



5 reasons to license your dog



1. **It's the law.** All dogs over 6 months old and living in Lincoln County must be licensed. Licenses are valid for one year, from July 1st to June 30th.
2. **What if your dog goes missing?** If your dog is found wandering, having him licensed helps animal control to return him home safely.
3. **The cost of the license is less than a fine.** Annual Dog license fees are \$10 for an unaltered dog or \$5 for a spayed/neutered dog. Residents age 65 or older receive one dog license at no cost. A lifetime license is available for \$25. Failure to license a dog is a misdemeanor punishable by a \$25 fine and/or up to a week in jail.
4. **Licensing lets people know you care for your dog.** A dog cannot be licensed unless its rabies vaccination is current. People will be more likely to care for your missing dog if they know that it is vaccinated and has responsible owners waiting at home.
5. **License fees support animal programs.** The annual license fee helps support animal-related programs such as discounted spay/neuter certificates and sheltering services.

How to license your dog

- Bring your current rabies vaccination to the 2nd floor of the Lincoln County Annex at 418 Mineral Ave, Libby. The office is open from 8:00 to 5:00, Monday – Friday.
- **Or** you can visit the Libby Animal Shelter at 255 County Shop Rd. The shelter is open Monday - Tuesday and Thursday- Friday from 10:00 – 2:00.
- **Or** if you prefer to license your dog by mail, complete the following license application and return it with the appropriate fee to: 418 Mineral Ave, Libby, MT 59923. Your dog license will be mailed back to you.

Lincoln County Dog License Application



Name: _____ Phone: _____ Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Name of dog: _____ Male _____ Female _____ Spayed/Neutered _____

Breed: _____ Color/Markings: _____ Age: _____

Rabies No: _____ Rabies Exp. Date: _____ Clinic: _____

If you have any questions, please call 283-2442