

Got animal(s)?

A guide to animal licensing



Animal licensing is a common practice around the country. A pet license shows your animal is up to date on it's rabies vaccinations and helps the City return your animal to you quickly and safely. It is required by Rawlins Municipal Code: Title 6 for many animals in or within a half-mile of the city. Failure to license an animal can result in a \$75 fine for a first offense.

TYPE	DEFINITION	APPLICATION/ LICENSE	COST	HOME VISIT FROM ANIMAL CONTROL
Dog/Cat Tags	All cats and dogs (must show rabies vaccination paperwork with application)	Apply at City Hall, Animal Shelter, or local vet offices	Starting at \$5/year	No
Livestock, Bees, Wild Animal, and Exotic Pets	All livestock not at the Glenn Addition, including chickens and other domestic fowls, bees; any animals that are rare to keep as pets/generally thought of as wild	Apply at City Hall	\$25 annually	Annually
Hobby Kennel	Household with more than 4 cats or more than 4 dogs over 6 months of age; not for breeding purposes; must also have dog/cat tags	Apply at City Hall	\$20 annually	Annually
Breeder Kennel	Household or business keeping dogs or cats for the purpose of breeding for profit; must also have dog/cat tags	Apply at City Hall	\$100 annually	Annually
Business Kennel	Business keeping more than four animals for boarding, training or selling; not including for medical care	Apply at City Hall	\$100 annually	Annually
Livestock at Glenn Addition/ Corral Permits	For livestock kept at the Glenn Addition at any point during the year	Apply at City Hall	\$15 annually	No
Animals that do not need licensed	Animals not listed above that are commonly kept as pets, including birds, chinchillas, ferrets, fish, gerbils, guinea pigs, hamsters, hedgehogs, iguanas, lizards, mice, rabbits, rats, snakes, and turtles.	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

**Review Title 6: Animals at www.rawlinswy.gov/code for City animal regulations. These include:
Animals must be kept under control. Animals must not be a nuisance to others.
Animals kept outside must have adequate shelter & water at all times.**

Have questions? Stop by the Animal Shelter, open Monday-Friday 3:00 to 5:30, or call the non-emergency PD line at 307-328-4530.