

ATTENTION TOMS RIVER DOG OWNERS
2021 LICENSES ARE AVAILABLE JANUARY 1ST

Per State Law, dogs must be licensed each year after the first rabies shot and once they are 7 months of age. The dog license term is January to December.

New Jersey State Regulations require that pet owners supply a current rabies vaccination certificate, signed by a Licensed Veterinarian, which is valid for the license term. Please check the EXPIRATION DATE on the rabies shot. The shot must **EXPIRE AFTER NOVEMBER 1, 2021**. A license cannot be issued, if the rabies shot expires prior to November 1, 2021. The shot must be updated, before the owner can purchase a 2021 license. First-time licenses can be issued any time after the first rabies shot as long as it is valid beyond November 1, 2021.

If a dog is spayed or neutered, written proof, signed by a Licensed Veterinarian must be submitted at time of purchase, to qualify for the lower fee.



2021 RENEWALS:

JANUARY 1ST TO JANUARY 31ST, 2021

DOGS
LICENSE FEES: \$15.00 Spayed/Neutered
\$20.00 <u>NOT</u> Spayed/Neutered

Per Ord. #4278-10 all renewals postmarked after January 31, 2021 must include a late fee. Please add the appropriate amount to the license fee if you are renewing late, or the request will be rejected:

LATE FEES: In February: Add \$5.00...March & later: Add \$10.00

Options to renew:

“Contact Free” processing through the mail: Mail-ins must include a signed check, payable to “Toms River Township,” current and valid rabies vaccination certificate, written proof of spaying/neutering signed by Licensed Vet, and self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope. Mail to: Toms River Dog Licensing, P.O. Box 728, Toms River, NJ 08754

In person: Be prepared to wait in long lines, due to high volume during January, February and March. The hours are 9 AM to 3:30 PM at 33 Washington St. Cash or check is accepted, NO debit or credit cards.

THANK YOU FOR BEING A RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNER!