

Guidelines and Stipulations for the Use of Greenville's Off-Leash Dog Area

Note: The successful and on-going operation of Greenville's first Off-Leash Dog Area is dependent upon the support and cooperation of all users and their willingness and ability to utilize the facility harmoniously.

Please know and follow all guidelines.



Users assume all risks of injury to themselves and their dog(s).

Use is limited to handlers and their dog(s) only.

Dogs vaccinations must be current. A current rabies tag should be evident.

Dogs must be on leash while entering or exiting the transition area's **main** gate.

Choke, prong (pinch) and spike collars are prohibited.

For their protection, children under 55" tall are not permitted in off-leash area. Youth under 16 years old must be with an adult.

Dogs in heat and those with contagious conditions are prohibited from using the OLDA.

Aggressive dogs are not permitted on premises. Dogs must be removed from the off leash area at the first sign of aggression.

Dog handlers must remain in the fenced area with their dog(s) in view at all times.

Dog owners must have "leash in hand" at all times.

All dog handlers must **immediately** clean up dog waste, sealing it in provided plastic bags and disposing in designated receptacles.

Handlers should **not** allow their dogs to dig holes within the fenced area.

Upon request of a Police Officer or Animal Control Officer, dog handlers must provide proof of rabies shot.

All dog handlers must have a legal form of identification, with photo, and show that ID at the request of a Police Officer or Animal Control Officer.

Maximum two (2) dogs per handler.

Failure to follow guidelines or direction from any Animal Control Officer or Greenville Recreation & Parks staff member will be grounds for immediate and possibly permanent loss of OLDA use privileges.

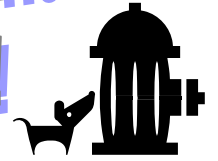


PROHIBITED WITHIN FENCED AREA:

Food, smoking, bare feet, choke collars, children under ten, children under 16 without an accompanying adult, dogs that are in heat, aggressive dogs, weapons, and, of course, alcoholic beverages.

(Guidelines subject to change).

We need all the friends we can get!



A "friends of the park" group is being formed to support the Off Leash Dog Area and help assure its success.

Be part of this special effort!

Please contact Anita DeSantis at anita_OLDA@suddenlink.net to find out how!

Become a Bark Ranger!

A citizens group is being formed to work in partnership with Rec and Parks to assure the success of Greenville's Off Leash Dog Area.

Bark Rangers will frequent the park to watch over the facility, identify safety or maintenance issues, answer questions, assist patrons if needed, help assure compliance with facility guidelines, and gather input from OLDA users.

Interested? Contact Anita at e-mail address above.



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