WHO WANTS TO NAME THE ORDINANCE ?!

WHAT DO YOU CALL IT when our elected officials -

- Charge you \$250 or \$50 per dog to walk your dog <u>ON A LEASH</u> in open & natural parkland?
- Require photo IDs to walk with your dog in a park?
- Exclude non-residents from a NY state & county-funded park?
- Enact an Ordinance that EMPTIES a park that had been peaceably enjoyed by 100's of families and households for decades?

We don't think "New Rochelle City Code, Parks, Chapter 224-9 Animals" is very descriptive. How about:

"BRAMSON'S BLUNDER"

(He's our Mayor) or

"FERTEL'S FOLLY"?

(The park is in HIS North End district. The Mayor lives there, too...)

Enter our contest to NAME THE ORDINANCE!

Send us your suggestions and the winning moniker will be awarded a gift from Lou Trangucci's Chow-Down Discount

Pet Foods and a free T-Shirt emblazoned with the new name!

(Lou is running for the New Rochelle City Council Seat in District #1.)

Be creative! Fill out and send in the form below.

Learn more about Ward Acres at:

www.WeLoveWardAcres.Net

Entry Form:

Name: Tel. No.

Email:

Proposed New Name for the Ordinance:

You may complete this form and mail it to: WeLoveWardAcres, c/o Jeff Wiegand, 54 Bon Air Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10804 or email your information and entry to lulu@welovewardacres.net. Deadline October 10, 2007.

The winner will be announced on Ward Acres Appreciation Day October 13, 2007.



Lulu

Before the Ordinance



After the Ordinance



About Ward Acres

Ward Acres was once a vibrant, bustling park, full of friends and families with their dogs. It now stands EMPTY for most of the day. Families who wish to use the park with their dogs must pay burdensome fees, get photo identification, and are subject to questioning by armed police at any point during their walk in the park.

For decades, dog owners tended Ward Acres, cutting back invasive vines, preserving the trails, removing trash, repairing historic stone walls and devoting their own time and money to a park they cherished – at NO COST to the city.

Rather than promote balanced sharing of the park, Mayor Bramson and the incumbent council unanimously approved an ordinance (effective April 1, 2007) that destroyed one of Westchester's most beloved communities.

On November 6th, VOTE for responsible, community-minded candidates. Read about the Ordinance and find out how all of us can SHARE the park. Go to www.WeLoveWardAcres.net.