

CITY OF BELMONT

Dogs in Public Places

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Controlling Your Dog in Public Places

When exercising your dog within the metropolitan area (other than in approved dog exercise areas) your dog must be on a leash. The person holding the leash must be able to control the dog in all situations.

This means:

- You can easily hold the dog on the leash without the dog pulling away from you.
- You can prevent the dog from rushing up to other dogs or people.
- The dog will follow basic obedience commands such as "sit", "stay" and "heel".

Children must not be allowed to walk a dog on their own unless they have full control.

In approved dog exercise areas or outside the metropolitan area the dog may only be allowed off the leash when the person responsible for the dog is close by and able to control the dog.

This means:

- The dog will come straight back when called at all times.
- You can prevent the dog from rushing up to other dogs or people.

When the dog is off the leash you must carry a leash in your hand to use if required.

Obedience training will help you to control your dog. Substantial fines may be issued to people who fail to control their dogs correctly in public.

Dog Exercise Areas Within the City of Belmont

These areas are not set aside exclusively for dogs. Other people may use these areas for various activities and dogs must NOT cause a nuisance to other people.

- Arlunya Park, Cloverdale
- Belmont Oval (opp Forster Park), Cloverdale
- Brearley Avenue Reserve, Redcliffe
- Copely Street Reserve, Rivervale
- Cracknell Park, Rivervale
- Forster Park, Cloverdale
- Harman Park, Belmont
- Hoskin Park, Cloverdale
- Lions Park, Rivervale
- McLarty Street Reserve, Cloverdale
- Middleton Park, Cloverdale
- Miles Park, Cloverdale
- Morgan Park, Redcliffe
- Mozart Mews Park, Rivervale
- Nance Park, Kewdale

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- Parkview Chase, Redcliffe
- Peachey Park, Kewdale
- Peet Park, Kewdale
- Redcliffe Park, Redcliffe
- Selby Park, Redcliffe
- Wicca Park, Kewdale
- Willow Lake Park, Cloverdale
- Wilson Park, Rivervale

Places Dogs Are Not Allowed to go

- Private property without permission
- Shops
- Churches
- Places where food is prepared or sold
- Public transport
- Most beaches and foreshores

Dog Droppings

When walking your dog in public areas you must pick up any droppings left by your dog. You can be fined if you do not do so. Carry a scoop or handful of plastic bags with you when walking your dog.

The City of Belmont has provided special bins and bags for dog droppings in the following areas:

Ascot

- Ascot Waters Island
- Pittman Park
- Linear Park
- Garvey Park

Belmont

- Centenary Park

Cloverdale

- Belmont Park
- Forster Park
- Middleton Park
- Miles Park

Kewdale

- Peachey Park
- Peet Park
- Tomato Lake
- Wicca Park

Redcliffe

- Ascot Park
- Epsom Park
- Monier Park
- Redcliffe Park
- Selby Park

Rivervale

- Copley Street Reserve
- Wilson Park