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To all Condominium Managers:

Good morning,

Attached please find a copy of the ordinances that apply to having dogs on the Village of Key Biscayne Beach. We have received numerous complaints on this issue and we will be proactively monitoring the Village Beach. We ask that you email the residents with a copy of the attachment in order to inform them of the enforcement activity which will be taking place. Thank you for your cooperation on this matter, no response is required on your behalf.

### **Sec. 5-20. - Regulations on dogs in public areas.**

(b)

It shall be unlawful for a responsible party to allow, whether willfully or through failure to exercise due care or control, a dog into or upon any public park or beach in the county; provided, however, this provision shall not apply to parkways, wayside parks, or other park areas in which dogs are specifically authorized.

### ***Rule 11. Domestic animals***

(a)

No person shall be permitted to take any domestic animal other than a horse, as provided in Rule 21 below, into any park whether on leash, in arms or running at large, dogs in particular being excluded from parks, and provisions of Miami Dade County Dog Control Ordinance No 58-28 [Sections [5-3](#)—[5-15](#)] shall apply to any and all park property, except for those areas specifically designated for dogs or other domesticated animals. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to the use of a service animal, which means any dog guide or other animal individually trained to work or perform tasks for an individual with a disability.

Respectfully,

*Michael Mila*

Chief Enforcement Officer

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