

ATTENTION CITY OF WISCONSIN RAPIDS PET OWNERS:

Pet Licenses are no longer available thru the mail, unless you send a self addressed envelope with 75 cents postage and proof of Rabies vaccination from the Vet. Licenses are issued at the Finance Department, 3rd Floor of City Hall. The license year is January 1 through December 31. Please see information below for more details on when to license your pet, late fees, and license fees.

**** NO LICENSE WILL BE ISSUED WITHOUT PROOF OF RABIES VACCINATION - State Statute 174.05**

Cost: Dogs: \$3.00 for neutered or spayed / \$8.00 for unfixed male or female
Cats: \$2.00 for neutered or spayed / \$5.00 for unfixed male or female

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If you wish to purchase a pet license through the mail, please complete this form and return it to the city treasurer's office with your payment for EACH pet. Please make checks payable to THE CITY OF WISCONSIN RAPIDS. **Remember to include a self addressed envelope with 75 cents postage and proof of rabies vaccination. A veterinary receipt will not work, we need to see the rabies certificate.**

Owners Name _____ Address _____

(1) Pet's Name _____ Breed _____
Sex: Male _____ Female _____ Color _____
**Date of Rabies Shot _____ Neutered _____ Spayed _____

(2) Pet's Name _____ Breed _____
Sex: Male _____ Female _____ Color _____
**Date of Rabies Shot _____ Neutered _____ Spayed _____

**** NO LICENSE WILL BE ISSUED WITHOUT PROOF OF RABIES VACCINATION FROM THE VET**

Wisconsin Statute 174.05 Dog license tax

(1) REQUIREMENT. Except as provided in 174.054, the owner of a dog more than 5 months of age on January 1 of any year, or 5 months of age within the license year, shall annually, or on or before the date the dog becomes 5 months of age, pay the dog license tax and obtain a license.

(2) TAX. The minimum dog license tax is \$3 for a neutered male dog or spayed female dog, upon presentation of evidence that the dog is neutered or spayed; and \$8 for an unneutered male dog or unspayed female dog; or one-half of these amounts if the dog became 5 months of age after July 1 of the license year.

(4) LICENSE YEAR. The license year commences on January 1 and ends the following December 31.

(5) LATE FEES. The collecting official shall assess and collect a late fee of \$5 from every owner of a dog 5 months of age or over, if the owner failed to obtain a license prior to April 1 of each year, or within 30 days of acquiring ownership of a licensable dog, or if the owner failed to obtain a license on or before the dog reached licensable age. All late fees received or collected shall be paid into the local treasury as revenue of the town, village or city in which the license was issued. The governing body of any county, town, village or city may, when setting the amount of the tax, provide that any person purchasing a dog license for a dog 5 months of age or over after April 1 shall pay an additional late fee.