



**ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT  
FOR APA RULE  
(Section 41-22-23(f))**

Control No. 460 Department or Agency Alabama Historical Commission

Rule No: 460-x-24

Rule Title: Fees

New  Amend  Repeal  Adopt by Reference

This rule has no economic impact.

This rule has an economic impact, as explained below:

1. NEED/EXPECTED BENEFIT OF RULE:

Entrance Fees and usage fees are to provide access to the agency's properties for the use and benefit of the users of the agency's historic sites and facilities.

2. COSTS/BENEFITS OF RULE AND WHY RULE IS THE MOST EFFECTIVE, EFFICIENT, AND FEASIBLE MEANS FOR ALLOCATING RESOURCES AND ACHIEVING THE STATED PURPOSE:

By charging user fees, the public is afforded an opportunity to make use of the historic sites and facilities of the agency while not imposing a burden on those who do not receive a direct benefit.

3. EFFECT OF THIS RULE ON COMPETITION:

No competition exists for these sites and facilities and so there will be no effect on competition

4. EFFECT OF THIS RULE ON COST OF LIVING AND DOING BUSINESS IN THE GEOGRAPHICAL AREA WHERE THE RULE IS TO BE IMPLEMENTED:

It is not anticipated that these costs will increase as a result of the rule.

5. EFFECT OF THIS RULE ON EMPLOYMENT IN THE GEOGRAPHICAL AREA WHERE THE RULE IS TO BE IMPLEMENTED:

None.

6. SOURCE OF REVENUE TO BE USED FOR IMPLEMENTING AND ENFORCING THIS RULE:

The fee itself is expected to produce revenue and implementation of the fee will not increase costs to the agency.

7. THE SHORT-TERM/LONG-TERM ECONOMIC IMPACT OF THIS RULE ON AFFECTED PERSONS, INCLUDING ANALYSIS OF PERSONS WHO WILL BEAR THE COSTS AND THOSE WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE RULE:

There does not appear to be an economic impact of the rule due to the fact that it is a nominal charge for the convenience to the public to make use of the agency's facilities.

8. UNCERTAINTIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE ESTIMATED BENEFITS AND BURDENS OF THE RULE, INCLUDING QUALITATIVE/QUANTITATIVE BENEFITS AND BURDEN COMPARISON:

None.

9. THE EFFECT OF THIS RULE ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH:

None.

10. DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH IF THE RULE IS NOT IMPLEMENTED:

None.

**\*\*Additional pages may be used if needed.**

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**Alabama Historical Commission**

**NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Historical Commission

RULE NO. & TITLE: 460-X-24 Fees

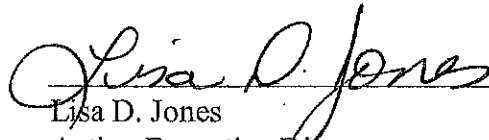
INTENDED ACTION: To amend Rule 460-X-24 that lists fees charged by the agency to the public for its various services and historic site admissions not otherwise listed in the agency's rules.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The property, Belle Mont, is added to the list of properties owned, but not operated by the Alabama Historical Commission. Other changes include a new category for special events and elimination of fees no longer in effect.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: This notice will be published on October 30, 2015. Written comments will be accepted at the office of the Alabama Historical Commission, 468 South Perry Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36130.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: The Alabama Historical Commission will accept comments no later than December 7, 2015, at 10:00 A.M.

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ALABAMA HISTORICAL COMMISSION

ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

Chapter 460-x-24

Fees

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**Author:** John Powell, Mark Driscoll, Stephen McNair

**Statutory Authority:** 41-9-249.(5) and (15) Alabama Code 1975

**History:** **Filed:** New Rule, December 13, 2013; effective January 17, 2014.

460-x-24-.02 Table of Fees.

(1) Properties Operated by the Alabama Historical Commission. The Table of Fees in Appendix A shall be applicable to historic sites, properties and facilities owned and operated by the Alabama Historical Commission and shall be adhered to by The Alabama Historical Commission when collecting fees from persons or groups as indicated. There will be no exceptions, reductions or increases for persons or groups who make use of the agency's facilities or are admitted to the historic sites.

(2) Properties Operated by Other Entities. For the properties: Belle Mont, Fendall Hall, Gaineswood and Magnolia Grove owned by the Alabama Historical Commission, but which are operated by entities other than the Alabama Historical Commission, all fees charged to the public by such entities shall be posted at the site in a conspicuous place visible to the public. Posted fees charged shall be adhered to in a consistent and fair manner to all persons or groups who make use of the facilities or are admitted to the historic site. The Alabama Historical Commission Annual Pass shall be honored by such entities for standard admission to the historic site. Such entities are not required to accept the Annual Pass for discounts, special events, tours or additional services beyond a standard admission.

