

Kansas Area
Recreational Closures
Updated June 23, 2025

Council Grove 620-767-5195

Canning Creek – #1-5, 18-19, 26-28 – closed – flood impact (high water).

Santa Fe Trail – #1-13 – closed - flood impact (high water).

Outlet East – May 15-July 1 temporary closure - staffing shortage (all park – closed).

Kit Carson – closure – staffing shortage/flood impacts (high water).

Richey Cove – May 15-July 1 temporary closure – staffing shortage/flood impacts (all park – closed).

John Redmond 620-364-8613

Dam Site – flood impacts (high water).

Hartford Boat Ramp - flood impacts (high water).

Strawn Boat Ramp - flood impacts (high water).

Otter Creek ORV Area - flood impacts (high water).

Hickory Creek East - flood impacts (high water).

Hickory Creek West (Ottumwa) - flood impacts (high water).

Marion 620-382-2101

Overlook – Open; restrooms are closed pending repair/renovation due to damages (lightning + vandalism).

Cottonwood – Sites #9-23, 38-94, 95-107, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147 – closed - flood impacts (high water).

Hillsboro Cove - Sites #1 + 11 - closed (maintenance - electrical repair).

Hillsboro Cove – Site #12-23 and 44-51 – closed – flood impacts (high water).

French Creek – All closed – flood impacts (high water).

Marion Cove – Closed – flood impacts (high water), boat ramp is open.

Fall River 620-658-4445

Overlook – Open, Restroom closed (maintenance - plumbing/electrical repairs).

Whitehall Bay – June 11 – 30; temporary closure (road construction).

Overlook Boat Ramp – closed – flood impacts (high water).

North Rock Ridge Boat Ramp – closed – flood impacts (high water).

Elk City 620-336-2741

Overlook – Open, Restroom closed (electrical service repairs).