



Asheville Dog License Application

Asheville Animal Licensing
c/o PetData
PO Box 141929
Irving TX 75014-1929

Annual Dog License Fee **\$10.00**
Due January 1st Expires December 31st

A copy of the dog's **current Rabies Vaccination Certificate** must accompany this application.

Owner Information

Pet Information

Please print clearly and fill in all information.

Owner Last Name		Owner First Name		Breed (If unknown, list breed most resembles)		Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Spayed/Neutered
Residential Address (required)		Apt #		Pet Name		Color(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered
City		State		Zip		Microchip	
Mailing Address		Qualifying Agency for Police Dog or Service Dog Fee Exemption (If applicable)					
Home Phone		Alternate Phone		Agency Phone		Animal I.D. Number	

To License Your Pet By Mail: Complete this application, **Enclose a copy of your pet's current rabies vaccination certificate,**
 Make your check or money order in the amount of \$10, payable to City of Asheville (please do not send cash) **Mail to:** Asheville Animal Licensing, c/o PetData, PO Box 141929, Irving TX 75014-1929.

Your paperwork will not be returned to you, so please only send copies and retain the originals for your records.

To License Your Pet Online: Go to www.petdata.com and enter your zip code. Under License Now, click "Online." The rabies certificate may be uploaded or submitted later by fax, mail or email. Pay with a major credit card. A convenience fee will apply per transaction. Multiple pets can be licensed in one transaction.

The City of Asheville Ordinance requires all dogs age 6 months or older (or with a set of permanent canine teeth) in the City for more than 30 days in a 12-month period to be licensed annually. Proof of current rabies vaccination is required for all dogs 4 months or older.

Violations of the Animal Control Ordinance, including failure to license, result in Penalties starting at \$50.00.

Asheville Animal Control Ordinance highlights:

- Dogs and cats 4 months of age must be kept vaccinated against rabies. Dogs must display a current rabies tag.
- Dogs and cats 6 months of age must be spayed or neutered UNLESS in possession of a valid unaltered pet permit.
- Dogs 6 month of age (or with permanent canine teeth) must display a current city license.
- Pets may not make the kind of noise that would irritate a reasonable person on adjacent property.
- Pets must be provided with adequate food, water and shelter.
- Pets must be provided with appropriate living conditions and sufficient veterinary care to alleviate suffering.
- A bite occurs whenever an animal's tooth breaks human skin. Any dog or cat which bites is required to be confined for observation for 10 days at a location deemed appropriate by the Animal Services officer.
- Persons required to report an animal bite include the victim and the pet owner as well as any attending physician.
- Permits are needed in the City of Asheville to keep bees, livestock, fowl or more than 6 pets.
- Dogs must be kept on a leash when off the owner's premises unless in the off-leash area of a city dog park.

Citations of \$50 per violation may be issued for non-compliance. Penalties increase for successive violations within 12 months.

To review the complete local ordinance visit www.ashevilenc.gov, for questions call Asheville Animal Services at (828) 259-5872, to file a complaint call Asheville Police Department at (828) 252-1110.

The information you share on this form may be considered a public record and subject to state statutes governing access to public records. If you have any questions, please contact the City of Asheville public information officer at 828-259-5981.

Questions? Call toll-free 1-855-223-1680 or visit www.petdata.com.