

2014 KENNEL LICENSE AND REGISTRATION FORM

Town of Reading
Town Clerk
16 Lowell Street - Reading MA 01867
781-942-9050

Your license application to maintain a kennel must be completed and returned by January 15th each year.

A Residential Kennel is defined as – 4 to 9 dogs, six months of age or older, kept on a single property, whether for breeding, sale, training, hunting, companionship or any other purpose.

A Commercial Kennel is defined as - 10 or more dogs, six months of age or older, kept on a single property, whether for breeding, sale, training, hunting, companionship or any other purpose.

Inspection process: Before the Town Clerk can issue the Kennel License; the Health Division Animal Inspector must inspect the proposed Kennel, file a report on the inspection, and favorably recommend that the Kennel meets all requirements. Please allow 2 weeks for inspection. See Dog Control Laws – General Bylaws 8.8

Animal Inspector Approval _____

Date of Approval _____



Please return this form to Town Clerk's Office with check payable to Town of Reading. We will forward the form to the Health Department to schedule kennel animal inspection.

- 4-9 dog kennel \$150.00
- 10+ dog kennel \$200.00

Date: _____

Kennel License No: _____

Issued to: _____

Address: _____

Telephone No: _____

Email Address: _____

All dogs within Reading MA must wear a tag

The holder of a license for a Residential Kennel shall cause each dog to wear a tag when off the kennel property, upon which shall appear the number of such kennel license, the name of the town issuing such license and the year of issue.

The holder of a license for a Commercial Kennel shall cause each dog to be in possession of and to wear a tag from the Resident community.

This License Expires December 31, 2014