

# Service animals welcome

## Impersonating a service animal is illegal

**Pretending that a pet, emotional support  
animal or comfort animal is a service  
animal is illegal in Minnesota.**

If you pretend your animal is a service animal it interferes with the independence and lawful rights of people with disabilities.

**In public places, only service  
animals are protected under  
the Americans with Disabilities  
Act or the Minnesota Human  
Rights Act.**



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For reasonable accommodations or alternative formats please contact Environmental Health at [health@minneapolismn.gov](mailto:health@minneapolismn.gov) or 612-673-2301. People who are deaf or hard of hearing can use a relay service to call 311 at 612-673-3000. TTY users call 612-263-6850.

Para ayuda, llame al 311. Rau kev pab 311. Hadii aad Caawimaad u baahantahay wac 311.

