

## ATTACHMENT A

### DOGS OFF LEASH

The reporting out on the off leash consultation requires two parallel but different sets of numbers.

There were five different parksites involved, each eliciting a different response, and a significant number of responses were generalised and applicable to parks in general.

Also there were two unsolicited petitions received.

- 1) Designate Harbour Green Park as an off leash site (49 names)
- 2) Do not allow unleashed dogs in the areas of children's play (57 names)

#### A) Overall Responses

Support 229  
Opposed 134

1. Generally support 108
2. Generally opposed 88
  
1. Site-specific support 121
2. Site-specific opposition 46

| PHONE   |         | E-MAIL  |         | REGULAR MAIL |         |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------|---------|
| 58      |         | 288     |         | 17           |         |
| SUPPORT | OPPOSED | SUPPORT | OPPOSED | SUPPORT      | OPPOSED |
| 25      | 33      | 198     | 90      | 6            | 11      |

- 37 emails, 20 phone response, 2 fax and 1 regular mail were received after Feb. 28 deadline: 41 Support and 19 Opposed
  
- Response to Vancouver Courier article – dog use fees for fenced off-leash areas:  
In support 25 and Opposed 14

B) Individual Parksite Responses

3. Cooper's Park – time extension
  - in favour 28
  - opposed 3
4. Portside (Crab) Park – time extension
  - in favour 5
  - opposed 3
5. Stanley Park – new site
  - in favour 12
  - opposed 31
6. Devonian Park – new site
  - in favour 11
  - opposed 8
7. Creekside Park South – new site
  - in favour 6
  - opposed 5

In terms of expressed reasons for their positions, respondents indicated the following:

- |    |                        |    |
|----|------------------------|----|
| a) | Inadequate enforcement | 35 |
| b) | Environmental concerns | 13 |
| c) | Safety concerns        | 5  |
| d) | Fencing required       | 4  |