Peninsula Dog PAC Questionnaire

1. Do you have a dog? If so, where are your favorite places to walk your dog?

Yes, I have 2 dogs. There isn't a favorite place in Menlo Park. Because we are close to downtown Palo Alto, we do walk our dogs that way and there is a park along the way. Sometimes we drive to state parks and walk our dogs on the trails.

2. What parks, schools, open spaces and trails in Menlo Park do you think people should be allowed to walk dogs on-leash and/or off-leash?

I don't have an opinion on this at all. My dogs are always on-leash, just because we are always afraid we would lose them.

3. What do you believe the dog access at Bedwell Bayfront Park should be? Should there be portions of the Park that allow dogs off-leash under voice control?

I think that would be a great idea.

4. Nealon Park allows dogs off-leash M-F 8-10 am on the field and Willow Oaks Park allows dogs off-leash daily 7-9 am and 4 pm-Dusk in a small area. Do you believe the limited hours allowing dogs off-leash at these parks is:

- (a) The right amount of time for dogs off-leash each day.
- (b) There should be more off-leash dog time each day.
- (c) These parks should not allow dogs off-leash at all.

Please explain your choice.

I don't have an opinion because we do not use the Nealon park. It is not close to our house. We have never used the Willow Oaks because when we found out about it, it was closed to Covid. We have not checked it out since March.

5. Is there anything else you would like voters to know about your position on recreational dog walking access?

I think dogs should have a place to be free and roam around, a park that is fenced off so they won't run away.

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Thank you for answering these questions. We plan on putting your answers on our website to make it easy for your constituents to view your positions.