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Rover Needs a Dog Licence

Dog licences are the fastest way to reunite you with your lost dog; dog licence fees support the return of pets to their owners. Fees also help to offset the cost to maintain our off-leash dog park, provide dog waste bags and dispensers throughout the City and provide bylaw enforcement to handle public safety concerns of stray, off-leash and dangerous dogs.

All dogs over six months of age must be licensed every year with the City of Parksville. Cost of licensing depends on whether your dog is spayed or neutered, and licences are valid for the calendar year.

We wish to remind residents the City's bylaw requires all dog owners must obtain municipal licences for their dogs. Parksville municipal dog tags can be purchased in-person from the City of Parksville (Monday to Friday, 8 am to 4 pm) and the BC SPCA (Tuesday to Saturday, noon to 4 pm).

Many of the dogs brought to the BC SPCA are dogs that never run loose but have escaped from your yard accidentally. Purchasing a licence provides protection for your dog and its safe return.

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