



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce the City of Margate's commitment to utilize City property for a PetSafe dog park, if Margate, FL wins the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest.

You will find the City's approximately 3 acres located adjacent to 2500 Rock Island Road, Margate, FL 33063.

The City of Margate, FL is located in Broward County, FL and is home to 55,000 residents. Margate's vision is to be "a family-friendly community that embraces a hometown feel." As a commitment to that vision, the City is steadfast on continuing to enhance existing parks and developing new parks to meet all needs of our families.

The identified land was purchased by the City through a Safe Parks and Land Preservation Bond. In order to prepare this park for future development, the City applied for and received two Broward County Parks for People Grants for the first two phases of the park development. Phase I was completed in 2013 and included the construction of pervious meandering pathways. Phase II, currently in process, includes the addition of Florida native landscaping and park amenities made of recycled plastic to the park.

Over the years, many residents have expressed their desire for Margate to have a dog park within the City. With the first two phases already complete or soon to be complete, winning the Bark for Your Park contest would allow the City to allocate the awarded funds towards completing our final phase of construction to create Margate's first ever dog park.

Respectfully,

Mayor Joanne Simone
jsimone@margatefl.com

Cc: City Commissioners
Douglas E. Smith, City Manager
Michael Jones, Parks and Recreation Director



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce my support for the City of Margate's participation in the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest. I support my constituents' efforts. If our City wins, I will either allocate the City of Margate's resources to support the operation of the park or help our citizens organize such efforts once the park is complete.

Respectfully,

Mayor Joanne Simone
jsimone@margatefl.com



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce my support for the City of Margate's participation in the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest. I support my constituents' efforts. If our City wins, I will either allocate the City of Margate's resources to support the operation of the park or help our citizens organize such efforts once the park is complete.

Respectfully,

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano
truzzano@margatefl.com



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce my support for the City of Margate's participation in the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest. I support my constituents' efforts. If our City wins, I will either allocate the City of Margate's resources to support the operation of the park or help our citizens organize such efforts once the park is complete.

Respectfully,

Commissioner Joyce W. Bryan
jbryan@margatefl.com



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce my support for the City of Margate's participation in the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest. I support my constituents' efforts. If our City wins, I will either allocate the City of Margate's resources to support the operation of the park or help our citizens organize such efforts once the park is complete.

Respectfully,

Commissioner Lesa Peerman
lpeerman@margatefl.com



City Commission

Mayor Joanne Simone

Vice Mayor Tommy Ruzzano

Joyce W. Bryan

Lesa Peerman

Frank B. Talerico

City Manager

Douglas E. Smith

City Attorney

Eugene M. Steinfeld

City Clerk

Joseph J. Kavanagh

May 6, 2015

PetSafe® Bark for Your Park Committee
Radio Systems Corporation
10427 PetSafe Way
Knoxville, Tennessee 37932

Dear PetSafe Bark for Your Park Committee,

I am pleased to announce my support for the City of Margate's participation in the 2015 Bark for Your Park contest. I support my constituents' efforts. If our City wins, I will either allocate the City of Margate's resources to support the operation of the park or help our citizens organize such efforts once the park is complete.

Respectfully,

Commissioner Frank B. Talerico
ftalerico@margatefl.com