

APPENDIX 1

Current Dog Control Public Spaces Protection Order



The Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014
The Public Spaces Protection Order - (Dover District Council) 2021

Dover District Council (in this order called "the Authority") hereby makes the following Order:

This Order came into force on 28th of July 2018, and was varied on 24th of June 2019.

In accordance with powers under Section 60(2) of the above Act, this Order was extended for a period of one year on the 26th July 2021 and now expires on the 26th July 2022.

Offences

1. Fouling

If within the administrative area of the Authority a dog defecates at any time on land to which the public or any section of the public has access, on payment or otherwise, as of right or by virtue of express or implied permission and a person who is in charge of the dog at the time fails to remove the faeces from the land forthwith, that person shall be guilty of an offence unless

- (a) he has reasonable excuse for failing to do so;
- or
- (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.

2. Leads by order

A person in charge of a dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, within the administrative area of the Authority he does not comply with a direction given to him by an authorised officer of the authority to put and keep the dog on a lead unless

- (a) he has reasonable excuse for failing to do so;
- or
- (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.

An authorised officer may only give a direction under this order if such restraint is reasonably necessary to prevent a nuisance or behaviour by the dog that is likely to cause annoyance or disturbance to any other person, or to a bird or another animal.

3. Leads

A person in charge of a dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, (during the period specified in the schedule if stated), on land detailed in Schedule 1 below he does not keep the dog on a lead unless

- (a) he has reasonable excuse for failing to do so;
- or
- (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.

4. Exclusion

A person in charge of a dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, he takes the dog onto, or permits the dog to enter or to remain on, any land detailed in Schedule 2 below unless

- (a) he has reasonable excuse for failing to do so;
- or
- (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.

5. Exemptions

Nothing in this order shall apply to a person who –

- (a) is registered as a blind person in a register compiled under section 29 of the National Assistance Act 1948; or
- (b) is deaf, in respect of a dog trained by Hearing Dogs for Deaf People (registered charity number 293358) and upon which he relies for assistance; or
- (c) has a disability which affects his mobility, manual dexterity, physical coordination or ability to lift, carry or otherwise move everyday objects, in respect of a dog trained by a prescribed charity and upon which he relies for assistance.

For the purpose of this order –

- A person who habitually has a dog in his possession shall be taken to be in charge of the dog at any time unless at that time some other person is in charge of the dog;
- Placing the faeces in a receptacle on the land which is provided for the purpose, or for the disposal of waste, shall be sufficient removal from the land;
- Being unaware of the defecation (whether by reason of not being in the vicinity or otherwise), or not having a device for or other suitable means of removing the faeces shall not be a reasonable excuse for failing to remove the faeces
- "an authorised officer of the Authority" means an employee, partnership agency or contractor of Dover District Council who is authorised in writing by Dover District Council for the purposes of giving directions under the Order.
- Each of the following is a "prescribed charity" -
 - Dogs for the Disabled (registered charity number 700454)
 - Support Dogs Limited (registered charity number 1088281)
 - Canine Partners for Independence (registered charity number (803680)

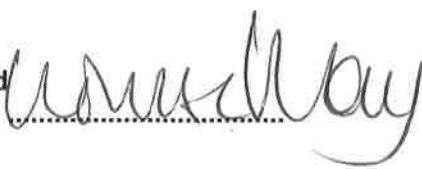
6. Penalty

A person who is guilty of an offence under this order of this order shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

The Common Seal of
The District Council Dover was
Affixed in the presence of

16, 986

Authorised
Signatory:



Date:.....





