




# Tents on Pensacola Beach



*Our beaches provide an oasis for creating lasting memories. In an effort to ensure your day at the beach is “sun”sational, we encourage you to adhere to the following:*

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- Tents larger than 10`x12` require a permit from Santa Rosa Island Authority. Escambia County Fire Prevention Bureau may require you to have a permit as well. Call 850.595.1810 for inquiry.
  - Completed tent application must be submitted at least two weeks prior to event. Attach a detailed site map, and a flame retardant certificate. Application fee must be paid at time of submission-\$25.00, cash or check made out to SRIA.
  - The Island Authority will contact you upon approval. If the tent will be on the public beach, Sound or Gulf side, approval from Florida Department of Environmental Protection is required -SRIA will obtain this.
  - You must provide SRIA with a copy of the approved permit from Escambia County before the tent can be erected.
  - Tents must be secured without driving stakes into parking lots.
  - A fire extinguisher and ‘No Smoking’ signs must be in the tent at all times and visible
  - Please refer to Escambia County ordinance 2015-29 regarding items left unattended on the beach after sunset -see ‘Rules’ tab on our website

*For the safety and enjoyment of Pensacola Beach visitors and for the preservation of the area’s flora and fauna, please take these rules to heart.*

For more information visit [www.visitpensacolabeach.com](http://www.visitpensacolabeach.com) or call 850.932.2257



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