EXPLORE THESE <u>8 TRAILS</u> THIS SUMMER WITH YOUR DOG!

☐ **Greensprings Interpretive Trail**
This 3.5 miles nature trail loops through a landscape of beaver ponds, wetlands, and forests. The trail includes interpretive signs about the environment, historical events of the early colonists and American Indians, and area wildlife. The multi-use trail is a soft-surface trail is designed specifically for pedestrian use. The trails consist of two loops: 1.) Main loop that is approximately 2.12 miles in length; and 2) Loop 2 that is approximately 1.31 miles in length.

☐ **Freedom Park**
5537 Centerville Road
This 600-acre forested retreat also features approximately 2 miles of multiuse trails, including a 1-mile ADA accessible paved trail, and more than 20 miles of mountain bike trails winding through historical sites, forests and along creeks and open meadows. The bike trails are designed, built, and maintained by the Eastern Virginia Mountain Bike Association. Trails are closed to bikes during inclement weather to prevent trail degradation. Riders are encouraged to call 757-259-4022 to check trails status.

☐ **James City County Rec Center**
5301 Longhill Road
In addition to the numerous indoor recreational activities offered daily, the Community Center is home of several outdoor facilities. The multi-use trails were designed for both pedestrian use and bicycle use, and they have a paved surface. The total length of the multi-use trails at James City/Williamsburg Community Center is 2.5 miles (2 miles for main loop, .5 for second loop).

☐ **Upper County Park**
180 Leisure Road
This 91-acre park is home to 25m swimming pool and a toddler pool, playgrounds, sand volleyball and basketball courts, multi-use trails, a 3.5 mile mountain bike trail, and picnic shelters. The multi-use trail was designed for both pedestrian and bicycle use, and it has a dirt surface. The total length of the multi-use trails at Upper Country Park is approximately .5 miles; it includes two sections, which are numbers 1 and 2.

☐ **Veterans Park (Home of Kidsburg)**
3793 Ironbound Road
This 19-acre park has something for the whole family! The park office features improved restrooms, a vending area, and a community meeting room. The total length of the multi-use trail is Mid-county is .65 miles.

☐ Warhill Sports Complex
5700 Warhill Trail
This complex is host of most local sporting events for County league play and tournaments. The multi-use trails were designed for both pedestrian use and bicycle use, the 3.5 mile hiking trail has a gravel surface while the 1 mile trail has a paved surface.

☐ Powhatan Creek Trail
3131 Ironbound Road
Enjoy some of the best views that nature has to offer as you bike, jog or walk along the Powhatan Creek Trail. The multi-use trails were designed for both pedestrian use and bicycle use. The trail is 8-foot wide and is a total length of 2.05 miles. Parking is available behind Clara Byrd Baker Elementary School.

☐ Ironbound Park
100 Carriage Road
This is a neighborhood-style park featuring a paved, multi-use trail, small shelter with tables and grill to accommodate 50, a basketball court, and playground. The multi-use trails were designed for both pedestrian use and bicycle use. The total length of the trail is .3 mile.

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW FOR ALL TRAILS

➢ Dogs must be on a leash, no longer than 8 feet, at all times; owners are responsible for the proper cleanup and disposal of pet waste.
➢ Leave no trace. Carry out all waste. Help keep our trails and parks clean. Pick up what you see.
➢ If you are hiking/walking/running solo, let someone know where you are and when you will be back.
➢ Plan your hike/walk/run. The trail is unlit and closes at sunset. Make sure you will be back before then.
➢ Know where you are on the trail.
➢ Carry a whistle.
➢ Call 757-259-5360 for questions, comments or concerns.

<u>Save the Date:</u>
Sat., September 7, 2019*
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Chickahominy Riverfront Park
1350 John Tyler Highway
$10/dog
*Weather permitting