

Ohio law requires that all dogs over the age of three (3) months must be licensed annually by January 31 (extended to February 28). Rabies tags or I.D. tags do not qualify.

For your convenience, you may secure your dog license in any one (1) of the following three (3) ways:

1. You may register by mail by completing the form below and enclosing a check or money order for the total amount of the 1 year, 3 year and/or permanent tags, payable to: **MAHONING COUNTY TREASURER**. Submit the payment and a **self-addressed stamped envelope** (so the dog tag(s) and receipt may be returned to you) to the following location:
 COUNTY AUDITOR
 DOG LICENSING
 120 MARKET STREET
 YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44503
2. You may personally purchase a 1 year dog license from any designated dog license agency in Mahoning County. For the location of these agencies and other license information go to <http://auditor.mahoningcountyoh.gov> or call the Auditor's Office at 330-740-2010.
3. You may register on-line by going to: <https://dogtags.mahoningcountyoh.gov> and follow the directions to renew a dog license. Your Online Pin is on this form under your name.
4. The Deadline is January 31, 2026, extended to February 28, 2026. If a license has not been purchased by the deadline you may be subject to a Dog Warden visit and a Court Citation.
5. Tags are **NON-TRANSFERABLE** and **NON-REFUNDABLE**.

After January 31st (extended to February 28th), statutory late penalty increases the licensing rate to \$40.00 for each one year dog license. Your application cannot be processed without the correct fees.

Please update information below. Use back of form if needed.

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

Owner:

Customer Number:

PLEASE PRINT

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Veterinarian Office: _____

To the Auditor of Mahoning County, Youngstown, Ohio:
 I the undersigned, Owner, Keeper or Harbor, hereby tender the legal fee and apply for the registration, for the year 2026, of the dog(s) over three months of age, described below:

Check if Deceased	Name	Breed if known	Color	Hair		Sex*	DOB	Rabies Vaccine Date	Rabies Vaccine Expiration Date	1 year Tag \$20.00/Dog	3 Year Tag \$60.00/Dog	Permanent Tag \$200/Dog	Tag # Office Use Only
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*Sex: M=Male; N=Neutered; F=Female; S=Spayed

Certification of registration and registration tags shall be valid only during the calendar year or years in which they are issued, O.R.C. Sec. 955.09

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

Sec. 955.01. (A)(1) states every person who owns, keeps or harbors a dog more than 3 months of age shall file, by the deadline, in the office of the county auditor in which the dog is harbored, an application for registration for a period of one year or three years or an application for a permanent registration.

Total Amount Due: _____

The undersigned says that the facts indicated above are true.

Signature of _____
 Applicant: _____ Date: _____

RALPH T MEACHAM, CPA, MAHONING COUNTY AUDITOR