

# CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL DOG CONTROL POLICY 2008

The purpose of this policy is to outline how the Christchurch City Council will address the requirements set out in the Dog Control Act 1996.

Since 2006 there have been significant additions and changes to the areas of land under Council control, including parks and reserves and foreshore areas. There has also been an increase in knowledge and awareness of the significant values of some areas, e.g. mudflats, where no dog controls are currently in place. These areas all have specific amenity, recreation and wildlife values which need to be supported and/or protected.

The objectives of this policy are to:

1. Set the framework for Dog Registration Fees and Classification of Owners;
2. Identify mechanisms for promoting responsible dog ownership and interaction with dogs;
3. Set the framework for Issuing of Infringement notices and Impounding of Dogs;
4. Specify the requirement for neutering of dogs classified as menacing or dangerous; (sections 10(3)(ea) and (eb))
5. Provide adequate opportunities to fulfill the exercise and recreational needs of dogs and their owners;
6. Set the framework for Categories of Dog Control;
7. Notify areas where specific dog control status has been designated for reasons such as public health, safety and hygiene and protection of wildlife, animals and stock;
8. Identify the matters to be covered by bylaws (section 10(3)(a)).

In order to achieve the objectives stated above the Christchurch City Council proposes to adopt the following Dog Control policy, in accordance with section 10 of the Dog Control Act 1996.

In addition to the policy clauses covered by the Dog Control Act 1996 and in accordance with section 20 of the Dog Control Act 1996, the Christchurch City Council proposes to introduce a Dog Control Bylaw which will provide for the control of certain matters. These matters are outlined under clause 9 "Enforcement of Dog Control", of this policy and are considered integral to achieving a consolidated approach to dog control, ensuring health and safety of citizens and dogs and maintaining hygienic and healthy practices in public and other places.

## POLICY CLAUSES

### 1. Registration Fees

- All dogs are required to be registered in accordance with the Dog Control Act 1996.
- Dog registration fees will be set for neutered or spayed dogs, in accordance with section 37(2) (a) of the Dog Control Act 1996 this fee is to be:
  - (a) Less than the standard registration fee but greater than the Responsible Dog Owner fee;
  - (b) A sufficiently large concession on the standard registration fee to give a strong incentive to neuter or spay dogs;
  - (c) Considered annually by the Council; and
  - (d) Provided for from the dog control account.
- There is also a reduced registration fee under section 37(2)(b) for working dogs (as defined in section 2 of the Dog Control Act 1996) and under section 37(2)(e) for dog owners who have been granted Responsible Dog Owner Status by the Council.
- There are no registration fees for Disability Assist Dogs as defined under section 2 in the Dog Control Act 1996.
- There is an increased registration fee for dogs classed as dangerous in accordance with section 31 of the Dog Control Act 1996.

- There are penalties for non-registration of dogs in accordance with section 42(1) of the Dog Control Act 1996.

## 2. Classification of Owners

There are four owner classifications:

Two are specified in the Dog Control Act 1996:

- *Probationary Owners (defined in section 21)*
- *Disqualified Owners (defined in section 25)*

And two owner classifications are designated by the Council:

- *Responsible Dog Owner Status*

The criteria for being granted this status is based on a good record of compliance with legislative requirements and the owner successfully completing a competency-based test of knowledge about the legal requirements of a dog owner, responsible dog ownership and health care and welfare of the dog. An application/contract is signed and the Council uses this document as the basis for their decision to grant/not grant Responsible Dog Owner Status.

- *Other owners*

This includes all other owners not complying with, or whose property does not meet, the criteria for Responsible Dog Owner Status, nor do they meet the category of Probationary or Disqualified Owners.

## 3. Education - Awareness Programme

The Council will provide education and awareness programmes and information promoting responsible dog ownership and responsible interaction with dogs. Examples of awareness programmes and information include:

- Child safety information
- Responsible dog ownership information
- School education programmes
- Health and hygiene information
- Brochures (in different languages)

## 4. Dog Obedience Courses

The Council will promote dog obedience courses to dog owners.

## 5. The Issuing of Infringement Notices

The Council will issue warnings, at the Officers discretion, and/or infringement notices, for infringement offences as set out in Schedule 1 of the Dog Control Act 1996.

Section of the Act	Infringement Offence Summary	Maximum fee set under the Act
18	Willful obstruction of dog control officer(s) or dog ranger(s)	\$750
19(2)	Failure or refusal to supply information or willfully stating false particulars	\$750
19A(2)	Failure to supply information or willfully providing false particulars about the dog	\$750

20(5)	Failure to comply with any bylaw authorised by section 20 of the Act	\$300
23A(2)	Failure to undertake dog education programme or dog obedience course (or both)	\$300
24	Failure to comply with obligations of probationary owner	\$750
28(5)	Failure to comply with effects of disqualification	\$750
32(2)	Failure to comply with effects of classification of dog as dangerous dog	\$300
32(4)	Fraudulent sale or transfer of dangerous dog(s)	\$500
33EC(1)	Failure to comply with effects of classification as menacing dog	\$300
33F(3)	Failure to advise person of muzzle and leashing requirements	\$100
36(A)6	Failure to implant microchip transponder in dog	\$300
41	False statement relating to registration application	\$750
41A	Falsely notifying death of dog	\$750
42	Failing to register dog(s)	\$300
46(4)	Fraudulent attempt to procure replacement label(s) or disc(s)	\$500
48(3)	Failure to advise change of ownership	\$100
49(4)	Failure to advise change of address	\$100
51(1)	Removal or swapping of label(s) or disc(s)	\$500
52A	Failure to keep dog controlled or confined	\$200
53(1)	Failure to keep dog(s) under proper control	\$200
54(2)	Failure to provide proper care and attention, to supply proper and sufficient food, water, and shelter, and to provide adequate exercise	\$300
54A	Failure to carry leash in public	\$100
55(7)	Failure to comply with barking dog abatement notice	\$200

62(4)	Allowing dog(s) known to be dangerous to be at large unmuzzled or unleashed	\$300
62(5)	Failure to advise of muzzle and leashing requirements	\$100
72(2)	Releasing dog from custody	\$750

## 6. Dog Shelter

The Council policy in relation to impounding and release of dogs is:

- (a) Where a dog is claimed by its owner the dog will not be released from the shelter until all fees and charges have been paid or appropriate arrangements for payment made and all other requirements in accordance with the Dog Control Act 1996 are met.
- (b) Where a dog is released from the Council's dog shelter to a new owner, the new owner is not required to pay a standard release fee, but is required to pay the cost of registration and an adoption fee.
- (c) No dog will be released from the shelter into the ownership of any person or organisation which may use the dog for the purposes of research in which the dog is subjected to physical operations or treatment causing changes, whether temporary or permanent.

