



COUNCIL ORDERS MADE UNDER SECTIONS 25 AND 26 OF THE
DOMESTIC ANIMALS ACT 1994

At its meeting on [date], Yarra City Council resolved to make the following Orders pursuant to sections 25(2) and 26(2) of the *Domestic Animals Act 1994*.

Domestic Animals Act 1994

1. Revocation

- (1) All previous Orders made by Council under section 26 of the *Domestic Animals Act 1994* are revoked.

2. Commencement

- (1) This order commences on [date] other than clause 3 which commenced on [date].

3. Cat curfew pursuant to section 25(2)

- (1) All cats within the municipal district of Yarra City Council, must be securely confined to their owner's premises, or the premises where they are being kept for the time being, between the hours of 7.00 pm and 7.00 am the following day.

4. Council order pursuant to section 26(2)

- (1) The Owner of any dog must keep the dog under effective control by means of a Leash held by the Owner and attached to the dog while the dog is in a Public Place except where that Public Place is a Designated Reserve.

5. Prohibited Areas

- (1) A dog must not enter or remain in any Prohibited Area.
- (2) The prohibition under sub-clause (1) applies in a Prohibited Area regardless of whether or not the dog is under effective control by means of a Leash held by the Owner and attached to the dog, or otherwise controlled or not controlled.

6. Owner's obligations in a Designated Reserve

- (1) A dog may be in a Designated Reserve, without being under effective control by means of a Leash held by the owner and attached to the dog, if:
 - (a) the Owner carries a Leash for each dog with them;
 - (b) the Owner remains in close proximity to the dog to bring the dog under effective control by attaching a Leash to the dog and held by the Owner;
 - (c) the Owner remains in effective voice or hand control of the dog so as to be able to promptly bring the dog under effective control by attaching a Leash to the dog and held by the Owner if that becomes necessary;
 - (d) the dog does not worry, threaten or attack any person or animal;
 - (e) the Owner brings the dog under effective control by attaching a Leash to the dog and held by the Owner promptly if the dog commences to worry, threaten or attack any person or animal;
 - (f) the dog does not dig or otherwise damage the Designated Reserve;
 - (g) the Owner keeps the dog under effective control by attaching a Leash to the dog and held by the Owner whenever the dog is within 10 meters of:
 - (i) an unfenced playground area;

- (ii) a barbecue or picnic facility;
 - (iii) a sporting oval which is being used for an organised sporting event or training), an authorised school event or other organised public event;
 - (iv) any skate park or BMX facility;
 - (v) any other authorised event; and
 - (vi) any Play or Exercise equipment;
- (h) the Owner keeps the dog under effective control by attaching a Leash to the dog held by the Owner whenever lawn mowing, maintenance or other works is being carried out by a Council officer or Council contractor; and
 - (i) the Owner keeps the dog under effective control by means of a Leash attached to the dog and held by the Owner when the dog is on or within 5 meters of a Shared Path.

7. Commercial Dog Walkers

- (1) Commercial dog walkers must keep all dogs in their care under effective control by means of a Leash which is always attached to the dog and held by the person except when in a Designated Reserve which is fenced off so that a dog cannot leave the Designated Reserve.

8. Meaning of words

In this Order:

Designated Reserve means any reserve specified in Schedule 1 of this Order.

Dog multi-zone reserve means a Designated Reserve that includes both on and off leash areas as indicated by signage.

Leash means a chain, cord or leash (not exceeding 2 meters in length), sufficient to bring a dog under effective control.

Organised Event means an event approved by Council in which a lease or permit has been granted, including (but not limited too) sporting and community events.

Owner has the same meaning as in the *Domestic Animals Act* 1994 and includes a person in apparent control of the dog.

Play or Exercise equipment means any item, facility or equipment installed by Council and designed to be used by children or adults for play or exercise.

Prohibited Area means:

- (a) any sporting oval when an organised sporting event or training is in progress; and
- (b) the places specified in Schedule 2 of this Order.

