

GOLDEN AGE

Golden Age Passports are now available from the Bureau of Land Management Office at 1028 Aurora Drive. The passports, available to any U.S. citizen 62 years of age or older, permit free entry into National Park Service areas and areas administered by the Forest Service.

If the holder of the permit is in a private vehicle, all persons accompanying him will be admitted free. If the holder is in a commercial vehicle, only his immediate family will be admitted free.

In addition to providing admittance to federal parks and recreation areas, the passport is good for a 50 per cent discount on many recreation use fees at NPS, FS, and BLM recreation sites.

The passports must be applied for in person and proof of age is required. Proof of age may be established with a state driver's license, a birth certificate or a signed affidavit attesting to the person's age. The passports last a lifetime and are free.