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То:	City Council
Subject:	Support for off-leash dog park pilot program in Capitola

Dear city council members,

I'm writing to express my support for the pilot program to allow dogs off-leash during designated hours at Monterey Park and Noble Gulch in Capitola. This will foster community engagement and support the health of our local dogs. There are plenty of great examples of successful and safe off leash dog parks, such as Fort Funston in San Francisco, so I encourage the council to solicit best practices from the city of San Francisco.

If the pilot programs at Monterey Park and/or Noble Gulch are successful, I would encourage expansion to other parks. I live in the Jewel Box and see a great need for off leash dog opportunities at Jade Street Park. On occasion, we take our dog Indie to Jade Street Park for necessary exercise and will allow her to play off leash if no sports activities are going on.

Many thanks for your time and consideration!

~Jaynie Loeb-Prieto



