



# Breckenridge Police Department

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## DID YOU KNOW

- Did you know you cannot sell, breed, groom, or board any dogs in the city of Breckenridge without a permit and inspection from the Breckenridge Police Department/Animal Control. Permits are purchased annually and cost \$75.
- **Ordinance 4-14 – Dogs (Selling, grooming, breeding or boarding)**
- Did you know leaving food bowls outside to feed strays is a very fast way to spread the rabies virus. If an infected animal eats out of that bowl, the next animal to eat out of it can come in contact with the infected animals saliva. The rabies virus is transmitted through saliva.
- Did you know to own a dog in the city of Breckenridge, that dog **MUST** be spayed/neutered, up to date on rabies vaccination, and registered through Animal Control. Also, per the State Law, cats must be up to date on rabies vaccinations. Failure to be in compliance can result in citations being issued.  
**Ordinance 4-15 – Dogs (Spaying and neutering)**  
**Ordinance 4-22 – Dogs (Rabies vaccination)**  
**Ordinance 4-20 – Licensing of all dogs**  
**Texas Health and Safety Code 826.021 – Vaccination of dogs and cats required**
- Did you know your dog must have an identification tag on at all times.  
**Ordinance 4-21 – License tags; identification**
- Did you know you cannot leave your dog tethered outside and unattended for more than 30 minutes at a time. Also, you must have at minimum 100 square feet for each dog you own.  
**Ordinance 4-13 – Unlawful restraint of dogs**