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Question/Comment

I'm writing about the suggested pilot program to make Monterey Park an off leash area for an hour every evening. I am lucky to live near Monterey Park. It's wonderful to have the park so close because I have a condition called Ankylosing Spondylitis that causes my spinal cord to fuse. This makes it difficult to drive or walk long distances to other parks. Having a time when I can run my dog off leash allows her to get her exercise and socialize with other dogs. It's difficult for me to give her enough exercise when she can't play freely with other dogs. She's a friendly happy dog and her playtime in the park is a big part of that equation. I feel that our small group of dog owners who meet in Monterey Park are very respectful of others in the park and also respectful of the park itself.

When I talk to dog owners from other towns they tell me about all the options available for them to bring their dogs together to play and I'm surprised that Capitola isn't one of those towns. A quick search shows that Monterey, Carmel and Santa Cruz are listed as dog friendly towns in California. Let's put Capitola on the map.

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