

REGISTERING AND LICENSING OF DOGS:

All persons residing in the Town of Hawley and keeping or maintaining a dog in said Town shall be obligated to register/license each dog on an annual basis. Proof of current Rabies vaccination will be required at registration, as required by MA General Laws, Chapter 140, Section 137 and 145B, or any amendments thereafter.

Residents acquiring new dogs six months of age or older, or new residents who bring dogs six months of age or older into the Town of Hawley will have 30 days from the date of acquiring the dog, or in the case of a new resident, from the date when such person begins residency, in which to comply with \$25.00 penalty as allowed by MA General Laws, Chapter 140, Section 141

As required by MA General Laws, Chapter 140, Section 151A, by June 10th a warrant will be issued to the Dog Officer directing him to seek out, catch and confine all dogs within the Town which have not been licensed as required by this Chapter and to enter and prosecute a complaint for failure to comply against the owners or keepers. Any dogs remaining in his custody after 10 days shall be euthanized or adopted out to a suitable owner at his discretion.

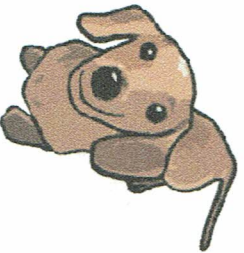
DOG CONTROL LAW (EXCERPT):

All dogs in Hawley must be under their owners control at all times. Failure to keep dogs under control may result in fines or such other penalties as permitted under MA General Laws, Chapter 140.



RABIES VACCINATION CLINIC

There will be NO Rabies Clinic Due to COVID-19



2021

HAWLEY DOG LICENSE PROGRAM

OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK
8 Pudding Hollow Road
Hawley, MA 01339

Pamela Shrimpton, Town Clerk
339 – 5518 (office)
339 – 4091 (home)

All dogs must be licensed by April 1, 2021

Failure to license a dog by April 1st will result in a \$10.00 fine PER DOG in addition to the license fee.

Licenses are available at the Town Clerk's Office, or by using this registration form.

If you choose to use this form, please enclose the following:

1. Current rabies certificate and proof of spay/neuter (if not already on file with the Town Clerk).
2. Check made payable to: Town of Hawley
3. Business size self-addressed stamped envelope. (Tags will only be mailed with appropriate postage.) 1 tag = 1 stamp. 2-4 tags = 2 stamps.

Mail this form and check to:

Hawley Town Clerk
8 Pudding Hollow Road
Hawley, MA 01339

IF YOU NO LONGER OWN YOUR DOG, PLEASE NOTIFY THE TOWN CLERK.

YOUR NAME: _____
STREET ADDR: _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

FIRST DOG:

DOG NAME: _____
AGE: _____
COLOR: _____
BREED: _____
MALE: () \$10.00
NEUTERED MALE () \$5.00
FEMALE () \$10.00
SPAYED FEMALE () \$5.00

SECOND DOG:

DOG NAME: _____
AGE: _____
COLOR: _____
BREED: _____
MALE: () \$10.00
NEUTERED MALE: () \$5.00
FEMALE: () \$10.00
SPAYED FEMALE: () \$5.00

THIRD DOG:

DOG NAME: _____
AGE: _____
COLOR: _____
BREED: _____
MALE: () \$10.00
NEUTERED MALE () \$5.00
FEMALE: () \$10.00
SPAYED FEMALE: () \$5.00

Six or more dogs require a kennel license and must be processed in person or by special arrangement by contacting the Town Clerk.

KENNEL FEES

Not more than 5 dogs = \$15.00
6 – 9 dogs = \$30.00
10 or more dogs = \$50.00

