



# Asheville Dog License Application

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

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

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

## Owner Information

Owner Last Name	Owner First Name
Residential Address (required)	Apt #
City	State Zip
Mailing Address	
Home Phone	Alternate Phone

## Pet Information

Please print clearly and fill in all information.

Breed (If unknown, list breed most resembles)	Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Spayed/Neutered <input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered
Pet Name	Color(s)	Age/Birthdate
Microchip		
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Rabies Tag # (Enclose Certificate)	Rabies Vacc. Date	Vacc. Exp. Date
Name of Vet or Hospital		

**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](http://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.

In addition to licensing, permits are required for anyone keeping a fertile or unaltered pet 6 months of age or older, and for keeping 7 or more pets in one household. Permits may be purchased on the main floor of City Hall, 70 Court Plaza in Asheville. For questions about permits, call 828-259-5872.

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](http://www.petdata.com).**

## 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 or older must be spayed or neutered UNLESS in possession of a valid unaltered pet permit. Permits may be purchased on the main floor of City Hall, 70 Court Plaza, Asheville. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. For questions about Animal Permits, call (828) 259-5872.
- 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 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. Permits may be purchased on the main floor of City Hall, 70 Court Plaza, Asheville. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. For questions about Animal Permits, call (828) 259-5872.
- 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.ashevillenc.gov](http://www.ashevillenc.gov), for questions call Asheville Animal Services at (828) 259-5872, to file a complaint call Asheville Police Department at (828) 252-1110.