

# APPLICATION FOR CAT APPROVAL

Local Law 1 Administration  
 Local Law 2 Animal Management  
 Subordinate Local Laws 2.1 and 2.2  
 Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008



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| <b>Purpose</b>   | This application is to seek approval for the keeping of cats on properties within the Townsville City Council local government area. Cat approvals expire on <b>31 August</b> each year.   |   |             |
| <b>Type of approval</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> Up to two cats on a property<br><input type="checkbox"/> One cat on a property on Magnetic Island<br><input type="checkbox"/> One cat on a property in the Paluma Range area  |   |             |
| <b>Applicant details</b>   | Title: _____ Full name: _____<br>Residential address: _____<br>Suburb: _____ State: _____ Post code: _____<br>Postal address: _____<br>Mobile phone number: _____ A/H Phone: _____<br>Email address: _____<br>Alternative contact name _____ Phone: _____  |   |             |
| <b>Animal address</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> As above, or: _____<br>Suburb: _____ State: _____ Post code: _____  |   |             |
| <b>Details of animal</b><br><small>Add second cat's details if relevant<br/>If any details change, please update the relevant microchip company.</small> | First cat's name: _____<br>Date of birth: _____<br>Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female<br>Desexed: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Breed: _____<br>Colour: _____<br>Microchip number: _____   | Second cat's name: _____<br>Date of birth: _____<br>Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female<br>Desexed: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Breed: _____<br>Colour: _____<br>Microchip number: _____ |             |
| <b>Privacy collection statement</b>  | Townsville City Council collects and manages personal information in the course of performing its activities, functions and duties. We respect the privacy of the personal information held by us. The way in which council manages personal information is governed by the <i>Information Privacy Act 2009</i> (Qld). We are collecting your personal information in accordance with <i>Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011</i> , <i>Local Law 2 Animal Management 2011</i> , and the <i>Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008</i> . The information will be used to process this application for cat approval, renewal approvals, identify owners of rescued cats and inform any potential compliance actions in relation to this activity. Generally, we will not disclose your personal information outside of council unless we are required to do so by law, or unless you give your consent to this disclosure. For further information about how we manage your personal information please see our Information Privacy Policy. |   |             |
| <b>Applicant declaration</b>   | I hereby apply for approval to keep up to two cats (or one on Magnetic Island or in the Paluma Range Area), and declare that the particulars provided on this form are true and correct in every detail. I agree to comply with council's terms and conditions as set out on page 2 of this form.<br><br>Signature: _____  |   |             |
| <b>Office use only</b>   | <b>Application fee</b>   | <b>Animal approval number</b>   | <b>Date</b> |

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| <b>Conditions</b>      | <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The approval expires 31 August each year.</li><li>2. The approval is restricted to keep up to 1 cat on Magnetic Island or the Paluma Range area, and up to 2 cats elsewhere within the Townsville City Council local government area.</li><li>3. All reasonable steps are taken to prevent the cat(s) from causing a nuisance or disturbance to the occupiers of other premises.</li><li>4. Any enclosure in which the cat(s) are kept is maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, disinfected regularly and in good condition.</li><li>5. Any enclosure in which the cat(s) are kept is properly drained and that run-off is prevented from entering adjoining land.</li><li>6. Any material that is, or is likely to become offensive is collected daily and if not immediately disposed of is kept in a waste container approved by council.</li><li>7. This approval is only valid for the person at the address stated above. You must advise council if you change address or no longer require approval.</li><li>8. The cat(s) must be kept in accordance with the minimum standards for the species prescribed in Schedule 5 of <i>Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2011</i>. Any breach of these conditions may result in the withdrawal of the approval.</li></ol> |
| <b>Microchips</b>      | Any cats obtained, purchased or acquired are now required by law to be microchipped. Kittens are required to be microchipped before 12 weeks of age.  |
| <b>Payment options</b> | <p><b>Paying in person:</b> Cash, Cheque, EFTPOS and/or Credit Card (Mastercard or Visa). Simply present your approval request or renewal notice at our Customer Service Centres located at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>» Customer Service Centre - 103 Walker Street, Townsville City</li><li>» Customer Service Point - CityLibraries - 86 Thuringowa Drive, Thuringowa (CARD ONLY)</li></ul> <p><b>Paying by mail:</b> Return your completed approval request together with cheque/money order payable to Townsville City Council, PO Box 1268, TOWNSVILLE CITY QLD 4810.</p> <p><b>Submit via email:</b> <a href="mailto:enquiries@townsville.qld.gov.au">enquiries@townsville.qld.gov.au</a></p> <p>If no payment is provided a customer service representative will contact you for payment via credit card over the phone.</p> <p>Confirmation of approval and receipt will be forwarded by mail or issued at the time of payment.</p>  |