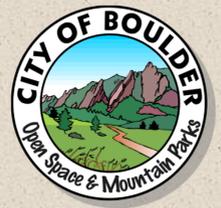


Tag Program Enhancement Options



Overarching Issues

Voice and Sight Tag Program Evaluation

Possible Enhancements to the Tag Program

Tag Program Enhancement Options
⇒ Require proof of vaccinations
⇒ Require testing/demonstration of dog and guardian ability to comply with voice and sight control requirements
⇒ Require attendance at an information session, skills demonstration, and/or skill class
⇒ Require successful completion of an online voice and sight control test
⇒ Provide education, outreach, training and/or support peer-to-peer outreach (a range of strategies to be considered such as revising the video, increase outreach about training opportunities, and support for peer-to-peer programs)
⇒ Modify consequences for violations (e.g., revocation of privileges after one violation, increase fines, require community service)
⇒ Only allow voice and sight control in trail corridors
⇒ Establish residency requirements (City of Boulder/Boulder County)
⇒ Administrative Changes (e.g., require periodic renewal, differential fees—lower costs for City of Boulder residents, increase in fees)



Comparison of Enhancement Options with the Program Objectives

 Tag Program Enhancement Options	Tag Program Objectives										
	Compliance, Safety and Awareness Oriented					Community Oriented				Long-Term Sustainability	
	1. Improve compliance	2. Improve understanding of voice and sight control	3. Increase OSMP outreach about training opportunities	4. Proof of rabies vaccinations	5. Decrease conflict involving dogs on OSMP	6. Voice and sight control is a privilege and partnership	7. Minimize new complexities and simplify requirements	8. Keep program costs effective and reasonable	9. Maintain a program that achieves its goal	10. Integrate OSMP's management plans	11. Decrease natural resource impacts
1) Require proof of vaccinations (e.g., City of Boulder dog license)				●					●	●	
2) Require testing/demonstration of dog and guardian to comply with Tag Program requirements*	●	●	●		●	●			●	●	●
3) Require attendance at an information session, skill demonstration, and/or skill class*	●	●	●		●	●			●	●	
4) Require successful completion of an online voice and sight control test		●	●					●	●		
5) Provide education, outreach, training and/or support peer to peer outreach (a range of options to be considered)	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	
6) Modify consequences for violations (a range of options to be considered)	●				●	●			●		
7) Only allow voice and sight control in trail corridors										●	●
8) Establish City of Boulder or Boulder County residency requirement for participation in the Tag Program					●						●
9) Administrative Changes (a range of options to be considered)		●	●					●			

* Implementation of only one of these options may be appropriate

Are there other options that should be explored?