## 7. Neutering of Dogs

Any dog classified as menacing by the Christchurch City Council or any other Council in accordance with section 33A or 33C of the Dog Control Act 1996 must be neutered. These requirements are set out in sections 33E and 33EB of the Dog Control Act 1996.

The owner of a dog classified as menacing must, if required by the Council, produce a veterinary certificate showing the dog has been neutered or that it is unfit to neuter before a certain date.

This policy applies to all dogs classified as menacing, except where, on written veterinary advice, conducting this procedure will present a significant health risk to the dog. The Council shall receive a certificate stating when this procedure could be conducted.

In all cases the classification documents served on the owner of a menacing dog will advise them whether it is necessary for the dog to be neutered. Owners must comply within 1 month of the classification.

## 8. Controlled or Open Dog Areas under the Conservation Act 1987, or National Parks Act 1980

The Department of Conservation currently has no listed controlled or open areas on conservation land within the Christchurch City Council district. The Department is currently working on documenting and consulting on this and intends to gazette these areas mid 2008, at which time any designations will become effective. For further information please contact the Department of Conservation directly.

## 9. Enforcement of Dog Control

The following clauses will be adopted by the Council and incorporated into a bylaw to ensure:

- the health and safety of citizens and dogs throughout the community; and
  - hygienic and healthy practices of dog care and control are maintained throughout public places
- (a) **Dogs on roads**, which include footpaths and private ways, are to be under control of a person capable of controlling the dog, by means of a leash attached to a collar or similar device on such dog at all times (section 20(1)(b) and (c)).

- (b) **Dogs on public places**, other than roads or private ways, unless categorised as a prohibited or leashed area, are to be kept under continuous and effective control by a person capable of controlling the dog at all times, (section 20 (1)(c)).
- (c) The Council may, by Special Consultative Procedure, declare any public place a prohibited dog area or leashed dog area (section 20(1)(a) and section 20(1)(b)).
- (d) A Council permit needs to be issued to authorise anyone to keep two or more dogs on any property zoned commercial, industrial, residential, or rural residential in the Christchurch City Plan. This clause does not apply to the Banks Peninsula Ward of the Council's district.
- (e) Dogs on open trays of vehicles are to be confined and restrained within the confines of the vehicle by leashes or chains (section 20 (1)(l)).
- (f) Bitches in season are to be appropriately confined so they are unable to wander at large on any private or public land or places (section 20(1)(l) and section 20(1)(i)).
- (g) An owner of a dog which defecates in any public place or on any land other than that occupied by that person is required to remove the deposited faeces from that land or place immediately (section 20(1)(h)). (Note: The Dog Control Act 1996 also defines the owner as the person in charge.)
- (h) Dogs are prohibited from being closer than 1 metre from any children's playground equipment whether temporary or permanently erected in any public place (section 20(1)(a)).
- (i) The Council will erect appropriate warning signs and install disposal bins at various locations to assist dog owners in complying with the bylaws (section 20(1)(l)).
- (j) The Council will exempt working dogs from complying with clauses 9(a), (d), (e) and (f) of this policy (and the equivalent clauses of the bylaw), while the working dog is under the continuous and effective control of its owner while that dog is being worked or while it is being taken by its owner to or from its work. (section 20 (1)(b) and section 20 (1)(i))

## 10. Areas designated as specified dog parks or specific dog exercise areas

The Council has developed dog parks (dedicated, fenced areas) at:

- Horseshoe Lake dog park
- The Groynes dog park (Dogs prohibited in the balance of the park see Map 2)
- Elizabeth (Victoria) Park dog park
- Styx Mill Reserve dog park

The following areas have been designated specific dog exercise areas:

- Akaroa foreshore (south of the Akaroa Cruising Club's jetty to Greenpoint and north of Rue Brittan through to and including Children's Bay) – refer to map for boundaries
- Bayview Road (Diamond Harbour) only from Hunters Road to Purau
- Duvauchelle foreshore (from Seafield Road to Pawsons Stream)
- Gollans Bay landfill road (between the hours of 5.00pm and 7.00am)
- Governors Bay Foreshore Road (from Sandy Bay car park to Allandale)
- Le Bons Bay – refer to map for boundaries
- Little Akaloa (Wharf Road) – refer to map for boundaries
- Lyttelton Harbour foreshore (from west of the Godley Quay extension through to and including Magazine Bay beach)
- Magnet Bay
- Menzies Bay
- Okains Bay Cnr School Rd and Chorlton Rd (over river)
- Pigeon Bay – refer to map for boundaries
- Purau Foreshore (grassed area behind beach)
- Putiki Bay

- Radley Park
- Robinsons Bay foreshore
- Stoddarts Point (excluding the picnic area and formal recreation area)
- Takamatua foreshore
- The Garden of Tane (excluding the children's playground)
- Wainui foreshore from Wainui Creek South

## 11. Categories of Dog Control on areas

Within the district there are a range of areas where owners may wish to take their dogs, however for specific reasons (eg health and safety, hygiene, wildlife and environmental protection) dog access controls are considered necessary. The following three core categories of dog control are used by the City Council.

- (i) Prohibited - dogs are "prohibited" from accessing these areas at any time for any reason.
- (ii) Leashed - dogs may access these areas but must be on a leash, restrained and controlled by a person capable of controlling that dog at all times.
- (iii) Under Effective Control - dogs are able to access these areas, however the dogs must be under continuous and effective control by voice, signal or leash by a person capable of controlling that dog at all times.

