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To all City of Duluth city councilors and department manager for Parks and Recreation.

I just want to let you know that I feel having Dog Parks and especially off leash dog park are very much wanted in Duluth. It would be great to have many more in Duluth. I live in Hunters Park area and I'm very happy that they are finally working on trying to open a dog park on the east side of town. I have wanted one for many years and was So disappointed when it didn't go through back 10 yrs ago. when they were working on it at the same time as the Kenne Park one. But was thankful they were opening that one. I have gone out to that park even though it is on the opposite side of town. I want to have a place to bring my dog to socialize with other dogs and people. I walk my dog other places for exercise but she doesn't get to play with other dogs and that is where the dog parks are needed. It is so much fun to be able to watch your dog having fun with other dogs being to be able to do it in a place that is safe for all involved. It is also a nice place to meet humans with the same interest and love for dogs. Please keep the work going forward in bringing more dog parks to all of Duluth.

Thank you Vicky Carper 602 Sparkman Ave Duluth, MN 55803