



FRANKSTON CITY COUNCIL
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FIRST TIME APPLICATION FOR DOG/CAT REGISTRATION

OWNER'S Surname:	Given Name:
Address:	
Postcode:	
Name of Pet:	
Contact Number:	Mobile:

Council Permit No:	
Dogs Victoria (Dog)	
Feline Control Council (Cat):	
Owner's Member No (from above):	
Pension No (Ref. Overleaf)	

ANIMAL'S DETAILS				RESTRICTED BREED		AGE		SEX	STERILE	FEE	REF. No.	TAG No.
Dog/Cat	BREED/TYPE	COLOUR	MICROCHIP NO.	YES	NO	Yrs.	Mths.	M/F	YES/NO			

Please note: it is an offence to keep more than 2 dogs and/or cats without a permit from council.
 The penalty for failing to register a dog/cat is 10 penalty units.

TOTAL Fees Due:

Animal Owner's Declaration: (Penalty for willful omission or incorrect declaration - 5 penalty units)

Section Below must be completed

I, the undersigned, make application for registration of the dog(s) / cat(s) described above and declare the information to be true and correct.

Please tick if the owner is under 17 years of age.

For the purpose of the Domestic (Feral and Nuisance) Animals Act 1994 where the owner of a dog or cat is under 17 years of age the parent or guardian of that person is deemed to be the owner.

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

IMPORTANT NOTICE - RESTRICTED BREED DOGS

The State Government has recently made significant amendments to the Domestic (Feral and Nuisance) Animals Act 1994 in relation to the keeping of "RESTRICTED BREED DOGS".
 A "RESTRICTED BREED DOG" means a dog of a breed whose importation into Australia is prohibited under the Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956 of the Commonwealth. These breeds currently are:

1. Dog Argentino 2. Fila Brasileiro 3. Japanese Tosa 4. American Pit Bull Terrier or Pit Bull Terrier 5. Perro de Presa Canario or Presa Canario

The Act requires that when you register a dog that you complete a declaration stating whether the particular dog is or is not a "RESTRICTED BREED DOG".

Please indicate on the above application for registration whether each dog you are applying to register is or is not a "RESTRICTED BREED DOG" and complete the declaration below.

I, declare that the dog(s) identified in this application have been correctly indicated as to whether they are, or are not a restricted breed.
 I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief all the above information is true and correct.

NOTE: Section 10 (3) of the Act states that the maximum penalty for not completing a declaration is \$500.00

Date: _____

Signed: _____

(Signature of applicant)

Name: _____

(Printed name of applicant)

**FRANKSTON CITY COUNCIL PROMOTES
 RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP**

Dog and Cat Registration Fees

Status of Animal	Dog/Cat
1. Dangerous, Menacing or Restricted Dog Breed	\$155
2. All other dogs and cats (**desexed) (*permanently identified from 3 months)	\$31

Pensioners who hold a valid concession card are eligible for a 50% discount on the above fee, under the State Concessions Act 1986 (excluding Dangerous, Menacing or Restricted Breed)

INFORMATION FOR DOG AND CAT OWNERS

****It is a legal requirement for all dogs and cats over the age of three months to be registered (and microchipped) in the municipality where they live. As from the 1st September 2008 all dogs/cats registered for the first time in the Frankston municipality must also be desexed.**

However, State legislation does allow for the following exemptions:

- A dog/cat that is owned by a person who is a current member of an applicable organisation and the animal is registered with that organisation (i.e. pedigree and proof of both is required)
- A dog/cat that is the subject of written veterinary advice that the health of the dog or cat is liable to be significantly prejudiced if it is desexed.
- Dangerous dogs kept for guarding non residential premises and Dangerous dogs that have undergone protection training (in accordance with the Act)
- A dog or cat that is owned by a person or body that conducts a domestic animal business under which dogs or cats are bred and the dog or cat is used for breeding purposes in connection with that business (there are no domestic animal business breeding establishments in Frankston municipality)

***As from May 2007 Councils are not allowed to register a dog or cat unless that dog or cat has been implanted with a prescribed permanent identification device (microchip). This includes dog and cats moving from another municipality to Frankston City. This does not apply if the dog or cat has been registered with Frankston City at any time in the 12 month period immediately before this application.**

PAYMENT FEES

The prescribed fee must be paid by 10 April each year. Payments may be made at the Civic Centre in Frankston or at Seaford or Langwarrin shops, Carrum Downs Library or by mail.

REGISTRATION

Every dog and cat over the age of 3 months must be registered. Failure to register may incur a fine of 10 penalty units.

RELEASE OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS

A fee will be charged for any animals impounded. Animals will be kept for 8 days.

IF YOUR ANIMAL IS MISSING

Please enquire at the Lost Dogs' Home facility at 920 Thompson Road, Cranbourne. Open Monday to Friday 10am - 1pm and 3pm - 6pm, Saturday and Sunday 9am - 1pm. Closed Public Holidays. Telephone: 9702 8055.

WEARING OF REGISTRATION TAGS

Registered animals are required to wear their registration tag at all times. The owner of any animal found outside the owner's premises without the registration tag is guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty of 1 penalty unit.

PRIVACY NOTIFICATION

The information provided on this form is subject to Section 18 of the Domestic (Feral and Nuisance) Animals Act 1994 and will be used to update the public animals register as prescribed under the act.