Public Place has the meaning given to it in the *Summary Offences Act* 1966, but does not include land owned or managed by Parks Victoria.

Shared Path has the same meaning as defined under the *Road Safety Road Rules* 2017.

SCHEDULE 1- Designated Reserves

RESERVE NAME	SUBURB	STREET ADDRESS	POST CODE		DESIGNATION
YARRA RIVER PARKLANDS- FLOCKHART RESERVE	ABBOTSFORD	FLOCKHART ST	3067		Dog Off-lead area
MAUGIE ST RESERVE	ABBOTSFORD	MAUGIE ST / LULIE ST	3067		Dog Off-lead area
VICTORIA PARK (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	ABBOTSFORD	ABBOT ST	3067		Dog Off-lead area
GAHAN RESERVE	ABBOTSFORD	PARK ST / VERE ST	3067		Dog Multi-zone reserve
COATE PARK	ALPHINGTON	COATE AVE	3078		Dog Multi-zone reserve
ALPHINGTON PARK (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	ALPHINGTON	BW PARK VIEW & VIEW ST	3078		Dog On-lead (10 am – 5 pm) Dog Off-lead (all other times)
CURTAINS SQUARE	CARLTON NTH	CURTAIN ST / RATHDOWNE ST	3054		Dog Multi-zone Reserve.
INNER CIRCLE- LYGON TO NICHOLSON	CARLTON NTH	PARK ST NICHOLSON TO LYGON ST	3054		Dog Off-lead area
INNER CIRCLE- HARDY GALLAGHER RESERVE	CARLTON NTH	GARTON ST TO WILSON ST	3054		Dog Off-lead area
DARLING GARDENS	CLIFTON HILL	NORTH TCE / HODDLE ST / SOUTH TCE	3068		Dog Multi-zone Reserve
QUARRIES PARK (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	CLIFTON HILL	DWYER ST / WRIGHT ST	3068		Dog Off-lead area
WALKER ST RESERVE	CLIFTON HILL	WALKER ST	3068		Dog Off-lead area
MERRICK PARKLANDS- HALL RESERVE	CLIFTON HILL	THE ESPLANADE	3068		Dog Off-lead area

RESERVE NAME	SUBURB	STREET ADDRESS	POST CODE		DESIGNATION
MAYORS PARK (EXCLUDES COLLINGWOOD LEISURE CENTRE)	CLIFTON HILL	TURNBULL ST/HEIDELBERG RD / HODDLE ST	3068		Dog Off-lead area
COULSON RESERVE (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	CLIFTON HILL	HEIDELBERG RD	3068		Dog Off-lead area
RAMSDEN STREET RESERVE (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	CLIFTON HILL	FIELD ST / RAMSDEN ST	3068		Dog Off-lead area
YAMBLAST RESERVE (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	CLIFTON HILL	YAMBLA ST / WRIGHT ST	3068		Dog Off- lead area
FAIRFIELD PARK	FAIRFIELD	HEIDELBERG RD / YARRA BEND RD	3078		Dog Off-lead area
FAIRFIELD PARK OVAL (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	FAIRFIELD	HEIDELBERG RD / YARRA BEND RD	3078		Dog Off-lead area
SMITH RESERVE	FITZROY	ALEXANDRA PDE / GEORGE / NAPIER / CECIL STS	3065		Dog Multi-zone reserve
GEORGE ST RESERVE (Next to Cairns Reserve)	RICHMOND	GEORGE ST / CHARLES ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area
ATHERTON RESERVE	FITZROY	NAPIER ST	3065		Dog Off-lead area
O'CONNELL RESERVE	RICHMOND	BRIDGE RD	3121		Dog On-lead (9 am – 5 pm) Dog Off-lead (all other times) sports ground)
EDINBURGH GARDENS (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	FITZROY NORTH	ST GEORGES RD / BRUNSWICK ST	3068		Dog Multi-zone reserve
LANGDON RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	MILLER ST / NICHOLSON ST	3068		Dog Multi-zone reserve
INNER CIRCLE- HOLDEN BYRNE RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	HOLDEN ST / BYRNE ST	3068		Dog Multi-zone reserve
RAINES RESERVE- TRIANGLE PARK (ALEXANDRA PDE / QUEENS / NAPIER ST)	FITZROY NORTH	QUEENS PDE	3068		Dog Off-lead area

