



# Off-Leash Dog Area Permit

**Instructions** *The dog's owner must complete and submit this application.*

Apply for a permit one of four ways:

- Visit dupageforest.org 24/7 and click "Registration & Permits" and "Purchase Permits."
- Bring this completed form to Visitor Services at 35580 Naperville Road in Wheaton Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Fax this completed form to 630-933-7217. (Add five to seven business days for processing.)
- Mail this completed form to Forest Preserve District of DuPage County, 35580 Naperville Road, Wheaton, IL 60189. (Add five to seven business days for processing.)

**Office Use Only**

Permit # \_\_\_\_\_

Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

If you're renewing your permit from last year or have any permit-related questions, you can also call Visitor Services at 630-933-7248 Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

**Dog Owner's Information** *You must be 18 or older.*

Dog Owner's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt/Unit # \_\_\_\_\_ 18 or Older?  Yes  No

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ DuPage Resident?  Yes  No

Primary Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Animal-Care Facility \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

If you're applying for a daily permit, which day will you use it?

Which will you use most?  Blackwell  East Branch  Greene Valley  Hawk Hollow  Mayslake  Oldfield Oaks  Springbrook

Dog's Name <i>Use second form if more than three.</i>	Breed or Type of Mixed Breed	Rabies Tag Number	Exp. Date MM/DD/YY	County* & State

*\*If you have lived in DuPage County for more than 30 days, your dog must have a DuPage County rabies tag.*

**Fees** *Fees are nonrefundable, and permits are nontransferable. There's a \$5 fee to replace a lost or stolen permit.*

<b>Dog Owner</b>	DuPage County resident	Annual permit (valid Jan. – Dec.) Daily permit	First dog \$50 (\$25 after Sept. 1) \$10 per dog per day	Each additional dog \$10
	Nonresident	Annual permit (valid Jan. – Dec.) Daily permit	First dog \$160 (\$80 after Sept. 1) \$20 per dog per day	Each additional dog \$27
	65 or older	One free annual permit per household per year <input type="radio"/> Yes, I qualify. Here's my birth date (MM/DD/YY) _____ I'm also including a copy of my birth certificate, driver's license or state ID.		
	Active U.S. military personnel or honorably discharged U.S. veteran	One free annual permit per household per year <input type="radio"/> Yes, I qualify and am including proof of my active military status or honorable discharge		

**Payment Information** *Do not mail cash. If you include credit card information, do not email this form.*

Visa  Mastercard  Discover  American Express  Check to Forest Preserve District of DuPage County  Cash

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ CVV/CVC \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**YOU MUST AGREE TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS AND THE WAIVER ON PAGE 2.**



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**Off-Leash Dog Area Locations** *All areas open daily one hour after sunrise except as noted.*

<b>Blackwell</b> (opens 9 a.m. Mondays)	Fenced 10 acres on the south side of Mack Road 0.25 mile east of Route 59
<b>East Branch</b> (opens 9 a.m. Mondays)	Training pond on 60 acres on the west side of Swift Road 1 mile north of North Avenue
<b>Greene Valley</b> (opens 10 a.m. Wednesdays)	Fenced 14.5 acres for all dogs and 1.5 acres for small dogs on the east side of Greene Road south of Hobson Road and north of 75th Street
<b>Hawk Hollow</b> (opens 10 a.m. Tuesdays)	Fenced 34 acres with two rotating 2.1-acre areas for large dogs and 0.7 acre for small dogs off Bittersweet Drive south of Stearns Road
<b>Mayslake</b> (opens 10 a.m. on Thursdays)	Fenced 3.5 acres for all dogs and 0.5 acre for small dogs on the east side of St. Paschal Drive south of 31st Street and west of Route 83
<b>Oldfield Oaks</b> (opens 10 a.m. Tuesdays)	Fenced 6 acres for all dogs and 0.6 acre for small dogs on Cheese Road east of Lemont Road and south of 87th Street
<b>Springbrook Prairie</b> (opens 10 a.m. Thursdays)	Fenced 37 acres on the north side of 83rd Street west of Book Road

## Rules and Regulations and Waiver

Please read this information carefully. It includes releases of liability and waiver of legal rights and deprives you of the ability to sue certain parties. By checking the boxes and providing your name and the date, you acknowledge you've read and understood all of the text.

### Rules and Regulations

For everyone's safety and enjoyment, you must follow these rules and regulations, which the Forest Preserve District may change at any time. You can bring up to three dogs to an area at one time, but the following applies to each.

- Carry your dog's permit with you when in an off-leash area, and present it to a Forest Preserve District agent for inspection if asked.
- Keep your dog up-to-date on distemper, parvo and rabies vaccinations and make sure it's wearing its rabies tag on its collar.
- Keep your dog in view and under control at all times and keep a watchful eye on children.
- Close the gate as you enter and exit the off-leash area, and leash your dog when you're outside the area.
- Carry a leash and leash and remove your dog at the first sign of aggression. You are responsible for the behavior of your dog and for any injuries or damages it causes to people or other dogs.
- Never bring your dog if it's sick or in heat.
- Do not allow your dog to dig holes.
- Properly pick up and dispose of all dog waste. Failure to do so could result in fines up to \$120.
- Keep out of ponds or other waters; they are for dogs only.
- Do not bring a toy that's smaller than a tennis ball. If you bring any toys or treats, do not give them to other dogs, and make sure to take them with you when you leave.
- Never use animals — dead or alive — for any purpose.
- Never use ammunition or devices that use explosive forces to propel retrievable objects.  
There is one exception to this rule. At the off-leash area at East Branch Forest Preserve, you may — for dog-training purposes only and with extreme caution — use blank ammunition or devices that use explosive forces to propel retrievable objects.

By checking the box below I agree to abide by these rules and regulations as well as all Forest Preserve District ordinances and administrative orders and state statutes. I understand that the Forest Preserve District may fine me or revoke my permit without refunding my permit fee if I supply false information on this application or fail to comply with any rules, regulations, ordinances, orders or statutes.

**I have read and agree to the off-leash dog area rules and regulations.**

Printed Name

Date

### Waiver

I hereby fully waive and release the "Releasee" Forest Preserve District of DuPage County, from any and all claims for personal injury, monetary loss, property damage, or death that may result from my participation. I hereby voluntarily, at my own risk, agree to the Waiver and Assumption of Risk in sole consideration of being permitted to use the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County facilities/property or services offered. Agreement to this Waiver and Assumption of Risk, I fully assume the dangers and risks, and agree to use my best judgment while engaging in those activities. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasee, its employees, agents, officers, from and against any and all liability incurred as a result of or in any manner related to my participation in the activities or services offered.

**I have read and agree to the waiver.**

Printed Name

Date