

Kansas Area
Recreational Closures
Updated July 1, 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 – closure – 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, 38-117, 119-120, 130-133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145-165, Group Site #2
- closed - flood impacts (high water).
Hillsboro Cove - Sites #1 + 11 - closed (maintenance - electrical repair).
Hillsboro Cove – Site #12-23, 26, 44-52 – closed – flood impacts (high water).
Hillsboro Cove – Swimming Beach – closed (high water).
French Creek – All closed – flood impacts (high water).
Marion Cove – Closed – flood impacts (high water), boat ramp is open.
Spillway – Closed – both east and west (construction).

Fall River 620-658-4445

Overlook – Open, Restroom closed (maintenance - plumbing/electrical repairs).
North Rock Ridge Boat Ramp – closed – flood impacts (high water).

Elk City 620-336-2741

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