FOSTER HOMES NEEDED
Renton Animal Control is seeking good foster homes. What is required to become a foster home?

» Have a safe and caring environment for the animal.
» Have time to spend with the animal.
» Be able to attend trainings, bring animals in for medical care if necessary, and other transport as needed.
» Be willing and able to work with Renton Police Animal Control staff and volunteers.
» Be able to pass a background check.

APPLY TO BE A FOSTER HOME
Go to rentonwa.gov/animalcontrol and find the Volunteer Foster Application under Foster Homes Needed.

For more information, call 425-430-7550 or email AC@rentonwa.gov
Renton Police Department
1055 South Grady Way
Renton, WA 98057
rentonwa.gov/animalcontrol
The Renton Police Department employs two full-time Animal Control Officers to serve residents who reside within the city limits of Renton.

**ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS**

- Investigate and enforce noise violations, such as barking dogs or other repetitive noises
- Report on and quarantine biting animals
- Pick up domestic animals in violation of the city’s trespass ordinance
- Enforce leash law violations
- Advise and educate residents on the use of traps or alternatives for nuisance cats or wildlife
- Investigate animal cruelty complaints
- Enforce the city’s licensing requirements for dogs and cats
- Take reports of lost/found domestic animals
- Aid sick or injured animals
- Pick up any stray or deceased animal on the roadway

Renton Animal Control does NOT handle:

- Issues outside the Renton city limits. King County residents (including unincorporated King County), should contact King County Animal Control 206-296-7387
- Rodents or insects
- Cats in trees

**ANIMAL LICENSING**

The City of Renton requires that all dogs and cats aged four months and older be licensed. The license must be on the animal at all times. Licenses are renewed annually. City residents 61 and over, who meet income qualifications, may be entitled to purchase a special permanent animal license.

**LICENSING FEES**

**DOGS & CATS:** Altered $30*, Unaltered $50

*A certificate from a veterinarian is required to prove the animal has been altered. For more information, please call 425-430-6850.

**HOW TO GET A LICENSE**

**ONLINE:** rentonwa.gov/animallicensure

Complete the form and mail it to the address on the application.

**IN PERSON:** At Renton City Hall, Finance Department on the 1st Floor.

**LOST & FOUND ANIMALS**

To check if a lost animal is located within the city limits of Renton and in our care, go to our animal control Facebook page at facebook.com/rentonanimalcontrol. If the animal has identification such as an ID tag or microchip, attempts to contact the owner are made. Animals without identification are held for a minimum three-day holding period. Following this holding period, animal will be transported to a longer term shelter.

Go to rentonwa.gov/animalcontrol, click on the Lost/Found form. The Lost/Found form can be used to assist us in locating a pet or to help us return an animal to its owner.