

Results: Pet Waste Disposal

Do you feel that pet waste in your neighborhood is a problem?



Serious Problem



41%

Moderate Problem



46%

Not a problem at all



13%

109 Responses

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What prevents you from picking up pet waste? (Check all that apply)



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What are specific locations where you notice accumulation of or problems with pet waste?



Near tot lots

6

6%

Around the fountain pond

3

3%

Along walking trails

34

31%

Along streets and sidewalks

66

61%

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Assuming that pet waste stations are not located near personal property, would you support having pet waste stations? If not, why?

85 responded "YES"

24 responded "NO"

Reasons why not:

No. Pet owners need to be responsible. Waste stations would be unsightly and diminish property values.

No! The management company where I lived before did not change them enough in the summer so flies started ingesting the areas. I then the station because full, people were leaving dog waste around the station and not picking it up. It was a horrific situation until removed.

No. The smell and health hazards of waste toxicity is not welcoming.

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No, they are an eyesore and really won't remedy the issue.

No. They draw flies and possibly covid. If people fail to pickup waste now, they will do the same thing near a waste station.

No, people need to take accountability and pick up after their own pets. The HOA shouldn't be paying for waste bags and the cost to maintain these pet stations. We pay for enough as it is.

No who is going to maintain them? What is the cost

NO! Folks should carry a bag and pick up there own waste.

NO! Each pet owner must be responsible for the pet, and I do not want to smell waste build up in pet stations near my home period.

no, the owner should be responsible for the disposal. I do not own a pet and don't want to incur the cost for others

No, because people should be responsible for picking up after their pets when walking them. I see many people out walking their pets without any type of bag to pick anything up. I also see people doing a lot of illegal dumping and feel like people will do that in the pet station. That is illegal dumping of trash their personal trash. Is it possible to have trash pick up more than once a week.

I am not a pet owner!

No, because that's a mess, people won't care for it like they should, if you have a pet, you should follow the rules of the complex

No, unless they are paid for using an additional fee to be paid by pet owners in the community. Any owners of pets in the community should bear all of the costs of owning a pet including any waste stations needed. These costs should not be subsidized by the other homeowners who do not own pets. I have never asked another home owner to pay for my toilet paper or cleaning wipes. This is very similar scenario. The fee should be based on the number of pets, size (as in weight of the pet) to ensure an equitable application of the fees. The larger animals produce more greater volumes of bio-waste (solids and liquids) and the owners of these pets should pay a higher fee than owners of smaller animals. Under no circumstances should the cost of waste stations be borne by all home owners.

No

No... am not a pet owner and want my hoa fees to go towards a communal benefit for all not some. Money should be used towards present amenities use, i.e. pool, gym, social events.

No. Folks dont pickup or carry bags for waste. Rodents feed off of pet waste.

No. I would not support having pet waste stations. Instead, I would support OCC paying for additional video surveillance to catch offenders who fail to clean up their mess, and then use the hefty fines (\$750.00 to \$1,000.00) per offense to make contributions from OCC to local food banks or shelters for the homeless.

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Where would you recommend pet waste disposal stations be placed?

Along streets and sidewalks

Along walking trails

Around the fountain pond

Near tot lots

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What areas would you not want to have pet waste stations placed?

Not near homes, personal property, mailboxes, tot lots, Swim and Tennis Center, The Grove, gate entrances/exits or monuments