



FENCING REBATE CRITERIA (For Urban Dog Owners Only)

To qualify for the fencing rebate, dog owner's property must have fencing which meets the following criteria:

- 1 Fences must be of a sufficient height to prevent the dog(s) jumping over. As a guide, a minimum height of 1.5 metres above ground level (inside the property) may be sufficient for standard breeds, while 0.8 metres may be sufficient for miniature breeds.
- 2 Area of fenced section is to be no less than 200m², or 100m² for miniature breeds.
- 3 Every gate or door in the fence shall be fitted with a latching device.
- 4 Every gate or door in the fence shall be kept closed while not in use.
- 5 The fencing shall be constructed with permanent materials and in such a manner that will prevent the dog(s) from digging under or passing through any part of the fence.
- 6 The fencing shall be constructed in such a manner that will prevent the dog(s) from being able to put its/their head(s) through any gap or other opening in the fence. This section shall only apply in respect of those parts of the fencing which border any public place, private way or other private property.
- 7 Where an owner receives the fencing rebate and on more than one occasion that owner's dog(s) is/are found at large, then the fencing rebate may be cancelled without further notice.
- 8 Owners must notify Council of any change of address and, if moving to a fenced property, will need to reapply for a new rebate.

If you have read and understood the above conditions and believe you qualify for the fencing rebate, please complete the form below and return to this office before 1 May. You should note that rebates for applications received after this date will not take effect until 1 July the following year. Owners will be notified following an inspection of the property.

APPLICATION FOR FENCING REBATE

Name _____ Owner ID (if known) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ (Private) _____ (Mobile)

Note: _____

Name(s) and Descriptions of Dog(s)

| NAME | TAG NO | ANIMAL ID | COLOUR | BREED |
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SIGNED _____ DATE _____

Office Use Only:

AniMaster updated

AniFencing Memo Added

ACO inspected/Date...../...../.....

Recheck required Y/N

User ID.....