

Lakeview Golf Course Service Animal Policy

Animals or pets are generally not allowed to be brought onto the Lakeview Golf Course. For patrons requiring the use of a service animal, the rules established by this policy must be followed at all times or staff may require that the service animal be removed temporarily or permanently. Patrons who have had to remove their service animal from the grounds may continue to use the course without the service animal.

1. The owner of a service animal is solely responsible for the supervision and care of the service animal at all times.
2. A service animal must remain directly with the owner at all times except when entering a prohibited area. Service animals are not allowed on greens, in bunkers, in water hazards, or in other areas where the general public is not permitted. If an owner enters such an area, the service animal must wait at the perimeter of the prohibited area or be secured in the owner's golf cart. A service animal that must remain with its owner to perform its duties may be allowed to enter a prohibited area after receiving permission from the Golf and Cemetery Superintendent.
3. A service animal must be kept under the full control of the owner at all times. Service animals must be harnessed, leashed, or tethered, unless these devices interfere with the service animal's work or the owner's disability prevents them from using these devices. In that case, the owner must maintain control through voice, signal, or other effective controls.
4. A service animal may not bark, be aggressive, or otherwise disruptive to the course, other patrons, or staff. However, a service animal may bark if such an alert is part of the service animal's training and the alert was necessary for that purpose.
5. A service animal must be housebroken. In the case of outdoor areas, a service animal may only use dedicated service animal toileting areas located near course restrooms. An owner must clean up all service animal feces immediately unless the owner's disability physically prevents them from performing that task.
6. A service animal must be clean, vaccinated, and be treated for the prevention of flea and tick infestation. Depending on weather conditions, a wet or muddy service animal might not be considered unclean.

In the case of emotional support animals, comfort animals, or therapy animals, which do not qualify as service animals, a patron may request a reasonable accommodation through the City Golf and Cemetery Superintendent. In the event such a request is granted, such accommodation shall follow the restrictions within this policy as well as any additional restrictions which may be required by the Golf and Cemetery Superintendent in relation to the unique facts and circumstances relating to the request.