

RENTON POLICE Animal Care & Control

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 animalcontrol@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 animal at large 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 Regional Animal Services of King County 206-296-7387(PETS)
- » 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/animallicense

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

IN PERSON: At Renton City Hall, Finance Department on the 1st Floor. ANIMAL CONTROL 425-430-7550

Lost & Found Animals

Lost animals located within Renton City limits and in our care are pictured on the Animal Control Facebook page at **facebook.com/rentonanimalcontrol**. We will attempt to locate the owners if the animal has identification such as an ID tag or microchip. Animals without identification are held for a minimum of three days. Following this holding period, animals will be transported to a longerterm shelter.

To report a lost animal, go to rentonwa.gov/animalcontrol, click on the Lost/Found form, and fill it out. Please attach a recent photo to help us locate a pet and return it home.

