

Virgin River, Zion National Park, UT

Application Process:

All watercraft use in Zion National Park requires a wilderness permit. These permits can be obtained at the Zion Canyon Visitor Center during either the day before or the day of your trip. Check here for [Wilderness Desk Hours](#).

Permits are issued when the river is flowing in excess of 150 cubic feet per second. Watercraft must be specifically designed for whitewater use. Operators must be equipped with approved personal flotation devices.

Permits for kayaking through The Narrows will not be issued on the day of the trip and must be obtained the day before. An early start to this trip is needed.

Application Fees:

No Permit Fee

\$30 per vehicle Park Entrance fee (unless you have a valid Federal Park pass)

Additional Information:

Inner tubes are not permitted at any time on any watercourse within the park.

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