

Review of public space protection orders for dogs

Dear stakeholder,

A public consultation on review and renewal of Arun's Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) for dogs, will commence **15 July 2026 and run to 29 July 2026**.

Please see link below for more information, which includes a link to an online consultation questionnaire (share your views).

www.arun.gov.uk/dogs-pspo-consultation

The existing PSPO dog controls include:

- cleaning up after dogs
- dogs on leads in certain areas, or when directed
- dog exclusion zones (for example, play areas)
- seasonal exclusion (for example, some beaches)

Further details of existing controls can be found here; [Dogs | Arun District Council](#)

Possible changes include:

- new restrictions in water play areas
- new restrictions to some parks and reserves

A report will be presented to the Environment Committee on 17 September 2026 detailing the findings of the consultation and for a decision on the PSPOs.

I would be grateful if you could provide any feedback using the online form, however, should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards

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