



City of Rockville

**DOG PARK RULES AND COMPLIANCE
PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND LIABILITY RELEASE**

Dog Park Rules

- This park is for the use and enjoyment of **Rockville City residents only**. Use of this park is at the user's own risk.
- All users must have a signed Dog Park Rules Compliance and Release form on file with the Rockville Police Department, Neighborhood Services Division. Forms are available at the Rockville Police Department, 2 West Montgomery Avenue, Rockville, MD 20850 or on the City's website, www.rockvillemd.gov.
- All dogs **must be currently licensed** with the Rockville City Police Department, Neighborhood Services Division.
- No guard or attack dog or any dog found to be dangerous or potentially dangerous, as determined by the City of Rockville or other jurisdiction, is allowed in the park at any time.
- Dog park hours of operation are dawn to dusk.
- **Owners are legally responsible for the behavior of their dogs.**
- Owners must remain in the dog park at all times and keep their dog under control.
- A parent or guardian must accompany children under the age of 16.
- Dogs must be leashed when outside of the dog park.
- No more than two (2) dogs per family are allowed in the dog park at any one time.
- Puppies in the park must be older than four (4) months.
- Dogs in heat are not allowed in the park.
- Owners must clean up and dispose of feces left by their dogs. Bags and trashcans are available on the premises.
- No smoking, food or dog treats are allowed in the dog park.
- Dogs that bark excessively or dig are prohibited.
- No professional dog training, unless approved by Rockville City's park managers.
- Violators of these rules are subject to removal from the dog park, suspension of dog park privileges and /or issuance of civil citations and fines.

TO CONTACT PARK STAFF, CALL 240-314-8700 TO CONTACT NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES, CALL 240-314-8930

I Understand That: Permission from the City to use the dog park is conditional on compliance with the above dog park rules.

I Also Understand and Agree That: The purpose of the dog park is to provide a fenced-in area where dog owners may bring their dogs and permit them to run freely with other dogs, and that unleashing my dog(s) and being present in an area where there are other people, including children, and other unleashed dogs, poses risks to others and myself and to my dog(s) and the dogs and property of dogs, and I do hereby agree to assume such risks.

I Further Agree To: Release, discharge, hold harmless and indemnify the City of Rockville and all of its officials, agents, officers, employees and representatives from liability for any and all claims for injuries, damages and/or losses whatsoever to any person or animal (including, but not limited to disability and death) or property which may arise out of, result from or be associated with the use of or presence on the dog park by myself and/or my dog(s).

NAME OF DOG OWNER: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **TELEPHONE NUMBER:** _____

NAME OF DOG(S): _____ **VACCINATION EXPIRATION:** _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

OWNER'S SIGNATURE (PRINT AND SIGN)

DATE

For dog park updates, I would like to be contacted by (check one): _____ **EMAIL** _____ **US MAIL**