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City of El Centro Announces Temporary Closure of Bark Park for Annual Maintenance, new water fountain

EL CENTRO, Calif. — Wednesday, July 15, 2026 — The City of El Centro will temporarily close Bark Park, located at 670 Park Avenue, from Monday, August 3, through Monday, August 24, 2026, for annual maintenance.

Maintenance activities will include installation of a water fountain in the small dog area, grass reseeding, allowing the turf time to grow and recover, insect-control spraying and other routine upkeep. The temporary closure will allow staff to complete the work safely while giving the grass sufficient time to establish without foot or pet traffic.

These annual maintenance efforts help preserve the park’s landscaping and provide a safe, healthy and enjoyable environment for pets and their owners.

Bark Park is expected to reopen Tuesday, August 25, 2026.

The City thanks residents for their patience, understanding and cooperation during the maintenance period.

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