In some areas combinations of these control categories have been determined to enable, for example, access at certain times of the year or within certain boundaries of the area or under certain conditions. These combinations include:

- (i) Prohibited/Under effective control - dogs are prohibited from accessing these areas, or parts of areas, for certain periods of time throughout the year; outside these times dogs must be under effective control.
- (ii) Prohibited/Leashed - these are areas of land where within some parts of the area dogs are prohibited and in other parts they are permitted to access as long as they are leashed.
- (iii) Leashed/Under effective control - dogs may access certain areas or parts of areas for specified periods of time as long as they are leashed; outside these times/places dogs must be under effective control.

**For information on dog control classifications for specific areas please refer to Clauses 12 and 13 below.**

**Any parks and reserves not listed in the tables below are 'Under Effective Control' dog control areas, which means dogs must be under effective control at all times but do not necessarily need to be leashed.**

**Some parks and reserves may be listed under two Community Board Areas. This is because they straddle the board boundaries.**

**Maps, for the areas with map references, are lodged in the office of the Council's Transport and Greenspace Section; and are also available for reviewing on the Council website [www.ccc.govt.nz/bylaws](http://www.ccc.govt.nz/bylaws)**

**12. Swimming Beaches where dogs are conditionally prohibited  
(Summary from the tables in section 13)**

The following areas are noted as bathing beaches from which dogs are prohibited from specific areas and/or for specific times of the year, except when under the control of a short leash, for the purposes of passing through.

There are other beaches in the district which may have other controls in place.

There are two different control times used:

- **1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm** reflects dogs prohibited for bathing and recreation reasons; and
  - **1 Sept -1 Mar (24 hours/day)** reflects dogs prohibited due to wildlife breeding.
- (i) Spencer Park Beach - for a distance of 100 metres in a northerly and southerly direction from the Spencer Park Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (ii) Waimairi Beach Park - for a distance of 100 metres in a northerly and southerly direction from the Waimairi Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (iii) North Beach - for a distance of 100 metres in a northerly and southerly direction from the North Beach Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (iv) New Brighton Beach - from the New Brighton Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion southwards to a point 100 metres southward of the Christchurch Pier. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (v) South New Brighton Beach - for a distance of 100 metres in a general northerly and southerly direction from the South New Brighton Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (vi) Sumner Beach - for a distance of 100 metres in a northerly direction from the Sumner Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion and in a general southerly direction from the pavilion to Cave Rock. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (vii) Taylors Mistake Beach - for a distance of 50 metres in a general northerly and southerly direction from the Taylors Mistake Surf Life Saving Club's pavilion. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (viii) Corsair Bay Reserve and Foreshore. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (ix) Cass Bay. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (x) Diamond Harbour Beach. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xi) Duvauchelle Beach area - refer to map 35. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xii) French Farm Foreshore - refer to map 37. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xiii) Le Bons Bay Foreshore - refer to map 31. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xiv) Little Akaloa Foreshore - refer to map 29. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xv) Okains Bay Beach - refer to map 30. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xvi) Paradise Beach. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.
  - (xvii) Pigeon Bay Foreshore - refer to map 28. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm**.

- (xviii) Port Levy. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm.**
- (xix) Purau Foreshore - refer to map 26. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm.**
- (xx) Rapaki Wharf & Foreshore. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm.**
- (xxi) Sandy Beach. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm.**
- (xxii) Tikao Bay. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm.**
- (xxiii) Oashore Bay. Dogs **prohibited from 1 Sept -1 Mar (24 hours/day).**
- (xxiv) Akaroa Foreshore – from Rue Brittan to Akaroa Cruising club jetty - refer to map 32. Dogs **prohibited all year round.**
- (xxv) Camp Bay Beach - Dogs **prohibited all year round.**
- (xxvi) Tumbledown Bay. Dogs **prohibited all year round for wildlife and cultural reasons.**
- (xxvii) On any other area of beach between yellow and red flags and which is patrolled by members of a surf life saving club for the purpose of public swimming.



13. Prohibited and/or leashed dog control status areas

**AKAROA/WAIREWA COMMUNITY BOARD AREA**

Only areas that have prohibited and/or leashed dog control status are shown in this table.

All other parks and reserves within the Community Board area are under effective control which means dogs are permitted as long as they are under effective control at all times.

Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Akaroa</b> <u>Refer Map 32</u>	Akaroa Beach	<b>Prohibited</b>	High use visitor, bathing and recreation area. Dogs <b>prohibited all year round</b> to protect public safety and hygiene.
	Akaroa Boat Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Maneuvering of vehicles, therefore dogs need to be on a leash.
	Akaroa Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Britomart Memorial	<b>Leashed</b>	The reserve is a very small historical reserve of national importance. Public safety requires dogs at the site to be on a leash.
	Britomart Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	The reserve is a very small historical reserve adjacent to roads, and the Akaroa Wharf from which dogs are prohibited. The adjacent foreshore area is a dog prohibited area.
	Cenotaph War Memorial (Akaroa)	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Misty Peaks Reserve	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash on walking track to Newton's Waterfall, and are prohibited elsewhere in the reserve because of bird wildlife values. Potential for future release of weka and mottled petrel and other species as part of "wild side" SE Banks Peninsula project. Links to DoC Scenic Reserve and Hinewai private reserve which are dog prohibited.
	Rue Balguerie Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Small community park surrounded by dog leashed areas or dog prohibited areas (foreshore). For public safety and health reasons dogs must be on a leash.
Seaside Recreation Reserve (Akaroa)	<b>Prohibited/Under effective control</b>	Reserve is on the Akaroa waterfront. The land portion of the reserve dogs are permitted under effective control, however the beach component of the reserve is a prohibited area, because of public safety and health requirements. Birds also feed and roost along this section of the foreshore.	
<b>Barrys Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 36</u>	Barrys Bay (foreshore)	<b>Prohibited/Under effective control</b>	Onawe Flat Road beach park and adjacent foreshore area is a designated dog exercise area. Dogs prohibited on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas due to estuarine birds breeding and roosting. Dogs permitted under effective control on grassy roadsides and lay-bys etc.

