

In support of bill HB2645, I would like to share that all dog training facilities I have been to have been to for dog events and training have been extremely professionally managed. Use of the facility is identical to equestrian events, just smaller animals. Therefore, it should absolutely be treated and designated in the same fashion. Dogs are on leash, the facility clean and maintained, handlers always responsible for their dogs and keeping noise and barking to a minimum. The dogs are well mannered, managed and trained. These facilities and opportunities for training make for well trained dogs in public places and in our society, in addition to supporting a healthy community sport and also small business. Thank you for your consideration. - Meghan Looney