

Dog Park Relocation and The Bark at Central Park FAQs

Relocation of the Dog Park at Etiwanda Creek Park

Q: Why is the dog park at Etiwanda Creek Park closing?

A: The dog park at Etiwanda Creek Park is relocating to a larger, more centralized space located at Central Park. Named The Bark at Central Park, the new park will feature three dedicated park spaces for small, medium, and large dogs, have new amenities and features (such as agility equipment, shade structures, and more), and covers approximately 4 acres of space.

Q: Is the dog park only for Rancho Cucamonga residents?

A: No, the dog park is a public park open to everyone.

Q: What will happen to the space at Etiwanda Creek Dog Park?

A: The City is currently evaluating the space and opportunities. More information to come soon.

The Bark at Central Park

Q: How was the new dog park, The Bark at Central Park funded?

A: The park was funded, in large part, by a California State Department of Parks and Recreation grant. The City also committed additional funds.

Q: When will The Bark at Central Park open

A: September 25, 2023

Q: Why has construction taken so long?

A: Construction on the dog park has taken a while to build for several reasons. The dog park is the first major development of the Central Park area since the community and senior centers were constructed in 2005. Development of the park included undergrounding major utilities for the dog park as well as for future phased development. Other delays included supply chain and logistic disruptions and an above average rainy season.

Q: Does my dog need to be licensed to use the dog park?

A: Yes. All dogs utilizing the dog park must have a current rabies vaccine and be licensed in the City they reside.

Q: Who do we report dog bites or dog altercations to?

A: Dog bites should be reported to the Rancho Cucamonga Animal Center Field Services Division at 909-466-7387.

Q: Who do we report damaged equipment to?

A: Please report damaged equipment to the City's Public Works Department by using the City's online reporting portal, RC2GO <https://rc2go.cityofrc.us/tabs/report>