

# ***BRINGING YOUR DOG TO HECKSCHER PARK***

**A PILOT PROGRAM**



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The Town of Huntington has approved a pilot program to allow leashed dogs in Heckscher Park starting Jan. 1, 2020. **Please help make the pilot program a success** by following the rules and common sense park etiquette.

Please always:

- ✿ Keep dogs on leash (maximum 6 ft) and under control. No retractable leashes.
- ✿ Pick up and properly dispose of dog waste.
- ✿ Yield to all other park goers on the paths by stepping off the path.
- ✿ No dogs in the playground, picnic areas and tennis courts.
- ✿ Dogs not allowed on the ball field when in use.
- ✿ Keep dogs quiet during events at the Harry Chapin Rainbow Stage.
- ✿ Avoid wildlife for their safety and your dog's.
- ✿ Keep dogs out of the plantings and the pond.
- ✿ Dogs must be licensed and vaccinated.
- ✿ Limit 2 dogs per handler.
- ✿ Respect other park goers so the park is a good experience for everyone!

**Please follow these simple rules so that the pilot program is a success and leashed dogs remain welcome at Heckscher Park year round!**

If you have concerns about safety, please call Public Safety at 631-351-3234 (open 24 hrs).

For more information contact: LI-DOG at [lidog\\_news@yahoo.com](mailto:lidog_news@yahoo.com).

Thank you for your help!

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