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LICENSE YOUR DOG IT'S THE LAW

Licensing your dog is a State law, but it also protects your dog if it should become lost. The license tag can identify the owner of the dog and help reunite both owner and dog.

All dogs six months or older need to be licensed. The license period is July 1st through June 30th of each year. **Licenses must be renewed each year prior to July 1st.**

The fee for licensing dogs is \$8.00 for spayed and neutered dogs. The fee for unaltered dogs is \$19.00. Late fees will accrue \$1.00 per month for every month late.

The best way to license your dog is by mail. Make your check payable to the Town of Stratford. If your dog's rabies vaccination has expired, please include with your payment a current rabies certificate showing the new expiration date. If your dog is being licensed for the first time and is spayed or neutered, or your dog has been spayed or neutered since last year, please include a spay or neutered certificate from your veterinarian. All paperwork will be returned to you along with the license tag. Mail to: Town Clerk's Office, Room 106, 2725 Main Street, Stratford, CT 06615. You may also license your dog by coming to the Town Clerk's office with the required paperwork.

Please call the Town Clerk's office if you have any questions 203-385-4020.

PLEASE DONATE TO STRATFORD'S ANIMAL SHELTER

The Town Clerk's office will be accepting donations for the Animal Control Shelter during the month of June. Donations of pet food and treats, kitty litter, dog chews, flea deterrent, gift cards for pet, grocery or home improvement stores will be accepted.