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<b>Birdlings Flat</b> <u>Refer Map 39</u>	Birdlings Flat Esplanade Reserve	<b>Prohibited</b>	<u>Dogs prohibited except for gun dogs during duck hunting season.</u> Wildlife values (Birds roosting, feeding and nesting - including native waterfowl and highly endangered Crested Grebe). Prohibited on foreshore and marsh areas within the Esplanade Reserve. Adjacent to Birdlings Flat Regional Park.
	Birdlings Flat Regional Park	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited except for gun dogs during duck hunting season. Wildlife values (Birds roosting, feeding and nesting - including native waterfowl, Banded Dotterel and highly endangered Crested Grebe). Also very important native lizard habitat - recommendation has come via DoC. Prohibited on foreshore, marsh and salt meadow areas within the Esplanade Reserve. Adjacent to Birdlings Flat Esplanade Reserve. Also grazed by animals.
	Wairewa Esplanade Reserve	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited except for gun dogs during duck hunting season. Wildlife values (Birds roosting, feeding and nesting - including native waterfowl and highly endangered Crested Grebe). Dogs prohibited on foreshore and marsh areas within the Esplanade Reserve. Adjacent to Birdlings Flat Esplanade Reserve.
<b>Duvauchelle</b> <u>Refer Map 35</u>	Duvauchelle Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Duvauchelle Domain & Campground	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited in campground for public safety/hygiene, and on sports fields because of bird roosting and feeding at high tide zone.
	Duvauchelle Foreshore - from Seafield Rd to Duvauchelle School Lane	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dog exercise area - change of boundary from Pawsons Stream back to opposite the end of Duvauchelle School Lane, because of the roosting of birds at high tide on the rocks at the Pawsons Stream outlet. Outside the exercise area dogs are prohibited because of birds feeding and roosting.
	Duvauchelle Beach area	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety & hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Flea Bay</b>	Flea Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	This bay is now within a marine reserve and therefore dogs are prohibited.
<b>French Farm</b> <u>Refer Map 37</u>	French Farm (foreshore area)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Prohibited south of the stream that comes into the bay. Estuarine birds breeding and roosting on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas. Dogs permitted on grassy roadsides and lay-bys. Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety & hygiene reasons. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Goughs Bay</b>	Goughs Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting and nesting or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas means dogs must be prohibited.
<b>Hickory Bay</b>	Hickory Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting, nesting etc or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas means dogs must be prohibited.

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<b>Hill Top Reserve</b>	Hill Top Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Land grazed so dogs must be on a leash.
<b>Kaitorete Spit Reserve</b> <u>Refer Map 40</u>	Kaitorete Spit Reserve (400 hectare site located near the base of Kaitorete Spit, adjoining Lake Ellesmere Shore.)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited, except for gun dogs during duck hunting season and working dogs while working on grazed land. Partially leased/grazed land. Very important ornithological area for feeding, nesting and roosting; very high wildlife values - up to 4000 native and migrating birds including threatened species. Part of largest black swan breeding area in NZ. And also has other high conservation values. Working dogs permitted while working on grazed land.
<b>Kaituna</b>	Kaituna Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Kaituna River Esplanade Reserve	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited, except for gun dogs during duck hunting season, from this area as it is the only lowland nesting site for Crested Grebe, an endangered bird species.
<b>Lake Forsyth</b> <u>Refer Map 38</u>	Lake Forsyth (Northern end mudflat areas, does not include the Rail Trail)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs (except for gun dogs during duck hunting season) prohibited from mudflats and foreshore habitats as these are important bird feeding, nesting, roosting and moulting areas. Up to 5000 native and migrating birds, including threatened species.
<b>Le Bons Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 31</u>	Le Bons Bay Estuary and Spit	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs also <b>prohibited all year round</b> on river mouth sand bar (Oystercatchers nesting) and in the estuary.
	Le Bons Bay Foreshore (north of the dog exercise area)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm for public safety & hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
	Le Bons Bay Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons. Dogs must also be leashed on foreshore area to protect the wildlife values.
<b>Little Akaloa</b> <u>Refer Map 29</u>	Little Akaloa Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Little Akaloa Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.

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<b>Little River</b>	Little River Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Little River Heritage Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Garden and heritage park and picnic area. Dogs should be leashed for public safety/hygiene reasons.
	Morice Recreation Reserve	<b>Leashed/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs leashed when area is grazed or in use by the Little River Pony Club. When not grazed or in use by the Pony Club then dogs permitted under effective control.
	Little River Swimming Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Long Bay (Otanerito)</b>	Long Bay (Otanerito)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting/nesting and seals breeding/resting/nursing means dogs must be prohibited.
<b>Oashore Bay</b>	Oashore Bay	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Penguin and seal wildlife values. Need to align these areas with bird breeding/nesting/roosting times, which extends past previous recreational bathing times. Dogs <b>prohibited from the area between 1 Sept -1 Mar (24 hours/day)</b> . Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Okains Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 30</u>	Okains Bay Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
	Okains Bay Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Okains Bay Estuary and mudflats (Refer to Okains Bay Beach for beach control status)	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs <b>prohibited 24 hrs per day during the period of 1 September - 1 March</b> to protect wading birds, gulls and terns nesting and raising young. Outside of this period, dogs on the estuary must be on a leash.
	Okains Bay War Memorial	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Paua Bay</b>	Paua Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting, nesting or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas means dogs must be prohibited.

