

**CITY OF KENAI
PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
210 Fidalgo Avenue
Kenai, AK 99611
907-283-3692**

ADOPT-A-BENCH

Adopt-a-Bench Program

The City of Kenai's Adopt-a-Bench Program allows citizens an opportunity to recognize a special person, an achievement, or occasion by donating a bench within the town. There are a number of places in our parks and other areas throughout town where benches may be placed. The criteria for the site list was based on bench needs and maximum number of benches appropriate for each area.

These benches are a great way to provide a resting spot for individuals, improve aesthetics, and recognize someone special. The attractive new bench is made from recycled plastic and is environmental and maintenance friendly.

General Requirements

Individuals, families, organizations, or businesses may purchase a bench. The price for a bench with shipping is approximately \$450. The cost covers the bench, installation, and maintenance. Bench donations are accepted on the basis that the City will maintain them for ten (10) years at the specified location, after which the disposition of the gift is at the sole discretion of the City of Kenai. Former bench owners will have priority regarding bench replacement sites.

The benches are six feet (6') long and made from rubber coated expanded metal. Order time for benches is approximately four (4) weeks. Upon receipt of the bench, the City requires a minimum of two weeks to arrange installation. The City will take every reasonable precaution to prevent a bench from being stolen, however, will not be responsible for replacement should this occur.

Ordering Process

- a) Before completing the Adopt-a-Bench Form, the donor will contact the Parks & Recreation Director, for the City of Kenai (907) 283-3692 to discuss park location options or other possible locations.

- b) Once the bench location is determined, donor will submit the Adopt-a-Bench Form and payment to the Parks & Recreation Department.
- c) Upon receipt of final payment, the bench will be ordered.
- d) Parks staff will contact donor when bench is received to discuss installation timeline.

MEMORIAL BENCH FORM

Please complete this form and mail it with your check (made out to the City of Kenai) to the address noted below.

Your Name _____

Your address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work phone _____

E-mail address _____ Fax number _____

Please mail with enclosed check to:

City of Kenai
Parks & Recreation Dept.
Attn: Bob Frates
210 Fidalgo Ave.
Kenai, AK 99611

BENCH: **\$ 450.00**
(includes shipping)

TOTAL: **\$ _____**

For additional information:

Phone: 907-283-3692 Fax: 907-283-3693
E-mail: bfrates@ci.kenai.ak.us

For office use only:

1. Name of park and site requested

2. How would group like to be involved? Circle as many as are appropriate.

- Notified after installation
- Be present at time of installation
- Other _____