



# CITY OF ELLISVILLE

## DOG PARK RULES

Dog Park Hours: Dawn to Dusk

1. Owners are legally responsible for their dogs and any injuries or damages caused by their dogs. The word "owner" applies to the adult person accompanying the dog(s).
2. All dogs must be spayed or neutered.
3. Dog feces and waste must be cleaned up and properly disposed of by owners immediately.
4. All dogs must be on a leash until inside the fenced area.
5. Dog owners must carry a leash at all times, closely supervise their dogs and at no time may the owner leave the fenced area without his/her dog.
6. Limit (3) dogs per handler in the off-leash area.
7. Gates must be closed except when entering or exiting the off-leash area.
8. Dogs must have a current Ellisville Dog Park membership, wear a current Ellisville Dog Park tag and wear current rabies vaccination tags.
9. Dogs must be under visual and voice control at all times. Excessive barking or uncontrollable dogs must be removed immediately.
10. Owners must stop dogs from digging and must fill any holes caused by their dogs.
11. Pinch, spike and choke collars must be removed prior to entering the fenced off-leash area.
12. No children under ten (10) years of age allowed; older children must be under adult supervision and not allowed to antagonize dogs. Dog handlers/owners must be 16 years of age.
13. No one may conduct any kind of commercial or professional business in the dog park without approval from the Director of Parks and Recreation.
14. No climbing on or over the fence.
15. No smoking or tobacco use inside the fenced area.
16. Hours of usage are from sunrise to sunset.

### The following are not allowed in the fenced area of the dog park:

1. Aggressive or dangerous dogs.
2. Dogs that are ill or injured.
3. Puppies under six months of age.
4. Animals other than dogs.
5. Alcoholic beverages, food, dog treats, rawhide or glass containers.
6. Bicycles, skateboards, roller skates or blades, or any motorized vehicles, except wheelchairs.

**A DOG OWNER WHO FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE RULES MAY BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE DOG PARK AND MAY HAVE THEIR MEMBERSHIP REVOKED.**