RESOLUTION NUMBER R-296664

ADOPTED ON JUNE 11, 2002

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DESIGNATING AN OFF-LEASH AREA FOR DOGS AT CADMAN COMMUNITY PARK.

WHEREAS, on May 30, 1972, the City Council approved by Ordinance No. 10843 the first off-leash areas for dogs in San Diego at Fiesta Island and Dog Beach; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Municipal Code section 63.0102 authorizes the Park and Recreation Director [Director] to designate dog exercise and training [Off-Leash] areas; in Cityowned parks; and

WHEREAS, in 1993, the Director authorized a trial Off-Leash area at Grape Street Park in Balboa Park; on April 12, 1999, City Council approved by Resolution No. R-291472 amended Off-Leash area boundaries and hours at Grape Street Park; and in 2000, the Director authorized continuing the boundaries and hours of the trial Off-Leash area at Grape Street Park; and

WHEREAS, in 1996, the Director authorized trial Off-Leash areas at Nates Point and Morley Field behind the tennis courts, both in Balboa Park; and in 2001, the Director authorized trial Off-Leash areas at Maddox Neighborhood Park and Cadman Community Park; and

WHEREAS, there continues to be an unmet recreational demand by the public for areas where dogs can legally be off-leash; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that off-leash dog activity to be a valid recreational use; and

WHEREAS, areas authorized to be off-leash areas benefit the residents of San Diego; and WHEREAS, the trial Off-Leash area for one year of the 1.25-acre area of Cadman Community Park has now successfully concluded; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to establish the entire 1.25-acre area of Cadman Community Park as an Off-Leash area, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

- 1. That the Council hereby designates an off-leash area for dogs at Cadman Community Park, in Clairemont.
- 2. That the off-leash area is described as the existing Cadman Community Park off-leash area, which is approximately 1.25 acres of an unfenced, turfed site, as indicated in Exhibit A (Map of Cadman Community Park), and is subject to specified hours of use.
- 3. That the described off-leash area at Cadman Community Park is available as an off-leash area during the following hours:

During the public school year:

7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

During summer vacation

7:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

4. That there is no off-leash use allowed on July 4th, and that there is no off-leash use allowed on Saturday mornings, from March 1 through June 15, during Little League season.

5. That the Council directs the City Manager, or designee, to implement the off-leash area at Cadman Community Park.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

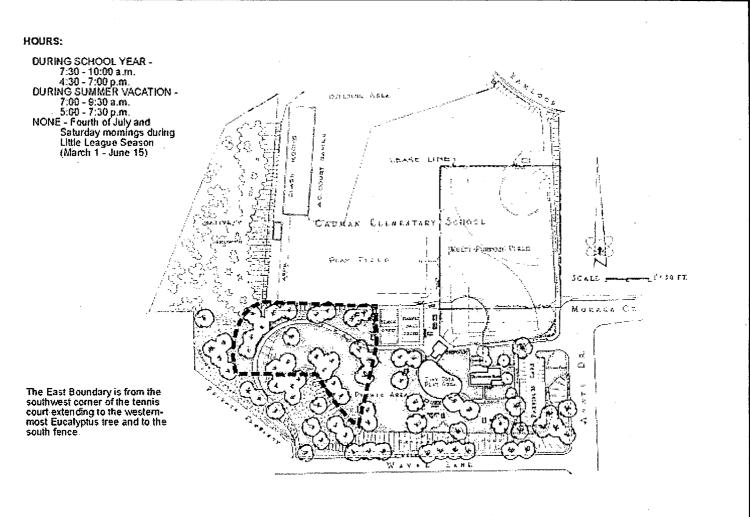
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