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<b>Pigeon Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 28</u>	Pigeon Bay Boat Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash on the foreshore because of manoeuvring of vehicles. It is proposed that the adjacent foreshore area become a prohibited area due to wildlife habitat values.
	Pigeon Bay Campground	<b>Prohibited</b>	Camping ground - dogs prohibited for public health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Pigeon Bay Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Pigeon Bay Foreshore Mudflats/Tidal Stony areas (as shown on map)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Estuarine birds feeding and roosting on mudflats and stony cobble areas; dogs will be prohibited on these areas. Dogs are permitted under effective control on grassy roadside and lay-bys around the shoreline.
<b>Raupo Bay (Banks Peninsula)</b>	Raupo Bay (Banks Peninsula)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs <b>prohibited 24 hrs per day during the period of 1 September - 1 March</b> as wading birds, gulls and terns nest and raise young. Outside of this period, dogs must be under effective control.
<b>Robinson's Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 34</u>	Robinson's Bay foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Under effective control in dog exercise area. Dogs prohibited on mudflat areas due to estuarine birds breeding and roosting on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas. Dogs permitted on grassy roadsides and lay-bys.
<b>Stony Bay</b>	Stony Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting, nesting etc or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas means dogs must be prohibited.
<b>Takamatua</b> <u>Refer Map 33</u>	Takamatua Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Birdlife nesting, feeding and roosting - dogs prohibited on foreshore area. Under effective control in dog exercise area.
	Takamatua Stream Esplanade Reserve	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs are prohibited in the stream esplanade reserve due to the presence of nesting and roosting birds.
<b>Takapunueke</b>	Takapunueke Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	National historical significance of reserve. Stock grazed on the reserve – so dogs must be on a leash.
	Beach Rd Park	<b>Leashed</b>	National historical significance of reserve. Animals grazing – so dogs must be on a leash.
	Green Point Park	<b>Leashed</b>	National historical significance of reserve. Animals grazing – so dogs must be on a leash.
<b>Te Oka Bay</b>	Te Oka Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting, nesting etc or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas means dogs must be prohibited.

Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Tikao Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 29</u>	Tikao Bay	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Tumbledown Bay</b>	Tumbledown Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Presence of penguins moulting, nesting etc or seals breeding/resting/nursery areas. It is also a Maori Urupa site. Dogs prohibited all year round for wildlife and cultural reasons.
<b>Wainui</b>	Wainui Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Wainui Domain	<b>Leashed/ Under effective control</b>	Animals grazing – so dogs must be on a leash.

## BURWOOD/PEGASUS COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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<b>Anzac Drive Reserve</b> <u>Refer Map 7</u>	Anzac Drive Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs permitted if on a leash on the walkway. Dogs prohibited from rest of the area to protect wildlife and wetland values.
<b>Avon River</b> <u>Refer Map 9</u>	Bexley Wetland	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect the wildlife reserve, except for the purposes of walking through on the track where dogs must be on a leash.
	Cockayne Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect the wildlife reserve, except for the purposes of walking through on the track where dogs must be on a leash.
	Jubilee Walkway (Wainoni Rd Bridge (Bower Bridge) to Evans Ave on the North-East side of the Avon River)	<b>Leashed</b>	Close to traffic and high pedestrian area so dogs must be on a leash.
	Lower Avon saltmarshes	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect saltmarsh wildlife habitat in Lower Avon River. Estuarine birds which are nesting and roosting also need to be protected.
	Naughty Boys Island	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to saltmarsh wildlife habitat in the Lower Avon River. Estuarine birds which are nesting and roosting also need to be protected.
	Raupo Bay Saltmarsh (The Estuary)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	<b>Change in boundaries</b> to include all of Raupo Bay in prohibited area as it is an important nesting and feeding area for estuarine and swamp birds. Refer to map for boundaries.
	Rat Island Reserve (Wetland)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect saltwater wildlife habitat in Lower Avon River. Estuarine birds which are nesting and roosting also need to be protected.
<b>Horseshoe Lake Reserve</b> <u>Refer Map 6</u>	Horseshoe Lake Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited in reserve area, except on walkways where dogs must be on a leash. Under effective control in dog exercise area. Wildlife habitat. Public safety and hygiene.

Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>New Brighton</b>	New Brighton Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
	New Brighton Beach – Developed area by the library	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area, high visitor numbers. Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	New Brighton Mall – pedestrian only area between Oram Ave and Marine Parade	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to high pedestrian numbers, food outlets and public seating areas.
	New Brighton Pier	<b>Prohibited</b>	High pedestrian area. Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>North Beach</b>	North Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>South New Brighton Beach</b>	South New Brighton Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Southshore</b> <u>Refer Map 10</u>	Spit Reserve Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Wildlife habitat - Godwit and oyster catchers roosting. Up to 7000 waders and terns roost at this site. Dogs prohibited from the foreshore area and must be on a leash along the shoreline.
<b>Travis Wetland</b>	Travis Wetland	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect wildlife habitat. Up to 3000 native birds including threatened species.
	Angela Stream Walkway	<b>Leashed</b>	Area is part of Travis Wetland and therefore dogs are permitted only on walkway if they are on a leash. Dogs prohibited elsewhere.
<b>Waimairi Beach Park</b>	Waimairi Beach Park	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.



## FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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<b>Avice Hill Reserve</b>	Avice Hill Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Cemeteries</b>	Avonhead Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Waimairi Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Yaldhurst Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Flay Park</b>	Flay Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Jellie Park Swimming Pool</b>	Jellie Park Swimming Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>McLeans Grasslands Park (Savannah Park)</b>	McLeans Grasslands Park (Savannah Park)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited because of conservation grazing agreement.
<b>Merivale Reserve</b>	Merivale Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Millbrook Reserve</b>	Millbrook Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Mona Vale</b>	Mona Vale	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

## HAGLEY/FERRYMEAD COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Avebury Park</b>	Avebury Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Balmoral Hill Reserve</b>	Balmoral Hill Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
<b>Botanic Gardens</b>	Botanic Gardens	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect collections of rare plants. An area of high visitor numbers so health, safety and hygiene need to be maintained.
<b>Cemeteries</b>	Barbadoes Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Bromley Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Linwood Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Memorial Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Ruru Lawn Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Rutherford Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Woolston Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Charlesworth Reserve</b> Refer Map 13	Charlesworth Reserve	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited in wildlife habitat area, however on grass area with no wildlife values dog control status relaxed to leashed.
<b>Edmonds Factory Garden</b>	Edmonds Factory Garden	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

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Inner City	Bridge Of Remembrance	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	Canterbury Provincial Council Buildings Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Cathedral Square	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited except under control of a leash or in a container for attendance at church services or other functions at the Christchurch Anglican Cathedral.
	Central City Riverbank Reserves (Antigua St to Madras St)	<b>Leashed</b>	High amenity and public use area. Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	City Mall	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to the high pedestrian numbers, food outlets and public seating areas.
	Cranmer Square	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs Must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	Edmonds Band Rotunda	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Elsie Locke Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	Excelsior Hotel Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Firefighters Reserve	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to nature and size of reserve and for health reasons.
	Friendship Corner	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	Godley Statue Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to public health and safety.
	Latimer Square	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	New Regent St Mall	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to the high pedestrian numbers, food outlets and public seating areas.
Nurses Memorial Chapel	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.	

