



ABQ BioPark Photo Permit Agreement

- A Daily Photography Permit (\$25) or Annual Photography Permit (\$250) includes admission for one photographer. A Photo Assistant (\$50) may be added to the permit, allowing for one additional admission. All models/clients and staff/assistants must have their own admission ticket or valid membership.
- All photography must take place during regular business hours (9 am to 5 pm) and must conclude when the BioPark closes. **No daily permits will be issued after 4:30 pm.** Photography/filming sessions may not take place during special events.
- All photography and video sessions must be taken in public viewing areas only. Photographers and models/clients may not step in garden beds/animal areas, behind fences/railings, on railroad tracks, etc. All people and equipment must stay on public paths. No person, plant, habitat, property, or facility may be interfered with or damaged.
- The moving/removing of plants or structures, including but not limited to benches, containers, displays, interpretation, fencing, etc., is strictly forbidden.
- Public paths must remain accessible to BioPark guests at all times; do not block paths, close gates/doors, ask gardeners/keepers to stop work, move equipment/tools, or interfere with employee work and the guest experience.
- No decorations are allowed, freestanding or otherwise. Nothing may be hung, attached, staked, etc. to any part of the Botanic Garden.
- Public restrooms are not for use as changing rooms.
- All rules pertaining to prohibited items must be observed: no flower petals, balloons, confetti, glitter, rice, birdseed, bubbles, candles, sports equipment, etc. Live and artificial flowers of all kinds are permitted. Please review the BioPark's website for a complete list of other items not permitted.
- Photography/film with subjects in swimwear or attire that might be considered inappropriate to other guests is NOT permitted. Questions regarding appropriateness must be directed to the Admissions Supervisor.
- The applicant/photographer will be held accountable for the actions of themselves, assistants, and models/clients for any inappropriate behavior and/or damage to BioPark property. If any inappropriate behavior is observed, the applicant will receive one warning. If the warning is not heeded and inappropriate behavior continues, or if the behavior is considered egregious, the applicant/photographer and all accompanying parties will be required to leave the BioPark immediately and without a refund.
- The applicant agrees that the topic or end result of the photography/filming session shall not identify the BioPark and its mission, habitats, animals/plants in a derogatory or defaming manner.

Failure to adhere to these rules may result in removal from the ABQ BioPark.

By signing I acknowledge that I have read and agree to the above rules.

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Daily Photo Permit (\$25)

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Annual Photo Permit (\$250)

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Photo Assistant (\$50)

Photographer Section

Name: _____ Cell Phone #: _____

Business Name: _____ Business Phone #: _____

Business Address: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

ABQ BioPark Section

BioPark Representative: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____