

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

**TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF
FINAL NOTIFICATION TO LICENSE DOGS & CATS**

For Immediate Release

**For further information contact:
Municipal Clerk's Office
201-891-7000 ext. 101**

The Township's Animal Control Officer is in the process of reviewing the dog and cat license records. If you have not licensed your dog or cat you must do so before April 1, 2010 or you will risk being issued a summons. Dog and cat licensing in Wyckoff began on December 1st. In order to obtain a pet license, the animal's rabies certificate must be good through October 2010. Presently, a \$10.00 late fee is being charged in addition to the annual license fee. Dog & cat licenses are issued at the Municipal Clerk's office in Town Hall, 340 Franklin Avenue, Wyckoff, New Jersey.

Dog and cat licensing is the only way to establish a barrier for the spread of rabies between the human and pet population. It is important to have your dogs and cats inoculated against rabies because the Township maintains a data base of the inoculations and it is referenced in the event of a dog or cat bite. The number of dogs and cats confirmed with rabies has increased significantly in the United States during the past several years. Remember, people should stay away from all domestic, wild and stray animals which are aggressive or appear to be sick, because they may be rabid.

If you no longer own your dog or cat or have any questions regarding dog & cat licensing please contact the Clerk's office at 201-891-7000 ext. 101.

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