

# Animal Registration Application



Registrations are due on 10 April each year. Pro-rata fees do not apply.

Owner's Details - owner must be 18 years or over

Surname:		Given names:	
Postal address:			
Telephone: (h)	(w)	Mobile:	
Email:		Pension no.	
Property at which animal(s) to be kept if different from above:			

- All dogs and cats over three months must be registered
- All cats and dogs must be microchipped before registration. Proof of the animal's microchipping must be provided at the time of registration
- Compulsory desexing of newly registered cats and night time cat curfew effective from 10 April 2017.

	Animal 1	Animal 2	Animal 3	Animal 4
Dog/cat (please tick)	Dog <input type="radio"/> Cat <input type="radio"/>	Dog <input type="radio"/> Cat <input type="radio"/>	Dog <input type="radio"/> Cat <input type="radio"/>	Dog <input type="radio"/> Cat <input type="radio"/>
Breed				
Gender	Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/>	Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/>	Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/>	Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/>
Colour				
Name				
Age/D.O.B				
Microchip no. (copy of certificate required)				
Desexed (proof required)	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
Working dog	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
Applicable org. membership no.				
Tag no. (office use only)				
Fee (office use only)				

Excess Animals – most residential areas prohibit the keeping of more than two cats and/or two dogs per property without an approved permit (fees apply). Please contact Council for further information.

## Owner Declaration – dog registrations only

I declare that the dog/s identified in this application have been correctly identified as to whether they are, or are not, of a restricted breed. Restricted breeds include Pit Bull Terrier, American Pit Bull Terrier, Fila Brasileiro, Dogo Argentino, Japanese Tosa and Perro de Presa Canario (or Presa Canario).

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of owner: \_\_\_\_\_

**Privacy Notification:** The personal information requested on this form is being collected by Council for the enforcement and administration of animal control in accordance with Sections 10 & 18 of the *Domestic Animals Act 1994* and the *Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014*. Failure to supply this information is an offence. The personal information will be used by Council and its contractors for that primary purpose or directly related purposes and may be disclosed as required by law.

<b>Animal Registration Fees</b>	<b>Standard</b>	<b>Pensioner*</b>
Dangerous/menacing/restricted breed dog	\$201	n/a
Non-desexed cat or dog	\$111	\$55.50
Working farm dog	\$37	\$18.50
Desexed cat or dog	\$37	\$18.50
Cat or dog over 10 years old	\$37	\$18.50
Cat or dog registered with applicable organisation (VCA, FFC/CFA)	\$37	\$18.50
Assistance animal (certification required)	\$0	\$0

\*To be eligible for the pensioner rate you must hold a Pension Concession Card. Please present this when paying. Please note that

### Compulsory desexing of newly registered cats and night time cat curfew

As of 10 April 2017, it is compulsory that cat owners desex newly registered cats from three months of age, and a night time containment order for cats from sunset to sunrise will be enforced. Newly registered cats being desexed and all cats being contained at night will reduce the occurrences of nuisance, attacks on native animals/birds and unwanted litters of kittens.

### Why do I need to register my pet?

Pet registration is a legal requirement under the *Domestic Animals Act 1994*. You can be fined for not complying. The State Government Levy is included in Council's registration fees. Council is required to collect this Levy on behalf of the government and it is used primarily to fund responsible pet ownership programs. But there are so many other reasons why you should register your pet.

### What benefits does registering have?

Most importantly registering helps to reunite you with your four-legged friend should become lost. Fees also help with the provision and maintenance of the pound and shelter facilities should you not be able to be immediately reunited with your furry friend.

Registering your pet provides many benefits to you and the community such as:

- Discounted microchipping days
- Investigation into animal attacks, incidents and nuisance complaints such as barking
- Ranger patrols and enforcement of animal control laws to keep the community safe
- Management of domestic animal businesses such as breeders, catteries and kennels to ensure basic animal welfare standards are maintained
- Management of dangerous and restricted breed dogs

### But my pet's microchip has all my contact details on it?

That's right, microchipping your pet means that should they lose their collar they can still be identified and reunited with you even if you move or are on holiday. But registering your pet helps to provide more facilities and services than simply returning your pet to you.

### What happens if my pet gets out of my yard?

Animals found wandering at large may be collected and impounded. Release fees will be required to be paid to reclaim your animal and fines may be issued. Animals can be claimed by contacting Council.

## Payment Options

### Mail

Cheques and money orders made payable to 'Bass Coast Shire Council' and sent to:

Bass Coast Shire Council  
PO Box 118  
Wonthaggi VIC 3995

### In person

Payment can be made in person by cash, cheque or card. Please present this form and your payment at any of Council's Customer Service Centres located at:

#### Wonthaggi

76 McBride Avenue  
Monday to Friday  
8.30am to 5.00pm

#### Cowes

91 - 97 Thompson Avenue  
Monday to Friday  
9.00am to 5.00pm

#### Inverloch

16 A'Beckett Street  
Monday to Friday  
9.00am to 5.00pm

#### Grantville

1504 - 1510 Bass Highway  
Monday to Friday  
8.30am to 4.30pm  
Closed 1.00pm to 1.30pm

### Payment by Visa or Mastercard

Amount payable: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder name: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card No:

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Expiry date:  /

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_