

2017 Dog and Cat Licensing & Rabies Vaccine Clinics

Dear Lyndhurst Resident,

New Jersey law requires that dogs be licensed annually. The Township of Lyndhurst requires that cats be licensed annually as well. The maximum number of licensed animals per household in Lyndhurst is 4. The licenses for domesticated cats/dogs must be renewed every year by January 31st.

Licensing Process

(to be completed in person at the Lyndhurst Health Department, Rabies Clinics, or Weekend Licensing Clinic)

1. Complete application for each cat/dog. Applications available at the Lyndhurst Health Department, 253 Stuyvesant Avenue.
2. Provide proof of rabies vaccination.*
3. Licensing fee (cash or check made payable to the *Township of Lyndhurst*), including late fee if applicable.

The Lyndhurst Health Department will be open on Saturday, January 14, 2017 from 10:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. for dog and cat licensing only. No shots will be given.

Fees:

	Dog	Cat
Non-Spayed	\$15.00	\$10.00
Spayed/Neutered	\$10.00	\$5.00
Sr. Citizen Owner (62 & over) & Neutered/ Spayed pet	\$5.00	\$3.00
Late Fee After Jan 31	\$10.00	\$10.00

A summons shall be issued in the amount of \$100.00 if not paid by March 1st.

***According to New Jersey State law, your animal's rabies shot must be valid through October 31, 2017.**

Free Rabies Vaccination Clinics & Licensing :

Thursday, January 19th at 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. and Thursday, January 26th at 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

*Please note, the free *Rabies Vaccination Clinic* will be held at the Lyndhurst Community Center, located behind the Little League Fields on the corner Tontine and Riverside Avenues.

Benefits of licensing your pet:

- Licensing is a way to help ensure that pets are vaccinated against rabies.
- The license, when worn on your pet's collar, can be quickly used to find your name and address so the authorities can notify you if your pet is lost.
- The Cost of the license is much less compared to the fine if your dog is found to be unlicensed.

*Please call us at 201-804-2500 if you no longer own your pet, your pet is deceased, or if you no longer live in town.

***Please note: If you are a landlord receiving this letter, please dispense this notification to all of your tenants.**