

Notice of offences of failing to clean up after your dog in public areas within the area of Thanet.

Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005.

The Dog Control Orders (Prescribed Offences and Penalties etc) Regulations 2006.

Thanet District Council.



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Thanet District Council propose to make an order in relation to Dog Control on designated land, as allowed for in the provisions of the Clean Neighbourhood and Environment Act 2005.

The effect of the Order as confirmed will make it a requirement that: it will be an offence not to clean up after your dog on any public land in Thanet which is:

- (i) Open to the air (which includes land that is covered but open to the air on at least one side); and
- (ii) to which the public are entitled to permitted to have access with or without payment.

Land that is placed at the disposal of the Forestry Commissioners under section 39(1) of the Forestry Act 1967, is exempt.

The proposed date that the Order is to come into effect is 1st January 2009.

A copy of the Order has been placed and may be seen free of charge at the Council Offices, Cecil Street, Margate CT9 1XZ and the public libraries at Birchington, Broadstairs, Cliftonville, Minster in Thanet and Newington during opening hours.

Anyone wishing to make representations in respect of this Order or the areas to be covered should write to Thanet District Council at the postal address or email address stated below. Representations must be made in writing and no later than a minimum of **28 consecutive days** from the date of this Notice.

The closing date for consultations to be received at Thanet District Council offices is Friday 29 August 2008.

Please submit any comments to Communications, Thanet District Council, P.O Box 9, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent CT9 1XZ or email hannah.thorpe@thanet.gov.uk

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