



Support the Park with a Tax-Deductible Donation!

The following will be listed on a plaque at the park:

- Park Pup: \$100-\$249
- Park Watch Dog: \$250-\$499
- Park Super Dog: \$500-\$999
- Park Top Dog: \$1000+

You can sponsor specific things, such as engraved bricks, trees, park benches, or a pond; except for bricks, these are acknowledged with engraved plaques.

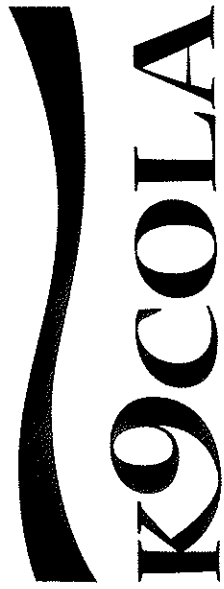
Smaller donations, in any amount you can afford, are always welcome!

- \$10 \$15 \$20 \$25 \$50
- Other Amount _____

Contact K9COLA for details and information:

K9COLA
 P.O. Box 992
 Cedar Rapids, IA 52406-0992
 Email: info@k9cola.org

K9COLA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization; all donations are tax-deductible.



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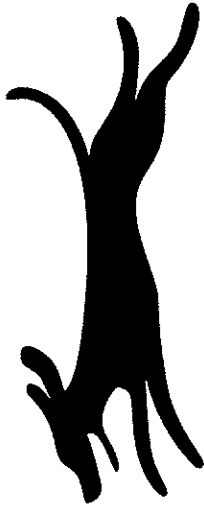
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K9COLA is a volunteer group of citizens that supports the development of off-leash areas in the Cedar Rapids area. The group provides the community with educational information, raises development funds, and supports ongoing maintenance of the park. Members get a newsletter, discounts at events, and opportunities to volunteer.

What is an Off-Leash Area (OLA)?

Off-leash areas are public spaces where people and their dogs can play, train and exercise together without the dog being leashed. You may find people throwing flying disks, practicing obedience, tracking, or hunting retrieves, or simply jogging with their dogs or enjoying a game of fetch. OLAs provide a place to socialize and exercise dogs in a safe environment. Elderly and disabled owners now have an accessible place to exercise their companions. Dog owners have new opportunities to socialize and exchange information while increasing their dogs' dog-human and dog-dog socialization skills.

Am I a Park User or a K9COLA Member?

If you have purchased an annual off-leash area permit tag from the city, you are a Park User. If you have filled out a membership application form for K9COLA and submitted the membership fee (\$15 individual, \$25 family), you are a K9COLA Member. You can be a Park User without joining K9COLA or vice versa, but we'd love to have all Park Users join K9COLA to help support the park!

Web Sites That Give Information:

For a listing of web sites featuring information on successful OLAs, go to our web site at:
k9cola.org

Why Should I Join K9COLA?

K9COLA's membership fees:

- pay for a newsletter to keep you informed about upcoming events, fundraisers, changes in park policies, and park etiquette reminders.
- are used to add park improvements and amenities (benches, trees, shelters, dog toys, etc.)
- are used to educate the public through pamphlets, handouts, and public events (parades, information tables, presentations)

Members:

- serve on the Board of Directors and on various committees
 - vote on changes in policy
 - give input on park improvements
 - volunteer for events, trash pick-up and refilling bag holders at the park, and for scheduled work days at the park
 - attend K9COLA meetings monthly
- Your input and ideas are always welcome! The more members and more work we can get done, the better chance we have of getting OLAs in other parts of Cedar Rapids.

Cheyenne Park Off-Leash Area

The Cheyenne Park OLA is located on Cedar Bend Lane SW, off of Old River Road. It consists of 15 acres and is completely fenced. Smaller areas within the main park include an entry area, a one-and-a-half acre training yard, and a one acre small dog yard. The main park includes an open area, a wild area, and a walking path.

All dogs using the park must have permits. Annual permits are available from Cedar Rapids Animal Control (\$25/year - discounts are available); daily permits can be purchased in the park by using the envelopes provided and paying \$5/dog/day. Permits require proof of vaccinations. Fees from permits are used to offset park maintenance costs. Additional information on getting park permits and on park rules is available on the Information Kiosk at the park and at our web site at <http://k9cola.org/>

How to Reach Cheyenne Park:

Through town: C St. SW south to Ely Road. Turn left onto Ely Road and go under the railroad trestle. Take the first left onto Old River Road. Left onto Cedar Bend Lane. The park is about 1/4 mile ahead on the left.

From Highway 30: Hwy 30 to the C St. exit. Turn right onto C St. SW, then right on Ely Road and go under the railroad trestle. Take the first left onto Old River Road. Left onto Cedar Bend Lane. The park is about 1/4 mile ahead on the left.

Alternate route from Highway 30: Take Hwy 30 to Old River Road, the first road west of Cedar River. Drive about two miles north on Old River Road to Cedar Bend Lane. Right onto Cedar Bend Lane. The park is about 1/4 mile ahead on the left.

HOW DO I JOIN K9COLA?

Simply fill out the form below and mail it to:
K9COLA
P.O. Box 992 Cedar Rapids, IA 52406-0992
Include your membership/donation check

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Individual \$15.00 Family \$25.00

Which activities interest you the most?

- Working at information table
- Emptying trash cans/filling bag holders at Park
- Public Education
- Workdays (weeding, planting, general upkeep)
- Building Projects
- Newsletter
- Other: _____

Do you have any professional skills you could "donate" to K9COLA? (Examples: lawyer, accountant, plumber, carpenter, etc.) _____

Additional donation (optional): \$ _____
(Tax-deductible)

Please send a check for total of membership and donation, made out to K9COLA, along with your application. Funds collected by K9COLA through memberships and donations are used to educate the public about the park and to pay for park improvement projects. Your contributions of time and money are truly appreciated and help make this a great park that benefits everyone.

K9COLA is a federally registered 501(c)(3), non-profit organization that supports, but does not own or operate, the park. Membership in K9COLA does not exempt you from buying annual permit tags for your dogs.

For more information:

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