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<b>Inner City</b>	Peter Scoular Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to public health and safety.
	Pioneer Women's Memorial	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Poplars Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect gardens and as a result of traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
	Rose Historic Chapel Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Scott Statue Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Victoria Square	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to the high visitor numbers and public health and safety.
<b>Linwood Paddocks</b>	Linwood Paddocks	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to wildlife habitat. Habitat for up to 5000 native and migrating birds, including threatened species. Also breeding area for Pukeko, waterfowl and waders.
<b>Little Hagley Park</b>	Little Hagley Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to the high pedestrian and traffic numbers, and public health and safety.
<b>Lower Heathcote</b>	Devils Elbow Saltmarsh <a href="#">Refer Map 20</a>	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Wildlife values - dogs are prohibited in the saltmarsh habitat frequented by native birds on the lower Heathcote. Dogs are permitted if on a leash around the edge on the walking track.
	Ferry Esplanade Reserve <a href="#">Refer Map 20</a>	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Walkway used by many people and is adjacent to Heathcote River and wading bird areas so dogs must be on a leash. <b>Ferry Road saltmarsh</b> is within the Reserve and is a prohibited area.
	Ferrymead Esplanade Saltmarsh <a href="#">Refer Map 14</a>	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect saltmarsh and mudflat wildlife area. Many native water birds nest, roost and feed here. Dogs are permitted if on a leash around the edge on the walking track.
	Ferrymead Park <a href="#">Refer Map 14</a>	<b>Prohibited/Leashed/Under effective control</b>	Dogs are prohibited from the ecologically sensitive/saltmarsh areas and heritage park areas. History gardens and walking tracks are leashed areas. Dogs are permitted on sports fields as long as they are under effective control at all times.
	Heathcote Valley Heritage Park <a href="#">Refer Map 14</a>	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs on a leash due to high visitor numbers, public health and safety.

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<b>Lower Heathcote</b>	Settlers Reserve and Saltmarsh <u>Refer Map 14</u>	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited in saltmarsh and mudflat areas which provide nesting, feeding and roosting areas for native wetland birds. Dogs are to be leashed on walking track as it is adjacent to prohibited area.
	Stilt Island Saltmarsh <u>Refer Map 14</u>	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect saltwater wildlife habitat (nesting and roosting estuarine birds) in Lower Heathcote River.
<b>McCormacks Bay islands, mudflat and saltmarsh</b> <u>Refer Map 11</u>	McCormacks Bay islands, mudflat and saltmarsh.	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Significant wildlife values - prohibited on roosting/nesting islands and on the wet areas. Dogs permitted in other areas as long as they are under effective control at all times.
<b>Port Hills Reserves</b>	Barnett Park (conservation area, which is at the back of the park)	<b>Leashed</b>	Stock grazing so dogs need to be on a leash.
	Bridle Path Walkway	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to public health and safety.
	Captain Thomas Track	<b>Leashed</b>	Walking track through farmland so dogs must be leashed.
	Castle Rock Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Wildlife and recreation area and animals grazing. Dogs must be on a leash due to grazing animals and health, safety and hygiene.
	Godley Head Foreshore	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect the wildlife habitat on coastal edge.
	Greenwood Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
	Hilltop Reserve (Mt Pleasant area)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Extension of the adjoining DoC scenic reserve where dogs are prohibited and there is no fence between these areas.
	John Britten Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash as area grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes.
	Jollies Bush	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect ecological values.
	Mt Cavendish Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs leashed for the purpose of passing through on the Crater Rim walkway.
Mt Pleasant Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Area is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be leashed to protect animals grazing.	

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<b>Port Hills Reserves</b>	Rapanui Bush	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect conservation values.
	Scarborough Hill Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
	Scotts Valley Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
	Tors Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for the purpose of passing through on the Crater Rim walkway because of wildlife values, and the reserve is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes.
<b>Sumner</b>	Cave Rock	<b>Leashed</b>	High public use area so dogs need to be leashed for public health and safety.
	Nicholson Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to public health and safety.
	Scarborough Foreshore & Beach	<b>Leashed/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs must be under effective control on the beach. Dogs must be on a leash on the promenade due to the high recreation use.
	Scarborough Walkway	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs need to be leashed as walkway is close to private property and close to bird nesting area on cliff.
	Scarborough Park	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to the high visitor numbers and public health and safety.
	Sumner Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> on Sumner Beach within 100 m in a northerly direction from the Sumner Surf Life Saving Club pavilion and in a general southerly direction from the pavilion to Cave Rock.
	Sumnervale Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area and also used by horses. Dogs must be on a leash for health and safety reasons.
<b>Taylors Mistake</b>	Giants Nose Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be leashed as reserve is a wildlife (nesting and roosting seabirds) and recreation area.
	Taylors Mistake Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area, dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons on the beach area, except for the purposes of passing through on a short leash. Dogs permitted under effective control in car park and recreation reserve.

