Green River (Desolation/Gray Canyon), UT

Permit Process:

A permit is required year round for floating the Desolation Gray Canyons section of the Green River. Permits can be reserved at https://www.recreation.gov/permits/233393. Starting December 1 through January 31 applications may be submitted online for launch dates between May 1 and September 30. Each application can include four possible launch dates. Lottery notifications are emailed on February 15. All dates not awarded and all dates cancelled through the lottery will be available on www.recreation.gov starting March 16.

Launch dates prior to May 1 and after September 30 will be available on a first come basis starting December 1 also on www.recreation.gov.

Fees:

Permit Application: \$6.00 non-refundable fee.

River trip Fees: \$40 per person. Permit holders will be responsible for payment of fees for their entire group. A minimum payment of \$40 (1 person) must be made when confirming reservation. Final payment for their entire group must be made in full at least 14 days prior to the actual launch date. The permit must be printed at this time also.

Cancellations:

If you cancel your reservation at least 31 days prior to your entry date, all reservation fees collected will be refunded. If you cancel your reservation 30 days or less prior to the entry date, none of the fees will be refunded.

Please cancel your reservation if you are unable to use it as this opens quota space for others.

Additional Information:

The maximum group size is 25 people. Do not show up at the launch ramp without a permit expecting to launch or to join another group. Minimum trip length is 3 calendar days. Maximum trip length is 9 calendar days. Pets are prohibited on the Desolation and Gray Canyons section of the Green River year round.

As of September 2018, all activities on Ute Tribal Lands are strictly prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to landing water craft, visitation of sites, camping and hiking. Ute Tribal Lands are on River left (east side of the river) from Sand Wash to Coal Creek. Contact the Ute Tribe's Fish and Wildlife Dept. at (435) 772-5511 if you have questions.

Contact:

Bureau of Land Management Price Field Office 125 South 600 West Price, UT 84501 (435) 636-3600

Website: https://www.blm.gov/programs/recreation/passes-and-permits/lotteries/utah/desolationgray