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INSTRUCTIONS FOR WOOD COUNTY DOG LICENSES:

Tags may be purchased in person at the Wood County Auditor's Office, second floor, County Office Building, Bowling Green (Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday), or the Wood County Dog Shelter at 1912 E. Gypsy Lane Rd., Bowling Green. Please bring the attached form when purchasing tags at either location.

ON-LINE

Register your dog on-line at auditor.co.wood.oh.us. Only credit card payments accepted; a per dog processing fee applies. Processing fee varies by license term, see website for details. To access your pre-filled form you will need your Account ID and Password listed below.

Account ID:

Password:

IN PERSON OR BY MAIL

- Complete this form. Be sure the correct owner, street address, and pet description(s) appear on all applications.
- Dogs may be registered for a 1 year or 3 year term, or permanent (lifetime of dog). Complete each line of the application for your dog(s). In particular, choose your "Term" (1 Year, 3 Year, or Permanent -- see term codes below) and fill in "Fee Paid" based on the fee structure to the right of this paragraph. **No Refunds Permitted.**
- Please return the application, check or money order, payable to: **Wood County Auditor** (DO NOT SEND CASH) and self-addressed stamped envelope. A receipt will be enclosed with your 2026 license tag(s).
- The District Board of Health has adopted a regulation requiring all dogs be immunized against rabies.
- Please notify us if you no longer reside in Wood County or have the dog(s) listed below.

****Deadline is January 31st****

2026 LICENSE FEES			
	1 YR	3 YR	Permanent
Before Jan 31st	\$16.00	\$48.00	\$160.00
After Jan 31st	\$32.00	\$64.00	\$176.00

IT'S THE LAW

(Ohio Revised Code 955.01) All dogs three months of age or older must be licensed. No dog shall be harbored, kept, or owned without displaying a valid registration tag. (The law applies regardless of whether the dog is kept inside or out.) Certificates of registration and registration tags shall be valid only during the CALENDAR YEAR or YEARS for which they are issued. ORC Sec 955.09.

-----Detach and Return Application with Payment-----

Color Codes: BL=Black; WH=White; GR=Gray; BD=Brindle; TA=Tan; BR=Brown; YE=Yellow; RE=Red; FA=Fawn

Term Codes: 1=1 Year Tag; 3=3 Year Tag; P=Permanent Tag

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APPLICATION for the registration of dog(s) for the year 2026

Age		Sex (M/F)	Spay/ Neut	Color										Hair (S/M/L)	Breed	Dog Name	Term (1/3/P)	Fee Paid	Penalty
YRs	MOs			BL	WH	GR	BD	TA	BR	YE	RE	FA							

Vet/Clinic:

A penalty shall be assessed if Dog License is not secured on or before January 31, or within 30 days after the dog becomes 3 months of age, is acquired, or is brought from outside the state. ORC Sec 955.01, 05.

The undersigned says that the facts indicated above ARE TRUE.

Owner Information

Name: _____

Signature of Applicant _____

Street Address: _____

Date Signed _____

Mailing Address: _____
if different (e.g. P.O. Box)

Phone # _____ Email _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZipCode: _____