


















PAWS AND PONDER

Considerations for a Successful Visit

-  **IMPORTANT:** Handlers are legally responsible for the actions of their dogs, and the City of Greenville will assume no responsibility for any injuries to humans or animals.
-  At times, the park can become crowded. If you're unsure how your dog will react to crowded conditions, don't force it into what it may perceive as threatening. Return at a less crowded time.
-  First time users should consider coming at off-peak times for their initial visit.
-  Do not enter the double-gated transition area when someone else is in that area, to eliminate the possibility of both gates being open simultaneously.
-  Place your dog off leash in the transition area before entering the unleashed area. Some dogs feel threatened when leashed in the presence of unleashed dogs.
-  Quickly move away from the entrance area and the fence as you enter to help disperse dogs that may come to welcome your dog & assure that your dog won't feel cornered.
-  Always be considerate of others and our off leash facility will be an enjoyable, positive experience for handlers & dogs.
-  **If a dog becomes aggressive or disruptive, the responsible handler will remove the dog from the fenced area.**

-  **Always scoop your dog's poop!** Bags are provided, use them! Also, please help with "orphan poop." Provision of this type of public amenity may depend on control of this issue!!! Do your part and more.
-  Keep your dog leashed while outside the fenced area, or you'll be in violation of the City's Leash Law.
-  Please help keep the area clean. This is everyone's job.
-  Please have an ID tag (with owner's, phone # & address) and current rabies vaccination tag on the collar or harness.
-  Protect your Pet! Consult your vet for advice on other vaccinations (Bordatella, Distemper, Parvo, etc.) Don't forget heartworm protection!
-  Leaving while your dog is still having a good time makes it more likely your dog will want to return for subsequent visits.
-  Keep your head on "swivel" as there will likely be groups of running dogs. People can be obstructions. Stay alert!
-  **Food (including "dog chews") is prohibited within the fenced area.**
-  The "Friends of OLDA" want to help make **YOUR** dog park a success. Join us in our efforts! Please contact:



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Welcome to the City Of Greenville's

Off-Leash Dog Area

"An Opportunity for Dog Owners and their Dogs to Recreate"



So can you come outside and play?

This project is a joint effort between area Dog Owners, and the City of Greenville and its Police and Recreation & Parks Departments



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