

DOG LICENSE APPLICATION
State of Wisconsin, County of Iowa
Town of Wyoming

Section 174.05, 174.07 of the Wisconsin Statutes states that *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..... The collecting official shall assess and collect a late fee of \$15 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...Delinquent dog license taxes may be collected in the same manner as in s.74.55 and ch. 799 for the collecting of personal property taxes. **Fines for unlicensed animals will be enforced by the Iowa County Humane Officer.***

The cost of a license is \$5.00 for a neutered/spayed dog and \$10.00 for an un-neutered/unsprayed dog. When applying for a dog license, **you must present a certificate of rabies vaccination.** The tag must be attached to the collar of the licensed dog and worn at all times. If you no longer have your dog, please let the Town Treasurer know so we can update our records.

After April 1st, a list of owners/keepers of unlicensed dogs will be forwarded to the Iowa County Humane Officer for follow-up and a late fee of \$10 will apply.

Date: _____

Owner's Name _____ **Phone:** _____

Street Address _____ **City** _____ **Zip** _____

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH ANIMAL.

Dog's Name _____

Color: _____ **Breed:** _____

Gender: Male Neutered Male (\$5.00) Un-neutered Male (\$10.00)
 Female Spayed Female (\$5.00) Un-Spayed Female (\$10.00)
 Kennel License (\$40.00)

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please make check payable to the Town of Wyoming

Return to Philip Limmex, Treasurer, 6601 Lower Wyoming Rd, Spring Green, WI 53588

Please make dog license payment amount separate from tax payment. You must also include a self-addressed stamped envelope which will be used to mail back the dog tag.

This form should be returned by all residents. Thank You!

The above dog was vaccinated against rabies on _____ 20____

Vaccine MFG. _____ Serial Number _____

Expiration Date: _____ Vet Clinic _____

PROOF OF RABIES SHOT MUST BE INCLUDED

I do not currently own a dog. _____

Signature

Why should I license my dog?

1. It ensures all pets are vaccinated against rabies. Rabies can affect all warm-blooded creatures including humans and is usually fatal if contracted. Providing vaccination protection in our pets protects the health and well-being of every citizen and pet in our county.

2. An unvaccinated pet which bites someone is required to be quarantined for 10 days at the owner's expense at a facility designated by the county instead of being allowed to be quarantined at the owner's residence.

3. The recommendation when an unvaccinated pet comes into contact with another animal that is suspected of being infected with rabies is to immediately euthanize the pet.

4. Having a current dog license on your pet at all times provides ownership proof and information should your pet become lost.

5. Licensing revenue provides important funding for animal related services throughout the Iowa County area such as:

- a. Shelter services for homeless and unwanted animals through the Iowa County Humane Society.
- b. Provision of a state certified Humane Officer to investigate complaints such as abuse and neglect.