

WHY BIG RAPIDS NEEDS AN OFF-LEASH DOG PARK

- Top 5 Priority from City Residents – 2010 Parks and Recreation Survey
- Increase in dog ownership
- Dog Parks are the fastest growing city park in America
- Socialization – Both dogs and owners
- Low start-up cost, low sustaining costs
- Community - Join the *Friends of the Big Rapids Dog Park* group
- Safe environment for dogs to run off-leash
- Area Oversight – Park will be visited daily by the *Friends of the Big Rapids Dog Park* group
- Free and open
- Centralized networking for City and FSU Dog Owners

BIG RAPIDS DOG PARK

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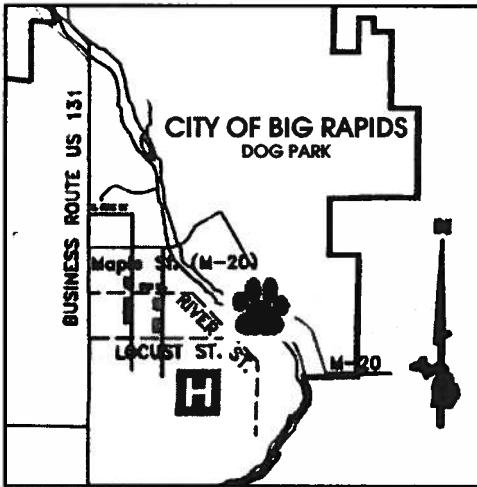
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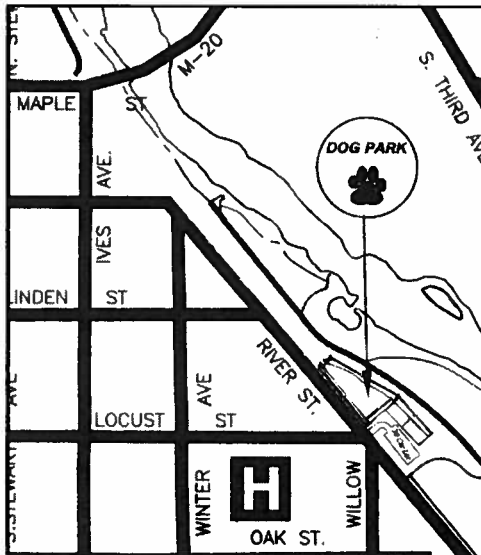
“A DOG WAGS ITS TAIL WITH ITS HEART.”

— MARTIN BUXBAUM

DOG PARK THE



Slated to open in June 2012, the Big Rapids Dog Park is surrounded by the scenic White Pine Trail, the Big Rapids Dog Park is located next to the hospital and near the Big Rapids Soccer Fields. Parking is conveniently located on site. The dog park is completely fenced and has separate areas for both large and small dogs. The Dog Park falls under the jurisdiction of the City of Big Rapids Recreation Department.

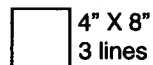


THREE WAYS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED: DONATE, SPONSOR, VOLUNTEER!

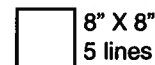
Want to get involved? You can help support the Big Rapids Dog Park by purchasing a commemorative brick, making a cash donation, becoming a corporate sponsor or becoming a Friend of the Big Rapids Dog Park.



Commemorative bricks are available in two sizes: 4" X 8" (3 lines of text) and 8" X 8" (5 lines of text or 3 lines plus a graphic). Bricks will be installed on the walkway leading into the dog park.



\$50



\$75

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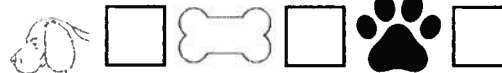
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Optional graphic (In place of 2 lines):

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I would like to join the Friends of the Big Rapids Dog Park group!

Cash donation only:

\$10 \$15 \$20 Other \$ _____

Corporate Sponsorship:

Chihuahua \$250
 Labrador \$500
 Great Dane \$1,000
 Corporate sponsors receive a plaque on the Big Rapids Dog Park sign.

Your name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please make checks payable to the City of Big Rapids and write "Dog Park" on the memo line.
All donations are tax-deductible.