

# Dog Park Rules

Dogs may be allowed off leash within the fenced area of the dog park subject to the rules and regulations set forth below:

- Owners/attendants of a dog are responsible for the acts and conduct of their dog at all times when it is in a Town park. Park users and dog owners/attendants assume all risks related to use of the dog park.
- Park hours: One half hour before sunrise to one half hour after sunset.
- Smoking and food are not allowed within the dog park.
- All dogs must have valid rabies vaccinations and wear tag on collar. If tag is lost, dog attendant must be prepared to provide current rabies vaccination paperwork on demand.
- All dogs six months and older must wear license on collar.
- Females in heat, sick dogs, aggressive dogs and dogs under four months of age are not allowed.
- Dogs with a known history of aggressive or dangerous behavior are not allowed.
- Dogs must be on a leash when entering and exiting the off-leash area.
- Attendants must keep a leash in hand for each dog at all times.
- Dogs must be attended, within sight and under voice control of their attendant at all times.
- Users are limited to two dogs per person at any one time.
- Children under the age of 16 are not allowed in the park unless accompanied by an attendant 16 years of age or older.
- Choke, prong, pinch, spiked and electronic collars must be removed when your dog is in the park.
- Dogs that display either aggressive or dangerous behavior must be immediately leashed and removed by their attendant.
- Attendants must immediately cleanup and remove dog feces left by their dog. Attendants must possess a device for feces removal. Waste must be disposed of in proper receptacles.
- Attendants are responsible for filling holes and repairing damage caused by their dog.
- Dog treats, chews and dog bones are not allowed in the park.
- Pets other than dogs are not allowed in the park.
- Bikes, strollers, baby carriages, skateboards, skates, rollerblades and motorized vehicles (except park maintenance) are not allowed.

Glastonbury Parks and Recreation  
Glastonbury Dog Park  
PO Box 997  
Glastonbury, CT 06033

# Glastonbury Dog Park

A Cooperative Project  
between Glastonbury Dog  
Lovers and the Town of  
Glastonbury



## For Additional Information

Call the Glastonbury Parks and Recreation  
Department at (860)652-7679

## Visit us on the Web

<http://dogpark.glastonbury-ct.gov>




# The Glastonbury Dog Park

Dogs are such an important part of many people's lives today. Being social creatures, dogs like to interact-both with the humans they live with and with other dogs. A dog park is designed as a fenced area where dogs can exercise and socialize without having to remain on a leash.

Until recently, it was unlawful for dogs to be off-leash on Town owned land including public parks and open space areas. In 2008, a group of Glastonbury residents expressed the desire to develop a place where dogs could be allowed to run off-leash legally. With support from the Glastonbury Town Council, several Town owned properties were reviewed and evaluated for their suitability as a public dog park. After careful review, a 2 acre site within the Riverfront Park, 200 Welles Street, was designated for the development of a dog park.

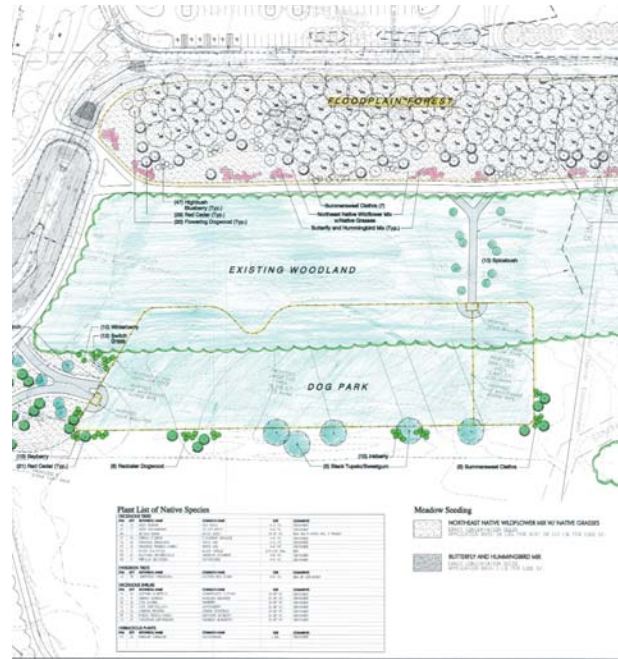
From 2008-2011, an ad hoc group of Glastonbury residents worked together to raise the funds needed to build the dog park. The group also helped formulate the rules for park use and was an integral part of the park's design. With over 2,500 licensed dogs in Glastonbury, it is anticipated that the park will be well used by Glastonbury's dog owners and lovers. The dog park is the one legal, public, off-leash area that has been set aside for dogs.

The Glastonbury Dog Park offers many benefits including:

-  A safe and controlled environment for dogs to play and exercise.
-  A well-shaded designated off-leash area for dogs and dog owners to socialize with each other.
-  Encouraging responsible dog ownership by promoting dog licensing, vaccination, and clean up

# Dog Park Location

The Dog Park is located at the Riverfront Park on 200 Welles Street.



The park is expected to be open from one half hour before sunrise to one half hour after sunset.

## Dog Park Amenities

- 2 acres with wood chip surface
- Five-foot-high perimeter fencing and a double-gated entrances
- Water fountain with watering station for dogs is available seasonally April through November
- Accessible parking area and route for people with disabilities
- Benches
- Waste bag dispenser and garbage cans for dog waste
- small dog fenced area with separate gate entrance
- Accessible Port-a-Potty
- Dog play elements within the park

## Contact Information

First Name	
Last Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip	Phone ( )
Agency/Organization	
E-Mail	

## Contribution Information

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## Sponsor a Piece of the Park

Desired park installment:

Fence Section (\$250)  Bench (\$1,000)

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