

Dogs

Sequoia National Forest





Dogs in National Forest developed recreation areas have become a concern in recent years. Canine companions traditionally have been welcomed in the forest and in the wilderness. The few rules that apply to dogs are meant to assure that you and other forest visitors have an enjoyable outdoor recreation experience.

Regulations to Follow:

- Leave vicious or unusually noisy dogs at home.
 Because they may disturb or threaten others,
 they may not be permitted in public recreation areas
- At night, keep dogs and other pets inside an enclosed vehicle, inside a tent, or confined so as not to run loose.
- Please be considerate of other campers and forest visitors.
- Select a campsite on the edge of the campground and away from any water or shoreline.

- Do not leave dogs alone in a closed vehicle or tent while camping. Pets should never be left alone while on the forest.
- At all times, keep your dog on a leash no more than 6 feet long. Domestic animals are not permitted to run loose in recreation areas where they may disturb other forest visitors.
- <u>Pick up after your pet</u>. This may be the most neglected responsibility of pet owners. Take ownership of your pet and pick up all dog waste.

Thank you for your help in making forest visits enjoyable and safe! Plan ahead by obtaining a National Forest map at one of the following offices:

Hume Lake Ranger District 35860 East Kings Canyon Road Dunlap, CA 93621 559-338-2251

Kern River Ranger District 11380 Kernville Road Kernville, CA 93238

760-376-3781

Western Divide Ranger District 32588 Hwy 190 Springville, CA 93265 559-539-2607

Forest Supervisor's Office 220 E Morton Ave Porterville, CA 93257 559-784-1500



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