



Early Season Boat Ramp Access

March 14, 2023 - Teton County/Jackson Parks & Recreation would like to announce that there will be early season river access at Wilson Boat Ramp and South Park Boat Ramp. The Parks Department budgets for April 15th opening of boat ramp facilities for public use. Due to the exceptional snowfall this year the Snake River Fund (SRF) is coordinating efforts and resources to create access to both Wilson and South Park ramps. Those who would like to contribute to SRF's ramp clearing campaign can do so at www.snakeriverfund.org/donate. Clearing of the access roads and ramps will take place on Thursday March 16th, 2023, and barring any unforeseen weather impacts the ramps will open for river access by Friday March 17th. The SRF will be responsible for restroom access and facilities maintenance until April 15th. Please be aware that down river established access/exit points located in the Bridger Teton National Forest are not currently open. For additional information on boat ramps south of South Park please reference the BTNF website: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/activity/btnf/recreation/fishing/?recid=71389&actid=43>

Additionally, there will be construction impacts at Wilson Boat Ramp this spring related to the upland development. Staff anticipates minimal impacts until fall of 2023 but there may be some closures or restricted access from time to time. Teton County will communicate those through press releases and post on the Parks & Recreation website, as well as the Snake River Fund website. The Snake River Fund would like to remind users that early season conditions exist. Cold water, unpredictable weather, and unnavigable channels should all be considered when planning an early season float. Please boat responsibly and be respectful of the river resources, wildlife impacts and avoid private property. We would like to thank the SRF for their efforts and willingness to provide this amenity to the community prior to spring opening. For questions or concerns regarding Wilson and South Park you can e-mail Andy Erskine, Parks Manager. aerskine@tetoncountwy.gov