Schedule One The Keeping of Dogs on Lead

This order applies to all land described below:

Map no.	Location	Geographical Area	Ward/Parish
1	Battle of Britain Memorial, New Dover Road	Capel-Le-Ferne	Capel-Le-Ferne
2	St Peter's Church, Church Whitfield Road	Church Whitfield	Whitfield
3	Deal Pier	Deal	North Deal
4	Hamilton Road Cemetery	Deal	Middle Deal & Sholden
5	Sandown Castle Gardens and the Seafront Promenade from Sandown Castle to Deal Castle	Deal	North Deal
6	Barton Path	Dover	St Radigunds
7	Charlton Cemetery, Old Charlton Road	Dover	Castle
8	Dover Pier	Dover	Town & Pier
9	Pencester Gardens, Pencester Road	Dover	Castle
10	St Andrew's Churchyard, Crabble Meadows	Dover	St Radigunds
11	St James's Cemetery, Old Charlton Road	Dover	Castle
12	St Mary's Cemetery, Old Charlton Road	Dover	Castle
13	The promenade and seafront gardens at Dover Seafront (Waterloo Crescent and Marine Parade)	Dover	Town & Pier and Castle
14	St Augustine's Churchyard, The Street	East Langdon	St Margaret's
15	St Mary's Church and Churchyard, Church Street	Eastry	Eastry
16	St Martin's Churchyard, Mongeham Church Close	Great Mongeham	Eastry
17	St Martin of Tours Church, East Langdon Road	Guston	St Margaret's
18	St Mary's Graveyard, Old Court Hill	Nonnington	Aylesham
19	Kearsney Abbey park, (Café side), Alkham Road and walkway adjacent Abbey Lake accessed from Minnis Lane	River	River
20	Russell Gardens, Alkham Road	River	Lydden & Temple Ewell

21	Boatman's Hill Cemetery, Woodnesborough Road	Sandwich	Sandwich
22	Princes Golf Course Dunes, Sandwich Bay	Sandwich Bay	Sandwich
23	St Clements Churchyard, Knightrider Street	Sandwich	Sandwich
24	St Margaret's Church, High Street	St Margaret's	St Margaret's at Cliffe
25	St Margaret's Bay promenade, car park and grassed amenity Area.	St Margaret's Bay	St Margaret's at Cliffe
26	Walmer Green, The Strand 1 st of May to 30 th September between the hours of 9am and 8pm	Walmer	Walmer
27	St Peter and St Paul's Churchyard, Jubilee Road, The Street	Worth	Sandwich



Schedule Two Dog Exclusion Areas

This order applies to all land described below:

Map no.	Location	Area	Ward/Parish
1	Enclosed children's play area, Collar Maker's Green	Ash	Little Stour & Ashstone
2	Enclosed children's play areas, Queen's Road	Ash	Little Stour & Ashstone
3	Aylesham & Snowdown Sport and Welfare Club sporting pitches and MUGA	Aylesham	Aylesham
4	Enclosed children's play area, Market Square	Aylesham	Aylesham
5	Enclosed children's play area and skate-park, Lancaster Avenue	Capel-Le-Ferne	Capel-Le-Ferne
6	The beach from Sandown Castle to Deal Castle 1 st of May to 30 th of September between the hours of 9am and 8pm	Deal	North Deal
7	Enclosed children's play area, Cowdray Square	Deal	Mill Hill
8	Enclosed play area and multi-use games area (MUGA), North Deal Playing Field), Western Road,	Deal	North Deal
9	Enclosed children's play areas Travers Road	Deal	Middle Deal & Sholden
10	Enclosed children's play areas, tennis courts, skatepark & MUGA, Victoria Park	Deal	Middle Deal & Sholden
11	Enclosed children's play area, William Pitt Avenue	Deal	Middle Deal & Sholden
12	Enclosed children's play area, Wilson Avenue	Deal	Mill Hill
13	MUGA and enclosed children's play area at the end of St David's Avenue, Aycliffe	Dover	Town & Pier
14	Enclosed children's play area, Bunkers Hill Avenue	Dover	St Radigunds
15	Enclosed children's play area, Bunkers Hill Road junction with Bunkers Hill Avenue	Dover	St Radigunds
16	Tennis courts & enclosed children's play area, Connaught Park	Dover	Castle
17	MUGA & enclosed children's play area, Elms Vale Recreation Ground	Dover	Maxton, Elms Vale & Priory
18	Enclosed children's play area,	Dover	Buckland

