



City of Costa Mesa



COSTA MESA DOG LICENSE INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

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DATE NOTIFIED		CITY OF COSTA MESA DOG LICENSE APPLICATION		PAYMENT AMOUNT \$ _____	
				CASH <input type="checkbox"/>	
				CHECK # _____	
RABIES VACCINE EXPIRES		TELEPHONE NUMBER		ALTERNATE NUMBER (OPTIONAL)	
				ANIMAL LICENSE NUMBER (LEAVE BLANK IF NEW)	
SEX	BREED	NAME OF DOG		AGE	COLOR
OWNER'S NAME					
STREET ADDRESS					
CITY, STATE, ZIP					

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THANK YOU FOR LICENSING YOUR DOG. All dogs over four months of age kept in Costa Mesa must have a current license, renewed annually. Failure to have and keep a current dog license can result in a citation.

- **Annual license fee:** Non-neutered dogs \$80, neutered dogs \$25.
Senior citizens over 62 years of age (proof of age required): Non-neutered dogs \$40, neutered dogs \$10.
Approved service dog licenses are free.
- **Required documents:** A current **rabies vaccination certificate** from a licensed veterinarian is required for licensing. Vaccine summaries and payment receipts cannot be accepted. If the rabies certificate shows incorrect pet information or lists a prior owner, contact the issuing facility to update it before submitting for the license. A **certificate of spay/neuter** is required from a licensed veterinarian to receive the discounted neutered rate. Please **DO NOT** mail original documents. Clearly legible photocopies of documents are okay.
- **Late fee:** If a renewal is more than 30 days overdue, a late fee of 50% of the applicable license fee will be charged in addition to the yearly license fee.
- **Replacement tag:** One permanent tag is issued with your dog's first license. If a replacement is needed for a lost or damaged tag, please indicate on application and add \$5 to any other fees due. Limit one tag per replacement request.

Make check or money order payable to: CITY OF COSTA MESA. Please do not mail cash. Allow 2-4 weeks for processing. Applications can be mailed to: **TREASURY MANAGEMENT – CITY OF COSTA MESA, 77 FAIR DR., P.O. Box 1200, COSTA MESA, CA 92628-1200.**