

PTRF Portable Toilet Rental Policy for Tar-Pamlico River Camping Platforms

- All groups using any one or more of the Tar-Pamlico River Camping Platforms are required to carry a portable toilet with detachable waste bags on their camping/paddling trip.
- Portable toilets with bags are available for rent at the PTRF office in Washington for **\$10/trip** or are available for purchase at local outdoor retailers or Walmart for approx. \$30-\$40. Bags should be carried from the site when breaking camp. Remember to abide by the Leave No Trace Outdoor Ethics and "Pack it in, Pack it out" when you leave.
- Alternatively, you can use a 5-gallon bucket with a lid, fitted with a heavy-duty plastic bag (a trash bag works). Kitty litter helps absorb odors. ALL waste must be disposed of properly when paddle trips are over. **DO NOT** dump waste at or near platforms!
- Rented portable toilets must be picked up and dropped off at the PTRF office in Washington at 108 Gladden Street on the waterfront. They must be returned within 2 days of the end of your rental. Please be observant of our office hours, which are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. **EACH TOILET MUST BE THOROUGHLY CLEANED AND DISINFECTED USING SOME SORT OF BLEACH PRODUCT!**
- **IF THE TOILETS ARE NOT RETURNED INTACT AND IN CLEAN CONDITION, YOU WILL INCUR A \$30 REPLACEMENT CHARGE. A LATE FEE OF \$10/DAY WILL BE CHARGED FOR LATE RENTAL RETURNS!**
- Rentals can be reserved using the online reservation system for the camping platforms when you make your trip reservation or can be handled by calling the PTRF office at 252-946-7211 or email us at rivercamping@ptrf.org.