



## CROYDON SHIRE COUNCIL

### APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO KEEP MORE THAN PRESCRIBED NUMBER OF ANIMALS ON A SINGLE ALLOTMENT Prescribed Activity Application

*Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*  
*Subordinate Local Law No.1 – Administration (2023) – Schedule 11*  
*Subordinate Local Law No. 2 – Animal Management (2023) – Section 6*

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#### INFORMATION SHEET

Pursuant to **Subordinate Local Law No. 2 – Animal Management (2023)**, owners wishing to keep more than the following numbers of animals on a single allotment, are required to make application to Council for a permit. Fees may apply. A failure to obtain a permit may result in a fine.

	<b>Column 1</b> <b>Species or breed of animal</b>	<b>Column 2</b> <b>Circumstances in which keeping of animal or animals requires approval<sup>1</sup></b>
1	Dog	3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> dogs.  5+ dogs permitted on application only where at least one of the following exemptions apply (at Council's sole discretion):  (a) owner is a registered breeder; or (b) owner manages a rescue shelter; or (c) animals are considered <i>working dogs</i> .
2	Cat	No more than 2 cats permitted, unless at least one of the following exemptions apply (at Council's sole discretion):  (a) owner is a registered breeder; or (b) owner manages a rescue shelter.  Application required for each cat exceeding 2 per allotment.

<b>Applicants Name</b> (must be the owner)	
<b>Address where animal/s to be kept</b>	
<b>Postal Address</b>	
<b>Home Phone Number</b>	
<b>Work Phone Number</b>	
<b>Mobile Number</b>	
<b>Email Address</b>	
<b>Animal Details</b>	<p>Animal Name: _____</p> <p>Animal: Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Cat <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Sex: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Desexed: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (if yes proof required)</p> <p>Date of Birth: Month _____ Year _____</p> <p>Primary Breed: _____</p> <p>Cross Breed: _____</p> <p>Colour and Markings: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Permanent Identification Number (PID)/Microchip</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Permanent Identification Number (PID)/Microchip</p> <p>_____</p> <p><b>Animal Details</b></p> <p>Animal Name: _____</p> <p>Animal: Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Cat <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Desexed: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (if yes proof required)</p> <p>Date of Birth: Month _____ Year _____</p>

	Primary Breed: _____ Cross Breed: _____ Colour and Markings: _____ _____ Permanent Identification Number (PID)/Microchip Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Identification Number (PID)/Microchip _____
<b>Reason why the applicant needs more than the prescribed number of animals on the allotment</b>	
<b>Description of area where animal to be kept</b>	
<b>Number of animals already kept on the allotment</b>	Dogs: Cats: Other:

### **Applicant Declaration**

I hereby apply for a permit to keep the animal/s described and declare that the details are correct and true to the best of my knowledge. I make this application, together with the prescribed fee in order that the animal/s above may be registered.

I agree to keep my animals registered at all times. I have a suitable enclosure or adequate fencing to prevent my animal/s from escaping.

☐ I do / ☐ I do not consent for Croydon Shire Council to provide my telephone contact details to a third party when my animal is reported found. I am aware that I can change this disclosure agreement by contacting (07) 4748 7100.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicants Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicants Signature

\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Date

<b>Office Use Only</b>	
Application Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
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_____	
Approved by _____	Date ____/____/____

The information collected in this form will be used by Council for lawful purposes directly related to the functions and activities of the Council. Your personal details will not be disclosed to a third party outside the process of dealing with your application, except where required by legislation (including the *Right to Information Act 2009*). The information collected may be retained as required by the *Public Records Act 2002*.

### **Criteria for granting permits**

For all approvals, the additional criteria are that –

- (a) the land is physically suitable for the keeping of the animals; and
- (b) the enclosures in which the animals are to be kept are structurally suitable as required by *Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2023*; and
- (c) the animals are not likely to cause undue nuisance, inconvenience, or annoyance to the occupiers of adjoining land; and
- (d) that the animals will not have a significant detrimental effect on the amenity of the surrounding area; and
- (e) that the animals will not have a significant detrimental effect on the local environment or cause pollution or other environmental damage.

### **Term of permit**

Term of the approval shall be the term stated in the approval.

### **Conditions of permits**

The conditions that will ordinarily be imposed on an approval are that the approval holder must–

- (a) be at least 17 years of age; and
- (b) comply with the minimum standards for animals as defined in the
- (c) care for the animals in accordance with appropriate standards; and
- (d) keep the animals in enclosures that complies with specified structural requirements; and
- (e) comply with specified standards of hygiene; and
- (f) not keep more than any maximum number of animals specified in the approval; and
- (g) ensure registration of the animals to which this approval relates, unless otherwise exempted by local law; and
- (h) ensure that the animal wears or displays an appropriate identifying tag as long as this is not inconsistent with requirements of the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008 (Qld)*; and
- (i) ensure the animal is micro chipped (if applicable); and
- (j) take specified action to protect against possible harm to the local environment; and
- (k) comply with specific requirements as identified by an authorised person.