



Township of Raritan

Office of the Municipal Clerk

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PET LICENSE APPLICATION – DUE BY MAY 31, 2026

NAME _____ PHONE _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

PET'S NAME _____ DOG CAT

BREED _____ AGE/DATE OF BIRTH _____ COLOR/MARKINGS _____

MALE FEMALE SPAYED/NEUTERED YES NO

HAIR LENGTH SHORT MED LONG BREED SIZE SMALL MEDIUM LARGE

LICENSE FEES:

DOGS: \$20.00 for SPAYED/NEUTERED | \$23.00 for NON-SPAYED/NON-NEUTERED

CATS: \$15.00

LATE FEE: AFTER MAY 31ST, ADDITIONAL \$10.00 PER PET (applicable to renewals only NOT new pet registrations)

Please make checks payable to Raritan Township and return to Municipal Clerk, One Municipal Drive, Flemington, NJ 08822 with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

IF PET IS DECEASED OR NO LONGER OWNED, PLEASE CHECK BOX AND RETURN THIS FORM []

Conditions:

- Chapter 6.04.020 of the Township Ordinance requires that all dogs and cats be licensed and states that no dogs are permitted to run at large and that every dog when on the streets or in a public place in the Township shall be on a leash that is securely fastened. Owners may be subject to a fine.
- Please complete the renewal application on or before **May 31, 2026**, to avoid a late fee.
- There is no fee for licensing of Seeing Eye or Hearing service dogs.
- Licensing period runs from **June 1st to May 31st** of the following year.
- License must be issued in the name of an adult member of the household.
- Newly acquired pets must be licensed within 10 days after taking ownership **OR** within 10 days of reaching the licensing age of 7 months **OR** within 10 days of moving to the Township.
- A fee of \$0.50 will be charged for a tag for pets licensed in another New Jersey municipality with proof of registration.
- Rabies certificate MUST NOT expire prior to April 1st, 2027, to receive the annual license.** NJ Regulations require a duration of immunity from the most recent rabies vaccination extend through at least the first ten months of the licensing period or the pet must receive a booster rabies vaccination prior to licensure. Raritan Township offers two FREE rabies clinics: **April 15, 2026 & May 13, 2026, 6:00pm-8:00pm.**
- Failure to license may result in a fine.

For information on New Jersey State Animal Cruelty Laws visit <https://www.state.nj.us/health/vph/>