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<b>Te Huingi Manu Wildlife Reserve (Bromley Oxidation Ponds)</b>	Te Huingi Manu Wildlife Reserve (Bromley Oxidation Ponds)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Wildlife Reserve - dogs prohibited to protect ornithological values. Up to 15,000 wetland birds including many threatened species in the reserve.
<b>Woodham Park</b>	Woodham Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect garden areas and for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Woolston Pool</b>	Woolston Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

## LYTTELTON/MT HERBERT COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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<b>Baden Norris Reserve</b>	Baden Norris Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Public walkway - dogs must be on a leash.
<b>Camp Bay</b>	Camp Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs <b>prohibited all year round</b> for conservation of wildlife.
<b>Cass Bay Walkway &amp; Foreshore</b>	Cass Bay Walkway & Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs must be under effective control on walking tracks. Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Cemeteries</b>	Camp Bay Cemetery Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons. Dogs prohibited on foreshore area to protect wildlife values.
	Catholic, Public & RSA Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Diamond Harbour Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Lyttelton Anglican Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Charteris Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 24</u>	Charteris Bay (mudflats and rocky shoreline)	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Estuarine birds feeding and roosting on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas. Dogs prohibited on mudflats and rocky shoreline. Dogs must be on a leash on grassy roadsides and lay-bys.
	Paradise Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Corsair Bay Reserve and Foreshore</b>	Corsair Bay Reserve and Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.



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<b>Diamond Harbour</b> <u>Refer Map 25</u>	Coastal Cliff Reserve (Diamond Harbour)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs are prohibited on foreshore areas due to wildlife habitat (penguin, reef heron and roosting shags). Dogs permitted under effective control from Diamond Harbour beach to land point past the jetty.
	Diamond Harbour Beach and Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times and within the area from the beach to past the jetty, dogs are permitted under effective control.
	Otamahua Lane Reserve (Diamond Harbour)	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs are prohibited on foreshore areas due to wildlife habitat (penguin, reef heron and roosting shag). Dogs, under effective control, are permitted on walkways.
	Stoddart Point Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs are prohibited on the foreshore area to protect wildlife habitat, penguin and reef heron wildlife values. Dogs under effective control are permitted on sports fields, walking tracks and other areas.
<b>Governors Bay</b> <u>Refer Map 20</u>	Allandale Lay-by (part of Governors Bay area)	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in Allandale lay-by area and walkway. However dogs are prohibited on Governors Bay foreshore area and mudflats.
	Governors Bay (Tidal Zone)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect estuarine birds feeding and roosting on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas. Dogs permitted under effective control on grassy roadsides and lay-bys.
	Governors Bay Jetty & Foreshore	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash on jetty and foreshore area. Walking track is a designated dog exercise area.
	Governors Bay Swimming Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Lyttelton</b>	Lyttelton Swimming Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
	Lyttelton Walkway	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area, dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
	Lyttelton War Memorial & Cenotaph	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety and cultural reasons.

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<b>Pony Point Reserve</b>	Pony Point Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to stock grazing.
<b>Port Hills Reserves</b>	Coronation Hill Historic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect scenic reserve, and public health and safety.
	Hoon Hay Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash due to stock grazing.
	Marleys Hill	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area - no wildlife values, but is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
	Mt Cavendish Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on leash for the purpose of passing through on the Crater Rim walkway.
	Mt Pleasant Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Area is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect animals grazing.
	Orongomai Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash due to stock grazing.
	Reuter Park	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect scenic and conservation values. Dogs permitted on tracks if on a leash.
	Scott Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect conservation values.
	Sugarloaf Reserve <u>Refer Map 19</u>	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Dogs are prohibited from south bush section of the reserve, but can pass through on a leash on the tracks. Dogs must be on a leash in balance of the reserve.
	Tors Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for the purpose of passing through on the Crater Rim walkway because of wildlife values, and the reserve is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes.
Witch Hill	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect conservation values and stock grazing.	

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<b>Port Levy</b> <u>Refer Map 27</u>	Port Levy – beach area by settlement	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs prohibited on the beach in front of the settlement <b>between 1 Dec -1 March between 9am-7pm</b> due to recreation and bathing. Outside these times dogs are permitted on the beach area under effective control. Dogs permitted on grassy roadsides and lay-bys.
	Port Levy – Head of Bay	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited all year round from mudflats and stony areas at the head of the bay where estuarine birds feed and roost.
<b>Purau foreshore and mudflats</b> <u>Refer Map 26</u>	Purau Foreshore and mudflats	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Rapaki wharf &amp; foreshore</b>	Rapaki Wharf & Foreshore	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs are prohibited on the foreshore for cultural reasons and request from Runanga. Rest of the area under effective control. Bathing and recreation area - dogs will be <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> .
<b>Sandy Beach Reserve</b>	Sandy Beach Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Sutton Reserve</b>	Sutton Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Close to street frontage. Road side landscape area. Potential issues with vehicular traffic.
<b>Teddington Mudflats</b> <u>Refer Maps 21, 22, and 23</u>	Teddington Mudflats	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited to protect important wildlife habitat. Estuarine birds feeding and roosting on mudflats and stony 'cobble' areas e.g. 70+ bird species, up to 3000 wetland birds including up to 600 Godwits, up to 1200 oystercatchers, 100+ pied stilts + breeding colonies of waders and gulls.

## SHIRLEY/PAPANUI COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Abberley Park</b>	Abberley Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Belfast Cemetery</b>	Belfast Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Belfast Pool</b>	Belfast Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Brooklands</b> <u>Refer Map 5</u>	Brooklands Spit & Lagoon	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Prohibited except for gun dogs during game bird hunting season. <b>Change of boundary areas</b> - extensive community consultation has been undertaken.
	Seafield Park (Western edge of Brooklands Lagoon)	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited due to wildlife habitat. Dogs permitted on a leash on the walking track. Dogs prohibited on the horse track.
	Styx Rivermouth	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited due to wildlife habitat, tidal saltmarsh, and many nesting native birds including threatened species. Dogs must be on a leash on the walking track along the stock bank.
	Styx Rivermouth Conservation Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Dogs prohibited as area is a very important wildlife reserve for threatened species such as bittern and other sensitive species such as marshcrake, nesting waterfowl. Is also a conservation area. Plans to re-introduce locally extinct species such as fern bird, spotless crake, banded rail and brown teal. Dogs must be on a leash on the walking track along the top of the stopbank through the reserve.
	Waimakariri Walking Track (Spencer Park-Brookland Spit)	<b>Leashed/ Under effective control</b>	Dogs are permitted under effective control, on the walkway to the 'crossing point' and from there must be on a leash because of ecological values beside Brooklands Lagoon.
<b>Groynes</b> <u>Refer Map 2</u>	Groynes	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited in areas except the new Dog Park and for the purpose of accessing the dog park and on the Waimairi walkway network.
	Waimairi Walkway Network	<b>Leashed</b>	This walkway is across farmland so dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.
<b>Kapuatohe Reserve</b>	Kapuatohe Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

