The following parks allow registered metal detector use:

(List subject to revision)
Alta Lake*

Battle Ground Lake

Bay View* Belfair*

Birch Bay Bogachiel*

Bridgeport*
Bridle Trails

Brooks Memorial

Camano Island* Central Ferry*

Chief Timothy

Conconully*
Crow Butte*

Daroga Dash Point

Deception Pass

Dosewallips

Fay Bainbridge*

Fields Spring Fort Flagler

Griffiths-Priday

Haley Property Ike Kinswa

Illahee

Joemma Beach*

Kanaskat-Palmer* Kitsap Memorial*

Kopachuck*

Lake Chelan
Lake Easton*

Lake Sammamish

Lake Sylvia

Lake Wenatchee*

Larrabee

Lewis and Clark
Lewis and Clark Trail*

Lincoln Rock*

Millersylvania*

Moran

Mount Spokane

Mukilteo Nolte

Ocean City* Osoyoos Lake

Paradise Point

Pearrygin Lake*
Penrose Point*

Potholes

Rainbow Falls

Rasar*

Rockport* Saint Edward

Saltwater

Scenic Beach*

Schafer*

Sequim Bay

Shine Tidelands
South Whidbey*

Steamboat Rock* Sun Lakes

Tolmie

Twanoh

25-Mile Creek*

Twin Harbors*
Wanapum*

Wenberg

Yakima Sportsman*

Note: Day-use Areas
* Indicates there are
areas open to metal
detecting in
campgrounds and
group camp areas.
Please refer to the
park map for
specific areas open to
metal detecting.

"" Metal detecting is allowed between the ocean water's edge and the mean high tide line along the Washington coast.

REGISTRATION	l for Me	REGISTRATION for Metal Detector Use
Name	••	Telephone Number
Address (City, State, Zip Code)		
Park Where Detecting		Date of Detecting
I have read and understood the above	summary of rules	I have read and understood the above summary of rules for use of metal detectors in state parks.
Signature		Date

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Your guide to

Metal Detecting

in Washington State Parks

within specified portions of approved state parks. · Users shall not destroy park facilities, natural features or historical or archaeological resources.

· Users must properly dispose of all found or

• The use of metal detectors is permitted only

Visitors need to be familiar with a few rules

before using a metal detector in Washington's state

parks. Following these simple rules will ensure that

Washington Administrative Code 352-32-235

governs the use of metal detectors in state parks. Its

full text is below. Please contact a park ranger for

the park remains open to hobbyists and that

facilities and resources are protected.

additional information.

A Quick Summary of Rules

No item appearing to be of historical or archaeological significance, remaining from either early pioneer or military activity or from native American presence, may be removed from where it was found. You must report immediately any such find to a park employee, and you must not further disturb the area in which the find occurred.

· An exception to these rules may be requested by special recreation event application available from the agency. · Metal detecting is allowed between the ocean water's

edge and the mean high tide line along the Washington coast.

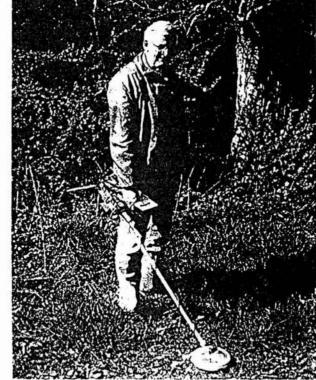
Lost and Found Property

recovered litter.

Please be aware that a "loser" of an item may still own_that item and that the act of finding and recovering an item does not convey ownership rights to the finder. The Lost and Found Property Statute establishes provisions for recovery and retention of

- lost items. · Coins in circulation are not subject to this statute.
- . You must turn in found property to park staff and

complete a Found Property Report, which tracks the disposition of the materials. Failure of the finder to comply with requirements of the law will result in the materials being disposed of as unclaimed property. · If the owner is not found within specified time



with all requirements. · Contact park staff for further information about the

limits, the found property will be released to the finder,

provided that all official proceedings which involve the property are completed and the finder has complied

- Lost and Found Property statute.
- · For more information, call the Washington State Parks information center at (360) 902-8844, or use the Telephone Device for the Deaf at (360) 664-3133.

Washington Administrative Code 352-32-235

"The use and operation of metal detectors, as well as the removal of small contemporary materials, is permitted within selected state parks as designated by the director or designee, in accordance with all commission direction on land management, and subject to the conditions and limitations specified.

(1) The use of metal detectors is permitted only within specified portions of approved state parks as posted for public reference. Metal detecting may be allowed in an approved campsite occupied by the registered

detectorist and in unoccupied campsites within approved campgrounds. (2) The use of metal detectors within a state park

shall be limited to daylight hours that the park has posted as "open." No use shall be allowed during periods of seasonal or emergency park closure, except where otherwise posted. (3) Any person wishing to use a metal detector shall

so indicate to park personnel at the park where the use is to occur, by complying with the registration process provided for such purpose. (4) Exceptional uses of metal detectors in state parks may

be allowed through the issuance of a special recreation event application, available from the agency. (5) This section does not apply to commission employees

while engaged in the performance of their duties. (6) Persons operating metal detectors in state parks and state park areas shall:

resources. No item which is, or appears to be of historical or archaeological significance, may be

(a) Observe all laws and regulations.

(b) Never destroy or disturb park facilities, natural features, or historical or archeological

removed from the site at which it was found. Any such find shall be immediately reported to park personnel, and the area in which the find

occurred shall not be disturbed further.

(c) Limit digging implements to ice picks, screwdrivers and probes not to exceed two inches in width and sand scoops not to exceed six inches in width and eight inches in length, containing

perforations no less than one-half inch in width, to be used only on sand surfaces. Any holes dug shall be limited to six inches maximum depth and shall be immediately refilled and the surface restored to its earlier condition.

(d) Properly dispose of all found or recovered trash and litter.

(e) Conduct themselves with thoughtfulness,

courtesy and consideration for others, and not

interfere with other recreational activities. An operator shall not allow any emitted metal

detector sound audible to other park users.

(7) Any violation of this section is an infraction under chapter 7.84 RCW.