Welcome to Battery Park City

Hi, I’m Wags, your Battery Park City Canine Ambassador, and I’m here to make sure that you and your owner have a great experience in our neighborhood. There are roughly 1,000 of us that call BPC home, and even more who visit. According to our BPCA Parks User Count & Study (visit bpca.ny.gov to read it), walking dogs is one of the top reasons people visit BPC parks. I’m here to ensure we all enjoy ourselves across BPC parks, and that we act ruffsponsibly enough to reduce any negative impacts on those spaces.

Park Rules & Dog Run Etiquette

So we can all enjoy our time here, let’s be sure our owners are familiar with our Park Rules & Regulations and Dog Run Etiquette, which can be viewed in full on our website. Here are some highlights:

- We are permitted on all hard surfaces, except those designated as public art (such as South Cove and The Irish Hunger Memorial)
- We are not permitted in or on any green spaces - including, plantings, tree pits, planter beds, lawns and lawn-like surfaces (such as West Thames Lawn and BPC Ball Fields)
- We must be leashed, no longer than six feet, at all times (except in dog runs)
Amenities

All three dog runs are different and conveniently located throughout BPC – so fun, exercise, and friends are never far. These dog runs are checked and cleaned at least once a day. This allows for some good, clean, and safe fun! All dog runs have plenty of seating and shade for your owner’s enjoyment so there’s no need to rush home. You can also find water fountains for us and your owner at each one.

Visit our website, www.bpca.ny.gov, for a full list of information about how I can help you enjoy your time in Battery Park City, including:

- 🐾 Our Dog Waste Composting Program
- 🌐 Local resources
- 🕵️‍♂️ Full Emergency Readiness list
- 🌊 Different amenities at each location