

ANGELS GATE PARK

MASTER PLAN DESIGN CONCEPT

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Proposed Peninsula Dog Park Location.

*Square footage to be determined.



Peninsula Dog Park, Inc., was organized in 1998 by concerned dog owners in the San Pedro/Palos Verdes Peninsula area who saw a need for an off-leash dog park. We are an all-volunteer, non-profit group governed by a six member Board of Directors. PDPI has worked closely with government officials and local agencies.

Since its inception, PDPI has consistently fundraised to provide waste bags, supplies and to take care of other expenses such as insurance, benches, etc. for the park. PDPI's mission statement is, "To assist in the creation and maintenance of off-leash recreation areas for dogs and their owners in the San Pedro/ Peninsula community.

In the City of Los Angeles, there are currently only 10 off-leash dog parks for the community. Since large-scale growth of an urban population has made open space for dogs and their owners increasingly scarce and since many dog owners feel that on-leash dog-walking is insufficient exercise for their pets, an off-leash dog park is extremely essential. Off-leash dog parks also provide several benefits to the public, some of which are:

- Dogs have a place to play and can hence be out of the way of people who don't want to mingle with them.
- Responsible dog owners will have access to a dog park and won't need to violate the Leash Law.
- A dog-park promotes public health by keeping feces in one location.
- Dog-parks promote public safety.

PROPOSED PROGRAMMING

Off-leash recreation area for owners and their dogs.

POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS

Part of Joan Milke Flores Park can be reserved for a dog park.



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