are in severe weather DO NOT leave animal unattended at all.
- **No new animals** may be adopted without staff approval.

Pets may not be left unsupervised at any time. There may be occasional circumstances (such as attending a doctor's appointment or showering) when



temporary separation is necessary. In these cases, prior communication and approval from the Operations Manager is required.

- 19. If an animal is left unattended without notice or approval, and staff are unable to reach you, Animal Control will be contacted for the pet's safety. Participants are expected to create a pet safety plan with a Housing Case Manager in the event of emergencies or unexpected absence.
- 20. Laundry cards and bus passes are available on an emergency basis and are not guaranteed each month. Please be engaging with our Housing Case Manager to request them.

Acknowledgment & Signature

A copy of the Homeward Bound Safe Park Code of Conduct has been provided to me. I agree to follow all the rules and understand that violations may result in verbal warning, written warning, final warning, or exit from the program. I also understand that the leadership at Homeward Bound Safe Park reserves the right to exit any participant at any time, with or without prior notice or explanation.

Printed Name:		
Signature:		
Date:		
Phone Number:		
Household Information		
Additional Adults/Child		
Pet Emergency Contac		
Name:	Phone:	
Pet Information		



Pets in Vehicle:				
Vehicle Information				
Make:	Model:	Color:		
License Plate #:		_State:		
PHOTO RELEASE				
I give permission to Homeward Bound Safe Park to use my photograph, video, or audio recording for promotional, educational, or informational purposes in print or digital media.				
Name (print):				
Signature:				
Date:				