

East Grand Rapids

Dog Park Rules

Users of this facility do so at their own risk. Dog behavior can be unpredictable around other dogs and strangers. Dog owners assume any liability for any injury or damage to any person, animal or property caused by their dog(s). The individual accompanying the dog to the park will be considered the owner for purposes of these guidelines.

- Hours: 7:00am to 10:00pm
- Owners are responsible for the actions of their dogs. If reasonable control is not possible, do not enter the enclosed areas.
- All dogs must wear a collar and current registration tags and be properly licensed, be healthy and have current vaccinations to enter the dog park.
- Owners must clean up after their dogs. Waste stations have been included in the park for your convenience.
- Before entering, please be sure your dog is calm and balanced. Many dogs would benefit from a long walk before entering the enclosure.
- Do not enter through the second gate with the leash on your dog.
- Both gates must be closed and latched after entering or exiting the area.
- Under no circumstance should dogs be left unattended at the dog park.
- There is a limit of **3** dogs per adult user in each enclosed area at any one time.
- For safety reasons, children under 14 years old may not enter the enclosures without adult supervision.
- No puppies under **16** weeks old or dogs in heat are allowed in the enclosures.
- Dogs displaying aggressive or under-socialized behavior must be controlled or removed.
- Smoking, eating, dog food, rawhides, alcohol and glass containers are prohibited in the enclosures.
- Digging is not allowed. Please do not allow your dog to tear up the grounds.
- The smaller enclosure of the park is for dogs under **25**-lbs only.
- Permission to off-leash your dog applies only within the enclosed areas.
- The City of East Grand Rapids does not assume any liability for any injury or damage to any person, animal or property resulting from use of the dog park.
- If you need to reach the Parks and Recreation Department, please call us at 616-949-1750.

In case of an emergency, please contact 911.