

IT'S TIME TO RENEW YOUR DOG LICENSE

January is dog license renewal month for Lawrence Township residents. Any dog over the age of 7 months is required by law to be licensed. Licenses are due by January 31st. According to New Jersey Law, in order to obtain your dog's license, its rabies immunization must be valid for the entire licensing period. Should your dog's rabies certificate expire anytime between January 2025 and October 31, 2025, you are required by State law to revaccinate your dog prior to obtaining its 2025 license.

Dog licenses are renewed in the Municipal Clerk's office. Proof of current rabies certification and proof of spaying or neutering (if applicable) must be presented when applying for a license. The fee is \$11.00 if spayed or neutered and \$14.00 if not spayed or neutered. Effective April 1st a delinquent fee will be assessed in the amount of \$5.00 plus \$1.00 per month for each month delinquent.

For your convenience an application for licensing your dog has been attached or applications can be downloaded [here](#).

Please complete and submit application in person or by mail to the Municipal Clerk's Office with the appropriate fee and a current rabies vaccination certificate not expiring before Nov 1, 2025. You may also drop off the completed application, paperwork and fee in a drop box located at the North Entrance to the Main Municipal Building. Please address the envelope to the Clerk's Office to ensure proper delivery.

If you no longer have your dog(s), or if you have moved out of the township or to a new address, please contact the Municipal Clerk so we can correct our records.

Should you have any questions regarding dog licensing, please contact the Municipal Clerk at (609) 844-7000.

The Lawrence Township Health Department will be holding a Free Rabies Vaccination Clinic for all dogs and cats over the age of 3 months:

Date: Saturday, January 25, 2025 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**Location: Central Park Garage- Dave Nevius Way - Parking Lot
 Off Eggert Crossing Rd.
 Lawrence Township, NJ 08648**

Clinic will be held rain or shine

This rabies clinic will be a DRIVE THROUGH CLINIC Pre-registration is required

All pet owners will be required to pre- register each pet they wish to bring to the rabies clinic.

Registration will close Monday, January 20, 2025 at 5:00 pm.

Please click the link below to see additional important information regarding rules that must be adhered to at the clinic and to register your pet to receive a rabies vaccination at our clinic.

[Register here](#)

Should you have any questions, please contact the Animal Control Officer at (609) 844-7092.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.



2025 DOG APPLICATION

(January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025)

Owner's Name: _____ Telephone #: _____ Alternate #: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Dog's Name: _____

Breed: _____ Color: _____ Microchip #: _____

Rabies Vaccination Expires: _____ (attach proof of rabies vaccination) Debarked Dog: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Dog's Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female Spayed or Neutered: ☐ Yes (attach proof of neutering, if applicable) ☐ No

Are you an active/retired Law Enforcement Officer (including Local/State Prosecutors) or a member of the Judiciary? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ALL DOGS (7) MONTHS OF AGE OR OLDER MUST BE LICENSED AND VACCINATED FOR RABIES ACCORDING TO NEW JERSEY STATE LAW

***RABIES VACCINE MUST BE GOOD THROUGH NOVEMBER 1, 2025**

LICENSE FEES - \$11.00 *if spayed or neutered*
\$14.00 *if not spayed or neutered*

DELINQUENT FEES - \$5.00 surcharge plus \$1.00 for each month overdue. Delinquent fees will be assessed effective 3/1/25

LICENSE FEE \$ _____

Return this application with proof of rabies and spaying/neutering certification (if applicable), with the appropriate fee to the address listed below. **CASH or CHECK ONLY** (Make check or money order payable to: Township of Lawrence).

MAIL TO: Township of Lawrence
Attn: Municipal Clerk's Office
P.O. Box 6006
Lawrence Township, NJ 08648

IMPORTANT NOTICE

There will be a free **DRIVE-THROUGH** rabies clinic on Saturday, January 25, 2025, from 12:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Central Park Garage – Dave Nevius Way – Parking Lot off Eggert Crossing Road. **PLEASE NOTE THAT PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED ONLINE ONLY FOR EACH PET BROUGHT TO THE RABIES CLINIC. To register for the rabies clinic, please click the attached link [REGISTER HERE](#).**

Registration will close Mon., January 20, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

All cats must be in carriers and dogs must be on a leash. Retractable leashes are not allowed.

Please notify the Clerk's Office if you no longer have your dog(s) or if you have moved from Lawrence Township (609) 844-7000.

(All applicants wishing to license their dogs in Lawrence Township must be 18 years of age or older)