

ORDINANCE NO. 0003-26 Unleashed Animals and Dog Parks

DATE OF ENACTMENT: July 7, 2026

SUMMARY OF SUBJECT MATTER AND MAIN POINTS:

Section 10-92 of the Code was repealed and recreated to prohibit unleashed animals on public property. Exceptions include, for example, animals secured in a vehicle or carrier, law enforcement animals, and service animals as prescribed by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Additionally, section 70-90(d)(3) was amended to include Jones Park among those parks within the city where leashed dogs are permitted. Further, section 70-90(f) was created to prohibit any violation of the rules and regulations posted by sign at designated dog parks.

ORDINANCE LOCATION INFORMATION:

Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-1; Chapter 10, Article IV, Section 10-92; and Chapter 70, Article III, Division 1, Section 70-90(d)(3) and (f) of the City of Racine Municipal Code of Ordinances.

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