## **DOG PARK RULES**

- 1. Hours are Sunrise to Sunset.
- 2. The use of this dog park is at your own risk.
- 3. No smoking or vaping allowed.
- 4. All dog(s) must be licensed and vaccinated according to your veterinarian's recommendations and are required to be current with rabies vaccination in accordance with Wisconsin State Statute 174. Proof of current rabies vaccination and license is required upon request of a police or animal control officer. Tags may serve as proof.
- 5. Report a bite or scratch to the Wood County Health Officer or a physician immediately.
- 6. Owners/handlers are legally and financially responsible for their dogs and any injuries or damage caused by their dogs.
- 7. Dogs must be leashed when entering and exiting the Dog Park. Dog owners must keep their leash in hand at all times (10' max leash length).
- 8. For the safety of your dog(s) and other park visitors, choke, prong (pinch) and spike collars are strictly prohibited. These types of collars must be removed prior to entering the park.
- 9. No children under the age of 16 are allowed unless accompanied by an adult. For their safety, we do not recommend bringing small children or infants into the dog park.
- 10. Inappropriate or aggressive behavior will not be tolerated and may be subject to fines. If your dog becomes unruly, plays too rough, or shows any sign of aggression, we ask that you please leash your dog and leave immediately. Report incidents to the Wisconsin Rapids Police Department non-emergency phone: (715) 423-4444
- 11. Dog(s) in heat, sick (vomiting, diarrhea, cough), with fleas, or under four months of age are prohibited from entering the park.
- 12. Dog owners must be in the park and within view of their dogs at all times. All off-leash dogs must be under voice control of their owners. If you cannot control your dog off leash, keep your pet leashed at all times.
- 13. Please no food or treats in the park.
- 14. Owner must pick up and dispose of dog's waste in the receptacles provided. Waste bags are provided for your convenience throughout the park.
- 15. Fill any holes your dog digs.
- 16. Close and latch all gates behind you. Call your dog(s) away from the gate while others are entering and leaving.
- 17. Professional trainers may not use the park to conduct their business.
- 18. Failure to abide by these rules, city ordinances, and other park rules, may result in persons or dogs being suspended or expelled from the dog park, as well as citations or other charges being issued to the offending persons.
- 19. Attention Dogs: Grrrrr, bark, woof. Good dog.