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Dog Ground Byelaws

Dogs Prohibited from the Grounds and Dogs on Leads

Byelaws made by Rolleston on Dove Parish Council under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906 and section 164 of the Public Health 1875, with respect to public walks, pleasure grounds and open spaces.

Extent

- (1) Byelaw 3 applies to the public walks, pleasure grounds and open spaces in Schedule 1, hereafter referred to as the 'dog prohibited areas'.
- (2) Byelaw 4 applied to public walks, pleasure grounds and open spaces in Schedule 2, hereafter referred to as the 'dogs on leads areas'.
- (3) Byelaw 4 does not apply to any roads within the dogs on leads areas for the time being designated under section 27 of the Road Traffic Act 1988.
- (4) Byelaw 4 does not apply in respect of any dogs to which section 1 of the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 applies.
- (5) Notice of the effect of these byelaws shall be given by signs placed in conspicuous positions at the entrances to each of the dog prohibited areas and at the entrances or on the approaches to each of the dogs on leads areas.

Interpretation

- (1) In these byelaws 'the Council' means Rolleston on Dove Parish Council.
- (2) For the purpose of these byelaws the keeper of the dog shall be deemed in charge thereof, unless the dog had been placed in or taken into the charge of some other person at the time when an offence under these byelaws had been committed.
- (3) In paragraph (2) above 'the keeper' shall include the owner of the dog or any person who habitually has it in his possession.

Dogs Prohibited from the Grounds

- (1) No person (other than a registered blind person) in charge of a dog shall without reasonable excuse, permit the dog to enter or remain in any of the dog prohibited areas.

(2) An officer of the Council or any constable may require a person in charge of a dog which has entered any of the dog prohibited areas to remove the dog therefrom.

Dogs on Leads

4. No person in charge of a dog shall, without reasonable excuse, permit the dog to enter or remain in any of the dogs on leads areas unless the dog is held on a lead and is restrained from behaviour giving reasonable grounds for annoyance.

Removal of Offenders

5. Any person offending against byelaws 3 (1) or 4 may be removed from the public walks, please ground and open spaces by any officer of the Council or any constable.

Penalty

6. Any person offending against byelaw 3 (1) or 4 shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 2 of the standard scale.

Revocation

7. Byelaw No. 9 of the Byelaws made by Rolleston on Dove Parish Council on 18th July 1984 and confirmed by the Secretary of State on 31st July 1984 in respect of the grounds listed in Schedule 2 is hereby revoked.

Schedule 1

The dog prohibited areas referred to in Byelaw 1(1) are:

- Under section 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906
- Meadow View Play Area

Under Section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875

- Elizabeth Avenue Play Area

Schedule 2

The dogs on leads areas referred to in Byelaw 1(2) are:

Under section 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906

- Craythorne Playing Field
- Meadow View Open Space

Under Section 164 of the Public Health Act 1875

- Elizabeth Avenue Playing Fields

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