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<b>Lorimas Road (Waimakariri River Bed)</b> <u>Refer Map 1</u>	Lorimas Road (Waimakariri River Bed)	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited due to important bird nesting and breeding area on the Waimakariri River bed. Up to 6 threatened species present including Black-fronted Tern, White-fronted Tern, Caspian Tern, Black-billed Gull, Banded Dotterel and Wrybill. Submitted on behalf of ECan.
<b>Papanui Memorial Reserve</b>	Papanui Memorial Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Roto Kohatu</b>	Roto Kohatu	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public safety and hygiene reasons. High speed water craft, trainee yachting; recreation use in area.
<b>Spencer Park</b> <u>Refer Map 5</u>	Spencer Park	<b>Leashed</b>	This area has been changed to leashed because it is used for families as a picnic area - health and hygiene issues.
	Spencer Park Beach	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.
<b>Styx Living Laboratory Field Centre Precinct</b>	Styx Living Laboratory Field Centre Precinct	<b>Prohibited</b>	Reserve to be protected from outside influences, in this case dogs, for Environmental Research Projects.
<b>Styx Mill Reserve</b> <u>Refer Map 3</u>	Styx Mill Reserve	<b>Prohibited/ Leashed</b>	Wildlife Habitat. Dogs prohibited except for the purpose of accessing the designated dog area, where they must be leashed. Dogs must be on a leash on walking track.
<b>Waimairi Beach Park</b>	Waimairi Beach Park	<b>Prohibited/ Under effective control</b>	Bathing and recreation area - dogs <b>prohibited from 1 Dec-1 March between 9am-7pm</b> for public safety and hygiene reasons, except for the purposes of passing through where dogs must be on a short leash. Outside these times dogs are permitted under effective control.

## SPREYDON/HEATHCOTE COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Cemeteries</b>	Addington Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
	Sydenham Cemetery	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash in cemetery - public health and safety and cultural reasons.
<b>Addington Prison Reserve</b>	Addington Prison Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety. Area is a heritage garden, a major thoroughfare for foot traffic and very small reserve.
<b>Ashgrove Reserve</b>	Ashgrove Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area - dogs must be on a leash.
<b>Cracroft Reserve</b>	Cracroft Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	High public usage. Dogs must be on a leash for public safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Ernle Reserve</b>	Ernle Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	High public usage, restricted site area.
<b>Holmcroft Reserve</b>	Holmcroft Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Huntsbury Walkway</b>	Huntsbury Walkway	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Port Hills Reserves</b>	Bowenvale Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.
	Coronation Hill Historic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect scenic reserve and public health and safety.
	Douglas Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Scenic reserve and recreational area - dogs must be on a leash.
	Huia Gilpin Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.
	Marleys Hill	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area - no wildlife values, but is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.
	Montgomery Spur Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Recreation area - no wildlife values, but is grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.

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<b>Port Hills Reserves</b>	Scott Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect conservation values.
	Skellerup Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash to protect grazing animals.
	Sugarloaf Reserve <u>Refer Map 19</u>	<b>Prohibited/Leashed</b>	Dogs are prohibited from south bush section of the reserve and must be on a leash on the tracks and in balance of the reserve.
	Thomson Scenic Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash due to conservation values and high recreation use.
	Elizabeth Park (excludes Victoria Park Dog Exercise area) <u>Refer Map 16</u>	<b>Leashed</b>	Outside dog exercise area, dogs must be on a leash because of high recreational use.
	Victoria Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash because of high recreational use.
	Witch Hill	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash to protect conservation values and stock grazing.
<b>Risingholme Park</b>	Risingholme Park	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Sign of the Takahe Reserve</b>	Sign of the Takahe Reserve (Enclosed Garden)	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Takahe Reserve</b>	Takahe Reserve	<b>Leashed</b>	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>The Duncan Park (walkway area)</b>	The Duncan Park (walkway area)	<b>Leashed</b>	Area under lease agreement to the Ferrymead Pony Club and this allows public access to the driveway and perimeter of the area. Dogs must be on a leash when using this area.
<b>Waltham Pool</b>	Waltham Pool	<b>Prohibited</b>	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

## RICCARTON/WIGRAM COMMUNITY BOARD AREA

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Park Name/Area	Sub Area	Dog Control Status	Comment
<b>Chokebore Reserve</b>	Chokebore Reserve	Leashed	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Glebe Reserve</b>	Glebe Reserve	Leashed	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Port Hill Reserves</b> Refer Map 18	Halswell Quarry	Prohibited/ Leashed/ Under effective control	High recreational use and Sister City Gardens. Dogs prohibited in wetland area and must be on a leash in rest of park. Dogs may be exercised in the 'under effective control' area.
	Hoon Hay Scenic Reserve	Leashed	Grazed for conservation and fire fuel reduction purposes. Dogs must be on a leash due to stock grazing.
<b>Mona Vale</b>	Mona Vale	Leashed	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
	Mona Vale Ave Reserve	Leashed	Dogs must be on a leash for public health and safety reasons.
<b>Templeton Pool</b>	Templeton Pool	Prohibited	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Halswell Swimming Pool</b>	Halswell Swimming Pool	Prohibited	Dogs prohibited for health, safety and hygiene reasons.
<b>Riccarton Bush</b>	Riccarton Bush	Prohibited/ Leashed	Dogs prohibited in fenced off bush area (Conservation Ecological Island within City limits); Dog must be on a leash in the remainder of the park.
<b>Wigram East Retention Basin (Part Canterbury Park)</b> Refer Map 17	Wigram East Retention Basin (Part Canterbury Park)	Prohibited/ Leashed/ Under effective control	The prohibited area covers the pond (which is unsuitable for recreation contact) and ecological sensitive marginal plantings of wetland vegetation. Dogs must be on a leash on the walkway/boardwalk through this area. Dogs need to be under effective control in the remainder of the retention basin.