

# Village of Bull Valley

## 11146 Country Club Road

### Dog Park Rules

#### Hours: Open 7:00am to Sunset

Park is closed until 12 noon every Wednesday for general maintenance. Park may be temporarily closed without notice for any reason by order of the Village Administrator or Police Department.

**USE AT YOUR OWN RISK.** The Village of Bull Valley is not responsible for injury, illness or damage to dogs, owners or others using the park. You are responsible for any injury, illness or damage to other dogs or the public caused by your dog. The Village of Bull Valley is not responsible for any damaged, lost or stolen property.

- ✘ Permit stickers must be displayed in clear view on the back windshield while at the dog park. Failure to display permit sticker properly could result in a fine.
- ✘ Access to dog park is limited to registered annual permit holders.
- ✘ No more than two dogs per permit are allowed inside the park during any one visit.
- ✘ No children under 10. Children 11-15 must be accompanied by an adult and are expected to behave appropriately.
- ✘ Park in lots only. Loitering in lots is prohibited.
- ✘ Vehicles left after closing will be towed at owner's expense.
- ✘ Keep gate closed at all times. Close gate behind you when entering or leaving the fenced area.
- ✘ Dogs must remain leashed while in parking lots, walkways, unfenced areas and while entering the gate.
- ✘ Collars are to be securely fastened and worn at all times with rabies tag displayed.
- ✘ No spiked collars allowed in the dog park.
- ✘ Owners must carry a leash and accompany dog inside fenced dog area. Retractable leashes are discouraged.
- ✘ Dogs are not allowed in any other section of the park.
- ✘ The dog park is a smoke free area.

#### For your safety and enjoyment inside the park, please:

- ✘ Immediately, clean up after your dog(s). Please bring your own waste disposal bags. We stock bags on a regular basis, but cannot guarantee availability.
- ✘ Failure to pick-up after your dog(s) could result in a fine up to \$250.00 and can lead to revocation of permit.
- ✘ Deposit dog waste bags and all other litter in proper receptacles.
- ✘ Dogs must be 4 months old before visiting the dog park.
- ✘ Dogs over 6 months must be spayed or neutered.
- ✘ Please ask owner's permission before approaching his/her dog.
- ✘ You must remain with your dog and closely supervise your dog at all times. You are responsible for controlling your dog(s). You must maintain visual contact and voice control of your dog(s) at all times.
- ✘ Cooperation between dog owners is expected including keeping order and enforcing dog park rules and ordinances.
- ✘ No aggressive dogs allowed. If aggressive behavior is observed, please put your dog on leash and leave the dog park. If complaints are received regarding aggressive behavior, your membership may be revoked. There is no refund. All incidents are reviewed on a case by case basis.
- ✘ Alcohol is prohibited.
- ✘ Leave nature as you found it for others to enjoy.
- ✘ Bikes, firearms, glass containers, food, dog food, chews, treats and rawhides are not permitted. Please use your judgment when using dog toys, toys can be a source of confrontation between dogs.
- ✘ The dog area may be used for dog exercise, obedience and tracking only.
- ✘ Immediately fill any hole your dog digs. A dog that continually digs may have permit revoked.
- ✘ Climbing on or over the fence is not permitted.

#### For your dog's health and safety:

- ✘ Off leash dogs are encourage to remain away from the gates when other dogs are entering and exiting the park.
- ✘ Water is not available on site, please bring your own water.
- ✘ Ask your vet's advice about visiting this dog park.
- ✘ Determine if it is wise for your small dog or puppy to be with larger dogs off leash.
- ✘ Learn about potential health issues, prevention, symptoms and treatment.
- ✘ Make sure your dog is healthy and properly vaccinated.
- ✘ KEEP SICK DOGS AT HOME.
- ✘ To report aggressive behavior and non-adherence to the rules, please call 815-459-4833.
- ✘ In case of an emergency call 911.
- ✘ The Village of Bull Valley has the authority to remove a dog owner from the park at any time.

***The Bull Valley Dog Park reserves the right to change these rules at any time.  
Violations of the above rules may result in a fine and/or suspension or revocation of permit use.***