



Marion County
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Amnesty, licenses and low cost vaccinations offered by Marion County Dog Control

Marion County Dog Control will offer amnesty for late fees and licensing violations as well as provide licenses and vaccinations from **10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 4, 2011**, at **Airport Self-Storage** at 2142 Turner Road SE in Salem.

Willamette Valley Animal Hospital will provide low-cost vaccinations for dogs. **Rabies vaccinations** will be offered for **\$3.00 to the first 250 dogs whose owners purchase or renew a Marion County dog license** on a first-come / first-served basis, with all subsequent Rabies vaccinations offered for \$8.00. Other low cost vaccinations offered are Corona vaccinations \$9.00, DHPP vaccinations \$10.00, DHLPP vaccinations \$10.00, and Bordatella vaccinations \$10.00.

Licenses are \$17 a year for neutered or spayed dogs and \$32 for unaltered dogs. The license fee is \$5 for seniors 65 and older with a spayed or neutered dog. Proof of neutering or spaying must be provided to receive the reduced fee or senior discount. Multi-year licenses are also available. Please bring a check or exact change. Dogs must be on leashes or in carriers.

All owners and keepers of dogs in Marion County are required by law to purchase a license when a dog reaches six months of age. Licenses are also required within 30 days of becoming a dog owner or moving into Marion County. License fees support the work of the dog control program, which rescues stray and injured dogs, handles dog complaints, and helps ensure the safety of the community through enforcement, education, and mediation.

For more information, call (503) 588-5233.

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