



## Registering your pet – tag it or wear it

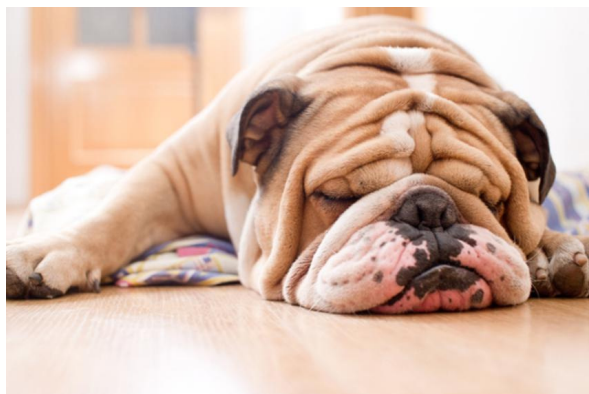
You are required by law to register with council all cats and dogs over 12 weeks of age that reside in the Livingstone Shire area. If you don't tag it, you will wear it! If you are found with an unregistered animal on your property you will be given a \$261.00 on the spot fine.

Your pet must wear its registration tag at all times. Check the tag regularly and replace it if damaged, so if your pet becomes lost, Council can promptly identify it and return your pet to you.

The registration fees will depend on whether your pet is entire or desexed and microchipped. There are substantial discounts on registration fees for cats and dogs that are desexed and microchipped, and discounts for pension concession holders apply.

Registration and microchipping will make it easier for your pets to be reunited with you if they become lost. If your pet ends up in a Council Pound Facility and isn't registered, Council has no way of letting you know it has been impounded.

As a pet owner you have a legal and moral responsibility to register your pet, provide an adequate enclosure and ensure that your pet is not a nuisance or danger to the community.



**For more information contact**

**Council's Customer Service Centre on the below details**