



# City of Grosse Pointe Woods

Department of Parks and Recreation

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## Dog Boater Park Pass Application

April 1 – December 31, 2024

### Lake Front Park

23000 Jefferson, SCS

Walking path, Dog Park, and boat access only

Please allow up to five business days for processing.

**BOAT WELL #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Resident Information	Primary Applicant	Primary Phone	Date of Application
	Street Address	Secondary Applicant	Secondary Phone
	Primary Email	Expiration Date of Homeowner's Liability Insurance	

- Dog Boater Park Passes are only available to residents who have a well on file with the Parks and Recreation Department.
- All residents applying for a Dog Park Pass must provide proof of their dog(s) having the following: current GPW Dog License, current Rabies, DHLPP, bordetella, and homeowner's liability insurance with at least \$100,000.00 in coverage which includes coverage for injury/damage caused by the animal.
- Dog Park Passes expire December 31 of each year.
- Please familiarize yourself with the Dog Park Rules which are on the back of this application.
- A pass cannot be issued to puppies under 4 months old due to the need for all vaccinations.
- A limit of 2 dogs per adult when visiting the park. Up to 3 dogs in a household can be registered on the same pass/fob.

Dog #1	Name	Breed	Color	Age	Sex
	GPW License #	Rabies Expiration	DHPP Expiration	Bordetella Expiration	
Dog #2	Name	Breed	Color	Age	Sex
	GPW License #	Rabies Expiration	DHPP Expiration	Bordetella Expiration	
Dog #3	Name	Breed	Color	Age	Sex
	GPW License #	Rabies Expiration	DHPP Expiration	Bordetella Expiration	

The undersigned agrees that the Dog Park Guidelines have been received by the applicant(s), understands the procedures set forth in the booklet, and agrees to follow them. The undersigned further agrees that all above and attached information is true and hereby accepts full responsibility for compliance of all individuals and dogs using the dog park. The undersigned agrees to make financial restitution to the City for any damage to or loss of City property or equipment caused by above named group or any individual member. The undersigned agrees to indemnify the City and hold the City harmless for any claims, suits or damages arising out of use of the dog park and does hereby release the City from any claims, suits or damages resulting from use of the dog park. Further, the undersigned agrees to financial reimbursement to the City if additional cleanup is necessary by the park employees.

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Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Approval of Recreation Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Lake Front Park Dog Boater Park Pass

- Owners are legally responsible for their dogs and any injuries or damages (to persons or property) caused by their dogs while using Lake Front Park. Users agree to indemnify the City of Grosse Pointe Woods by use Lake Front Park from any injuries or damages their dog may cause. **Use of the dog boater park pass is at your own risk.**
- Dogs must be currently licensed with the City of Grosse Pointe Woods and must wear license and identification tags.
- All residents applying for and/or renewing their Dog Park license must provide proof of their dog(s) having the following vaccinations: Rabies, DHLPP (Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parainfluenza, Parvovirus), and Bordetella. Please do not bring a sick dog to the park.
- All residents applying for and/or renewing their Dog Park license must provide proof of homeowner's liability insurance coverage with at least \$100,000.00 minimum coverage which includes coverage for all injury/damage caused by the animal.
- All dogs must be kept **on leash at the Lake Front Park** while walking on leash throughout Lake Front Park.
- Dogs with a history of aggressive behavior are prohibited. A dog owner must leash and remove a dog showing aggressive behavior immediately.
- Barking should be kept to a reasonable level, both for the comfort of other park users as well as nearby neighbors. Occasional barks of joy are acceptable.
- Handlers/guardians must not allow their dogs to bark on a continuous or frequent basis. No dog shall be allowed to unreasonably annoy park patrons and neighbors to the dog park, or to substantially interfere with the quiet enjoyment of others. Dog owners shall be deemed in violation if their pets are barking, whining or howling for more than 10-minutes in any 1-hour period.
- Dog owners must respect all park staff when they ask for assistance or redirect your dog due to nuisance concern.
- Dog owners are limited to 2 dogs in the park at one time.
- All dogs in heat, pregnant or under 4 months old, are prohibited. It is recommended that all dogs are spayed and neutered.
- Dog owners must clean up their dog's fecal waste.
- Dogs must be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older).
- Additional rules may be issued by the Director of Public Works or the City Administration as needed for the orderly operation of the off-leash dog park area.
- Violation of Dog Park rules include but are not limited to restricted use of park, temporary or permanent bans on park usage and professional dog training/evaluation at owner's expense.

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**Complaint and/or Rule Violation Process**

If any of the rules are violated by a pass holder, a complaint is made against a pass holder, or a violation is witnessed by an employee of Grosse Pointe Woods Parks and Recreation Department, the following steps will be taken:

**First Incident\***

- After review by an authorized employee of the Department, which may include talking to any witness to the incident, the pass holder may receive a documented verbal warning from the Grosse Pointe Woods Parks and Recreation Department.
- The verbal warning will be reviewed with the pass holder by an authorized employee of Grosse Pointe Woods Parks and Recreation Department and a notation will be made in the file of the pass holder.

**Second Incident\***

- After review by an authorized employee of the Department, which may include talking to any witness to the incident, the pass holder may receive a written warning which may include suspension from the Lake Front Park for 30 days from the date of infraction.
- The written warning and all prior complaints will be reviewed with the pass holder by an authorized employee of Grosse Pointe Woods Parks and Recreation Department.
- A copy of the written warning will be placed in the pass holder's file.

**Third Incident**

- After notification of the third incident, the pass holder's Lake Front Park privileges will be immediately suspended pending an investigation.
- All prior complaints will be reviewed with the pass holder.
- If the third complaint is found to be justified after an investigation by an authorized employee of the Department, the pass holder is subject to further suspension of Lake Front Park privileges, up to and including permanent revocation of Lake Front Park privileges including deactivation of the pass.
- A determination of revocation may be appealed by the pass holder to the Recreation Commission.

\*Depending on the severity of the incident, Grosse Pointe Woods Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to prohibit the use of the site to any user who is in violation of the rules.

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**Incident/Bite Report**

Incident/Bite report should be filed immediately with St. Clair Shores Public Safety at (586) 445-5300 for any bodily injury (including broken skin) to persons or dogs. All other incident reports need to be filed within 48 hours with the Recreation Supervisor, 313-343-2409.