

LEGAL NOTICE
BOROUGH OF RINGWOOD
COUNTY OF PASSAIC
NEW JERSEY

Ordinance No. 2012-#11

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XI -
PARKS AND RECREATION AREAS OF THE
REVISED ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF
RINGWOOD TO ADD SECTION 11 -
RINGWOOD DOG PARK

NOTICE is hereby given that the above ordinance was adopted at the Business Meeting of the Municipal Council of the Borough of Ringwood, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey held at the Violet E. Bogert Municipal Annex, 60 Margaret King Avenue, Ringwood, New Jersey on Thursday, September 6, 2012 shall become effective twenty (20) days from the date of passage.

BY THE ORDER OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

KELLEY A. ROHDE, RMC
BOROUGH CLERK

1t: Wednesday, September 12, 2012
Fees: \$
The Trends

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KELLEY A. ROHDE, RMC
BOROUGH CLERK

1t: Sunday, August 19, 2012
Fees: \$
The Suburban Trends

BE IT ORDAINED by the Municipal Council of the Borough of Ringwood, County of Passaic, State of New Jersey, that Chapter XI – Parks and Recreation Areas - of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Ringwood is amended as follows:

[ADD]

Section 11 – Ringwood Dog Park

A. General Provisions

1. Dog owners are responsible and liable for the actions and behavior of their dogs at all times and may use the park only at their own risk. The Borough of Ringwood will not provide supervision during Dog Park operating hours.
2. The Park may be closed for maintenance without prior notice.
3. Hours: Open during daylight hours or such other times as determined by Resolution of the Municipal Council.
4. Dog tags are not transferable.

B. Pass required. The Borough of Ringwood Dog Park may only be used for dogs which have been registered with the Clerk's office or proof of dog license from another town and have obtained a yearly Dog Park Pass. The fee for a yearly Dog Park Pass is \$25 per household. Proof of homeowner's/renter's insurance must be submitted at time of registration. The owner of any individual responsible for bringing a dog which does not have a pass to the Dog Park, shall be deemed in violation of this Chapter and, upon conviction before the Municipal Judge or other authorized judicial officer, be subject to fines as defined in Chapter 1 - General Penalties and/or shall be subject to the revocation of their Dog Park Pass.

C. Rules & Regulations. The following rules and regulations shall govern the use of the Ringwood Dog Park. Dog owners who fail to comply with the above rules and regulations shall be deemed in violation of this Chapter subject to the penalties provided in Chapter 1 – General Provisions, Section 1-5 General Penalty of the Revised Ordinances of the Borough of Ringwood and/or shall be subject to the revocation of their Dog Park Pass:

1. All dogs must have current rabies and distemper vaccinations. It is recommended that dogs be on a flea or heartworm preventative medication.
2. No dog that is ill may be brought to the park.
3. All dogs must wear a valid license and a Ringwood Dog Park tag when in the park.
4. A limit of two dogs per adult may be brought to the park at one time.
5. Dogs must be accompanied by an adult 18 years or older at all times.
6. Dogs must be kept on a leash until inside the gated area.
7. No puppies younger than 6 months old are permitted in the park.
8. No children under age 8 shall be allowed inside the fenced area; all children between the ages of 8 and 18 are permitted inside the fenced area only if accompanied by an adult.
9. Owners are required to clean up after their dog.
10. The owner must remove a dog from the park at the first sign of aggression. Continued display of aggression by any dog may result in loss of membership.
11. Female dogs must be spayed and male dogs neutered.
12. All dog bites shall immediately be reported to the Ringwood Board of Health.
13. No food shall be allowed within the Park (except water in plastic bottles). Play items must be removed when leaving.
14. No smoking allowed.

Any ordinance or part thereof inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance is repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect 20 days after passage provided by law.