

ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014, S59

THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF CALDERDALE

The Dogs (Specified Maximum) (Calderdale) Public Space Protection Order 2025

The Borough Council of Calderdale (in this Order called "the Authority") hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order comes into force at 00:01 hours on Tuesday 17th June 2025, and shall have effect until midnight on 17th June 2028, unless extended by further orders under the Council's statutory powers.
2. The Authority is satisfied that the following activities are taking place within the restricted area:
 - incidents and concerns from the public arising from irresponsible dog ownership and poor dog control
3. The Authority is further satisfied that the activities referred to in paragraph 2 above are having or are likely to have a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality and it therefore makes a Public Spaces Protection Order, the terms of which are explained below.

Restricted Area

4. Unless otherwise stated, the prohibitions and requirements detailed below shall apply at all times of the day and all days of the week throughout any calendar year throughout the entirety of the restricted area shown in the schedule.

Maximum Dog Prohibition

5. (1) All persons are prohibited from being in charge of more than 6 dogs on any land within the Restricted Area unless –
 - (a) they have a reasonable excuse for doing so; or
 - (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to them doing so.
- (2) For the purposes of this paragraph a person who habitually has a dog in their possession shall be taken to be in charge of the dog at any time unless at the time some other person is in charge of the dog.

Penalty

6. A person who is guilty of an offence under paragraph 5 shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

Dated:

16th June 2025

THE CORPORATE COMMON SEAL
OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF
CALDERDALE was affixed hereto
in the presence of;

IAN R HUGHES

HEAD OF LEGAL AND
DEMOCRATIC SERVICES



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Figure 1: Named Sites:

Halifax	
Site	Extent to which the Order applies
Beechwood Park, Holmfield	Whole Site
Ogden Reservoir Local Nature Reserve, Halifax	Whole Site
Roils Head Recreation Ground, Roils Head	Whole Site
Hebden Bridge	
Site	Extent to which the Order applies
Hardcastle Craggs (National Trust), Hebden Bridge	Whole Site
Sowerby Bridge	
Site	Extent to which the Order applies
Turn Lea Recreation Ground, Midgley	Whole Site