**Author:** John Powell, Mark Driscoll, Stephen McNair

**Statutory Authority:** 41-9-249.(5) and (15) Alabama Code 1975

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Child (6-18 years old)	\$3
Child-under 6 years old	Free
Group (minimum 10 people)	\$1 off regular admission
Special Use Coupon	\$1 off regular admission
<b>Rentals</b>	
Facility Use (house and grounds)	\$100 / hour
<b>CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL PARK</b>	
	<b>Fee</b>
<b>Admissions</b>	
Visitors to grounds	Free
Visitors to Museum	
Adult	\$4
Senior (65 years old and above), College, Retired Military	\$3
Military, active & reserve	Free
Child (6-18 years old) with Parent	\$1
Child (6-18 years old) without Parent	\$3
Child under 6 years old	Free
Group (minimum 10 persons)	\$2
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
Special programs inside Museum	\$2
<b>Rentals</b>	
Church wedding	\$200
Overnight lodging in the barracks per person	\$10
<b>FORT MORGAN</b>	
	<b>Fee</b>
<b>Admissions</b>	
Adult	\$7
Senior (65 years old and above), College	\$5
Child (6-12 years old)	\$4
Family (2 Adults, 2 Children)	\$18
Military active or reserve	Free
Group (minimum 10 people)	\$4
School groups per person	\$3
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary (August 1-3, 2014) - All Visitors 6 years old and above per day	\$10
150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary (August 1-3, 2014) - All Visitors 6 years old and above 3-day pass	\$20
150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary (August 1-3, 2014) - Family of four per day	\$30
150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary (August 1-3, 2-14) - Family of four 3-day pass	\$65

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Boat launch Parking	\$2
Day Camp Children	\$30
<b>Rentals</b>	
Weddings	\$750
Dinners, events, paranormal overnights in fort	\$500
Canon firing	\$375
Additional shots each	\$45
<b>Camping</b>	
Scouts	\$4 / night
Adult	\$15 / night
<b>FORT TOULOUSE – FORT JACKSON</b>	
<b>Fee</b>	
<b>Admissions</b>	
Adult	\$2
Child (6-18 years old)	\$1
Child under 6 years old	Free
Boat Ramp Pass (per vehicle)	\$2
Annual individual pass	\$25
Annual family pass	\$35
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
Organized tours (per person)	\$1
Alabama Frontier Days	
Adult	\$8
Student	\$7
French & Indian War Encampment	
Adult	\$4
Student	\$2
Major Event / Program	
Adult	\$8
Child (6-18 years old)	\$7
Minor Event / Program	
Adult	\$4
Child (6-18 years old)	\$2
Events with partner organizations	\$2 / person plus partner admission
<b>Rentals and Camping</b>	
Daily Pavilion Rental	\$150
Pavilion Rental (Wedding)	\$150
Base rate for RVs	\$18
Senior (65 years old and over), Active & Retired Military, Peace Officer, and Red Card Fire Fighter [DISCOUNTS]	\$15



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Base rate for tents	\$16
With DISCOUNTS	\$14
Additional tents	\$10
Group camping per tent	\$7
R.V. Weekly rate	\$110
With DISCOUNTS	\$97
R.V. Monthly rate	\$350
With DISCOUNTS	\$315
Sanitary dump fee	\$10
<b>FREEDOM RIDES MUSEUM</b>	
<b>Fee</b>	
<b>Admissions</b>	
Adult	\$5
Senior (65 years old and above), College, Military	\$4
Child (6-18 years old)	\$3
Child under 6 years old	Free
Group (minimum 10 people)	\$1 off regular admission
Family (2 adults, 2 children)	\$12
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
Special Promotional Events – Such as annual opening of museum on Martin Luther King Birthday holiday.	\$3
Special Programming Events – Such as speaker events, special tours, trolley tours, exhibition highlight tours.	\$10
<b>OLD CAHAWBA</b>	
<b>Fee</b>	
<b>Admissions</b>	
Adult	\$2
Child (6 - 18 years old)	\$1
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
Walking tours (1 hour)	\$8
Step on Bus Tours	\$8
Basic Wagon tour (group for 2 hours)	
Adult	\$10
Child (under 18 years old)	\$8
Extended Tour (2 hours)	\$15
Workshops or Classes per day	\$25
<b>Rentals</b>	
Group rental - picnic area (4 hours)	\$75
Group rental – Church (4 hours)	\$250
Shuttle fee for canoeists to Hwy 22	\$15
Shuttle fee for canoeists to Hwy 80	\$25
Canoe rental with shuttle - weekends only	\$40
<b>Fee</b>	

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<b>POND SPRING, THE GENERAL JOE WHEELER HOME</b>	
<b>Admissions</b>	
Adult	\$8
Senior (65 years old and above), College, Military	\$5
Child (6-18 years old)	\$3
Child (under 6 years old)	Free
Group (minimum 10 people)	\$1 off above
Special Use Coupon	\$1 off
<b>Events &amp; Programs</b>	
Victorian Kids Camp - Summer	\$50 / child
<b>Rentals</b>	
Facility Use (grounds)	\$100 / hour
Converted 1930s Barn (not currently available)	\$200 / hour
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Photocopies	\$.25 / page