Glissman Renter Notice

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Public Access Reminder

The Glissman Conservation Area, including the pond, has always been open to the public. With the addition of a new parking lot, visitor access will now be easier and more frequent. Please see map.

- Designated Park hours: One-half hour before sunrise to 10:00 PM.
- The Dallas County Sheriff's Department has been notified and will patrol the area regularly after hours to ensure rules are followed.

Private Rental Areas

- The rental house, yard, and driveway remain for renters only. Areas surrounding the house will be appropriately signed.
- The trail and pond are part of the Glissman Conservation Area, which is and has always been open to the public.

New Procedures for Renters

- The entry gate at the beginning of the park will remain open at all times. Closed during inclement weather.
- At the new parking lot, there is a padlocked cable gate.
- On the back of the gate pole, you will find a lockbox (similar to the one at the house).
- This lockbox uses the same 4-digit code as the house. Inside is a key for the padlock.
- After using the key to unlock the padlock:
 - 1. Open the gate and drive through.
 - 2. Close the gate immediately after entering.
 - 3. At the end of your stay, return the key to the lockbox.

Important Notes

- Please do not share the code with anyone outside your rental group.
- Closing the gate helps maintain security and limits unwanted vehicle traffic.
- If you notice any suspicious activity, you may contact the Dallas County Sheriff's Department. For emergencies, dial 911; for non-emergencies, dial 515-993-4567.

Thank you for supporting our goal to improve public access.

We also want to ensure your privacy and comfort are looked after during your stay.