

FACT SHEET

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>Originating Department</u>
A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A DOG PARK AT SOUTHERN HILLS PARK AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.	January 31, 2022	SPAR

PURPOSE

This resolution will approve locating a dog park in Southern Hills Park.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Dog Park Advisory Committee and the Southern Hills Business Association is recommending a dog park be located at Southern Hills Park. Chapter 62 of the City of Shreveport Code of Ordinances requires that the location of any dog park be subject to the approval of the City Council

TIMETABLE

Introduction/Final Passage- February 8, 2022

Special Procedural Requirements

None

DISCUSSION

None

ALTERNATIVES

1. Adopt the ordinance.
 2. Amend the ordinance.
 3. Deny the ordinance.
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CONCLUSION

Alternative number 1 is recommended.

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY: Shelly Ragle, Director

RESOLUTION NO. 14 OF 2022

**A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE DEVELOPMENT OF
A DOG PARK AT SOUTHERN HILLS PARK AND TO
OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.**

WHEREAS, under the authority vested in them in Article II, Chapter 62, Section 62-67 the City Council of the City of Shreveport shall approval by resolution the location of any dog park; and

WHEREAS, the City Council and the Department of Public Assembly and Recreation of the City of Shreveport recognize residents desire a place to recreate with their dogs off-leash; and

WHEREAS, the success of Dog Parks require partnership with the community to protect and enhance the character of the neighborhood and to accommodate the changing needs with those communities; and

WHEREAS, the Southern Hills Business Association has requested to build and pay for a Dog Park at Southern Hills Park and has recommended the passage of this Resolution and is asking for the support of the City Council to build a Dog Park at Southern Hills Park.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that it hereby accepts the recommendation of the Southern Hills Business Association and endorses the development of a dog park at Southern Hills Park.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened, that the Mayor is authorized to execute all documents related to the Dog Park at Southern Hills Park.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or application and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

City Attorney's Office