Colorado/Green Rivers - Canyonlands National Park, UT

Boaters may enjoy flatwater sections of the Green and Colorado Rivers as well as the challenging whitewater section through Cataract Canyon in Canyonlands National Park. Permits are required for each trip type.

Process: Permits are required year-round for all overnight trips at https://www.recreation.gov/permits/621748. Permits become available 4 month in advance of the start date. Advanced permit reservations close 2 days prior to a launch date. Non-motorized flatwater trips on the Green or Colorado River must obtain a commercial upriver shuttle from Spanish Bottom prior to making a permit reservation.

You can also get a river permit in person from the Backcountry Permit Office in Moab or at a Canyonlands NP visitor center.

Fees: There is a non-refundable \$36.00 reservation fee for all permit reservations and a \$25 per person recreation fee.

Cancellations and changes: Changes to a permit reservation may be made up to until 8:00am MT of the launch date. No changes are allowed once the permit has been printed. When the reservation is made, you may list one alternate trip leader to which the permit may be transferred.

Additional Information: Group size limit is 40 people for private river trips. You can have a permit for up to 14 consecutive nights.

Contact:

Canyonlands National Park 2282 SW Resource Blvd. Moab, UT 84532

Phone: (435) 259-4351, Monday - Friday, 8am – 12pm MT

Website: www.nps.gov/cany/planyourvisit/boating.htm