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EXTRACT FROM MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING NO. 8/11 HELD ON 14 JUNE 2011.

7 RESULTS OF THE DOG OFF LEASH AREA TRIAL

Note: Ms Jan Aiello, Ms Jill Crow and Ms Christine Ma addressed the meeting in relation to this item.

RESOLUTION: (Moved by Councillors Petch and O'Donnell)

- (a) That the exercising of dogs off leash is prohibited at the following parks
 - Carara Reserve, West Ryde
 - Waterloo Park, Marsfield
 - Cudal Reserve, Ryde
 - Putney Park, Putney
 - Forrester Park, Eastwood
 - Fontenov Park, Macquarie Park
- (b) That future budget allocations are provided for enclosed dog off leash areas ELS Hall Park, Denistone Park and Olympic Park. In the intervening time, these parks are to be managed as dog off leash areas.
- (c) That North Ryde Common, Kotara Park and Santa Rosa Park are managed as free running off leash areas and a future budget allocation provided for additional infrastructure.
- (d) That the following sportsgrounds offer opportunities for off leash dog exercising when not used for organised sport:
 - Peel Park. Gladesville
 - Brush Farm Park, Eastwood
 - Darvall Park, Denistone
 - Pidding Park, Ryde
- (e) That the community is notified of Council's decision and all parks under the Trial are signposted in accordance with Council decision.
- (f) That Council continue to consult with the community with a view to increasing the number of dog off leash areas.

- (g) That Council continue its ongoing education of dog owners on their responsibilities.
- (h) That Ms Fiona Morrison, Open Space Planner be congratulated for her contribution with this project.

Record of Voting:

For the Motion: Unanimous