April 24, 2014

*** MOVED!!! NEW LOCATION 199 Summit Avenue, D1, Jersey City, 07304 ***

Dear Pet Owner,

Enclosed is your 2014 dog license application, as well as news about changes in our Animal Control program.

- **It is dog license season.** Licenses are $8/yr for neutered dogs, $12/yr un-neutered. By law, a portion goes to the State, and the rest is used for sheltering stray dogs and for rabies prevention. **Thank you for licensing your dog!** Your license helps make life better for the dogs and people of Jersey City.

- **Rabies clinics.** Our first rabies clinic of the year will be held **Saturday, May 10, 2014, 10am-3pm** at Liberty Humane Society, 235 Jersey City Blvd., across from Liberty Science Center. We are partnering with Liberty Humane Society to give free vaccinations to the first 250 dogs and cats, with on-site dog licensing.

- **Expanded Animal Control service, 201-547-6800.** Our Animal Control Officers are now working 8am-8pm seven days a week to respond to your calls. After those hours we respond to critical issues on an on-call basis.

- Five of our six Animal Control officers are now certified to investigate animal cruelty. In response to resident requests, we will be doing more enforcement of dog-related quality of life laws. **Please remember to license, leash, and pick up after your dog.**

- **Spay/neuter assistance.** Pets are healthier and pet owners happier when pets are spayed or neutered. Unplanned puppies and kittens put stress on their owners and our non-profit shelter, resulting in increased costs to the taxpayer, and neglect and suffering for the animals who wind up on the street. This year, though the support of PetSmart Charities®, we are able to offer **low-cost spay/neuter to pets between Kennedy Boulevard and Garfield Avenue, from the Ege Avenue light rail tracks to Fulton Ave.**

Please call us or visit the City website jerseycitynj.gov for more information. We are actively seeking funding to bring the spay/neuter program to other neighborhoods next year, and expand spay/neuter services to Jersey City’s many outdoor cats.

Sincerely yours,

Nilda Guivas
Health Officer
2014 DOG LICENSE APPLICATION

Licenses may be purchased for a period of 12 Months (1 Year) or 36 Months (3 Years). Please complete the form below and return it with your check/money order made payable to: JERSEY CITY DIVISION OF HEALTH and mail to: ANIMAL CONTROL, 199 SUMMIT AVE, JERSEY CITY, NJ 07304.

DOG OWNER/GUARDIAN INFORMATION [Please print clearly]

First name: ____________________________  Last name: ____________________________________________
Street address: ______________________________  Apt # _________  Zip code: __________
Preferred phone: ____________________________  Alternate phone: ____________________________
Email address: _______________________________  (We will not share your email address)

DOG INFORMATION [Please print clearly]

Dog’s name: ____________________________  Dog’s age: ________  Sex: M or F (circle one)
Breed: ____________________________  Spay/ neuter: YES or NO  Hair: SHORT MEDIUM LONG (circle one)
Color & markings: ____________________________  Microchip #: ____________________________

All licenses effective May 1, 2014; all fees non-refundable.

1 Year License (expires 4/30/15)

Neutered dogs $8
Unneutered dogs $12

Rabies shots must be up to date until 3/1/15

3 Year License (expires 4/30/17)

Neutered dogs $20
Unneutered dogs $30

Rabies shots must be up to date until 3/1/17

Proof of Rabies Vaccination or Exemption Letter
All applications require a copy of the rabies vaccination certificate showing it to be valid through the license period and attached to the application when filed. Dogs incapable of being inoculated are exempted when certified in writing by a duly licensed veterinarian (original exemption letter or NJ VPH-28 “CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION” form is required).

$5 late fee for licenses not renewed by May 31, 2014. (Does not apply to new applicants.)
SOLICITUD DE LICENCIA DE PERRO 2014

Las licencias pueden ser adquiridas por un período de 12 meses (1 año) o 36 meses (3 años). Favor completar el siguiente formulario y incluir un cheque o giro postal a nombre: JERSEY CITY DIVISION OF HEALTH y enviar a: ANIMAL CONTROL, 199 SUMMIT AVE, JERSEY CITY, NJ 07304.

PROPIETARIO DE PERRO / INFORMACIÓN DE TUTORES [Por favor, escriba claramente]

Primer nombre: ____________________________ Apellido: ____________________________

Dirección: ___________________________________________ Apt # _____ Código postal: _________

Preferido teléfono: ____________________________ Suplente teléfono: ____________________________

Dirección de la email: ____________________________________________ (No compartiremos su dirección de correo electrónico)

PERRO INFORMACIÓN [Por favor, escriba claramente]

Nombre del perro: ____________________________ Edad: ________ Sexo: ________ M o F

Raza: ____________________________ Castrado / no castrado: SI o NO

Pelo: CORTO MEDIO LARGO

Color y marcas: ____________________________ Microchip #: ____________________________

Todas las licencias efícaes Mayo 1, 2014; todas las tarifas son no reembolsable.

Licencia de 1 Año (expira 4/30/15)

Perros castrados $8
Perros no castrados $12

Vacunas contra la rabia deben estar al día hasta Marzo 1, 2015

Licencia de 3 Años (expira 4/30/17)

Perros castrados $20
Perros no castrados $30

Vacunas contra la rabia deben estar al día hasta Marzo 1, 2017

Prueba de vacunación antirrábica o exención Carta
Todas las aplicaciones requieren una copia del certificado de vacunación contra la rabia mostrando que sea válido durante el período de licencia y junto con la solicitud cuando fue presentada. Perros incapaces de ser inoculados están exentos cuando sea certificado por escrito por un veterinario debidamente autorizado (carta de exención original o NJ VPH-28 "certificado de exención" se requiere formulario).

$5 cargo por demora por licencias no renovadas en Mayo 31, 2014. (No se aplica a los nuevos solicitantes.)