Point Reyes Dog Areas - Beaches

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Point Reyes National Seashore

High Tide
Check tide tables before walking on beaches. Rising water can trap you against a cliff with no possibility of escape.

Pets
All pets must be restrained at all times while in the Seashore on a leash no longer than six feet. Pets may not be tied to an object and left unattended, or be allowed to make unreasonable noise.

For a more detailed map of the beaches along Tomales Bay at which dogs are welcome, download the Tomales Bay Dog Areas map (separate PDF file).

Heavy Surf
The pounding surf, rip currents, and severe undertow are treacherous, especially at McClures Beach, Kehoe Beach, and Point Reyes Beaches North and South. Stay away from the water.

Steep Cliffs
The cliffs of Point Reyes are likely to crumble and slide. Climbing on them or walking near the edge invites catastrophe. Because of falling rocks, walking below cliffs is dangerous. Keep away!