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BATSON (RUSHALL STATION) RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	RUSHALLCRS	3068		Dog Off-lead area
INNER CIRCLE- THOMAS KIDNEY RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	PARK ST /RUSHALL ST TO BENNETT ST	3068		Dog Off-lead area
INNER CIRCLE- ST GEORGES RD TO BENNETT ST	FITZROY NORTH	PARK ST (BENNETT TO ST GEORGES RD)	3068		Dog Off-lead area
INNER CIRCLE -JANET MILLMAN RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	PARK ST (B/W NICHOLSON & ST GEORGES RD)	3068		Dog Off-lead area
INNER CIRCLE- MARK ST RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	CAPITAL CITY TRAIL (B/W ST GEORGES RD & ALFRED CR)	3068		Dog Off-lead area
RUSHALL RESERVE	FITZROY NORTH	END OF HOLDEN ST	3068		Dog Off -Lead area
K BARTLETT RESERVE	RICHMOND	YARRA BOULEVARD /F.R. SMITH DVE	3121		Dog Multi-zone reserve
BARKLY GARDENS	RICHMOND	MARY ST	3121		Dog Multi-zone reserve
BURNLEY PARK (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	RICHMOND	PARK GVE /YARRA BLVD	3121		Dog Off-lead area
YARRA RIVER PARKLANDS- CRN BRIDGE AND YARRA BOULEVARD	RICHMOND	CRN BRIDGE AND YARRA BOULEVARD	3121		Dog Off-lead area
GOLDEN SQUARE	RICHMOND	MADDENGVE	3121		Dog Off-lead area
ANNETTES PLACE (RIVER ST RESERVE)	RICHMOND	RIVER ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area
CIRCUS SITE	RICHMOND	SWAN ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area

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ALAN BAIN RESERVE (has a sports ground – see schedule 2)	RICHMOND	MARY ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area
YARRA RIVER PARKLANDS- LOYS PADDOCK	RICHMOND	SNOW ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area
CITIZENS PARK (has a sports oval – see schedule 2)	RICHMOND	CHURCH ST / HIGHETT ST	3121		Dog Off-lead area
WILLIAMS RESERVE	RICHMOND	VICTORIA ST / BURNLEY ST	3121		Dog On-lead (9 am – 5 pm) Dog Off-lead (all other times)
DAME NELLIE MELBA MEMORIAL RESERVE	RICHMOND	COPPIN ST	3121		Dog On-lead (9 am – 5 pm) Dog Off-lead (all other times)
McCONCHIE RESERVE	RICHMOND	MARY ST	3121		Dog On-lead (9 am – 5 pm) Dog Off-lead (all other times)

SCHEDULE 2. Dog prohibited areas

1. Edwardes Place, Falconer Street, North Fitzroy.
2. McNamara Reserve, Gold Street, Collingwood.
3. Batman Reserve, Batman Street, North Fitzroy.
4. Whitlam Place, Moor Street, Fitzroy.
5. Urban Arts Square, Bridge Road, Richmond.
6. Gary Owen Park, Leicester Street, Fitzroy.
7. All playgrounds.
8. Any cricket turf cricket wicket when roped off and any wicket covered area.
9. Any synthetic sports grounds.
10. Any sporting grounds enclosed by fencing (except for Victoria Park and Citizens Park).
11. Alphington Park wetland – Parkville Road, Alphington.
12. Any mulched areas of any play or exercise equipment.
13. Any garden bed on Council land.