	Evison Close		
19	The beach at Dover Seafront, Waterloo Crescent & Marine Parade 1 st of May to 30 th of September between the hours of 9am and 8pm	Dover	Town & Pier and Castle
20	Enclosed children's play area, Northbourne Avenue, Tower Hamlets	Dover	Tower Hamlets
21	Enclosed children's play area, Ottawa Crescent	Dover	Buckland
22	Enclosed children's play areas and skate-park Pencester Gardens	Dover	Castle
23	Enclosed children's play area & MUGA, Sheridan Road (Buckland Estate)	Dover	Buckland
24	Enclosed children's play area, Barwick Road	Dover	St Radigunds
25	The Danes Recreation Ground (football pitches)	Dover	Castle
26	Enclosed children's play area, East Langdon Road,	East Langdon	St Margaret's at Cliffe
27	Enclosed children's play area, Centenary Gardens	Eastry	Eastry
28	Enclosed children's play areas & skate-park, Gun Park Recreation Ground	Eastry	Eastry
29	Enclosed children's play area, Downs Road	East Studdal	Eastry
30	Enclosed children's play area and MUGA, Elvington Recreation Ground St John's Road	Elvington	Eythorne & Shepherdswell
31	Enclosed children's play area, Eythorne playing field, Willow Way	Eythorne	Eythorne & Shepherswell
32	Enclosed children's play area, Chance Meadow	Guston	St Margaret's At Cliffe
33	Guston Green, The Lane	Guston	St Margaret's At Cliffe
34	Enclosed children's play area, The Drove,	Northbourne	Eastry
35	Enclosed children's play areas, Queens Rise	Ringwould	Ringwould & Kingsdown
36	Crabble Athletic Football and Rugby Ground	River	St Radigunds
37	Enclosed children's play area, Kearsney Abbey Park, Alkham Road	River	River
38	Enclosed children's play areas, tennis courts & sports pitches, River Recreation Ground, Lewisham Road	River	River
39	Tennis Courts and enclosed children's play area, Russell Gardens, Alkham Road,	River	Lydden & Temple Ewell
40	Enclosed children's play area, Poulders Gardens	Sandwich	Sandwich
41	Enclosed children's play areas The Bulwarks	Sandwich	Sandwich
42	Enclosed children's play area, skate-park & MUGA The Butts,	Sandwich	Sandwich
43	Sandwich Nature Reserve off Gazen	Sandwich	Sandwich

	Salts Recreation Ground		
44	Sandwich Bay Mudflats and Salt Marshes	Sandwich Bay	Sandwich
45	Enclosed children's play area, Shepherdswell Recreation Ground, Approach Road,	Shepherdswell	Eythorne & Shepherdswell
46	Beach at St Margaret's 1 st of May to 30 th of September between the hours of 9am and 8pm	St Margaret's	St Margaret's at Cliffe
47	Enclosed children's play area & tennis courts, King Georges field, Well Lane	St Margaret's	St Margaret's at Cliffe
48	Enclosed Children's Play Area, (site next to village hall) Chapel Road	Tilmanstone	Eastry
49	The Drill Field, Cornwall Road	Walmer	Walmer
50	Enclosed children's play areas & tennis courts, Marke Wood, Dover Road	Walmer	Walmer
51	Paddling Pool, Walmer Green, The Strand	Walmer	Walmer
52	Putting Green, The Strand, Walmer Green	Walmer	Walmer
53	Enclosed children's play area, Aspen Drive off Kinson Way	Whitfield	Whitfield
54	Enclosed children's play area, Peverell Road off Hirst Close,	Whitfield	Buckland
55	Enclosed children's play area, Green Close off Aspen Drive	Whitfield	Whitfield
56	Enclosed children's play areas & MUGA, Whitfield Recreation Ground, off Cranleigh Drive	Whitfield	Whitfield
57	Enclosed children's play area, Galahad Way	Whitfield	Whitfield
58	Enclosed children's play area, Whyte Close off Aspen Drive	Whitfield	Whitfield
59	Enclosed children's play area, Willingdon Road	Whitfield	Whitfield
60	Wingham Recreation Ground enclosed children's play areas and MUGA	Wingham	Little Stour & Ashstone