

Application to keep more than the prescribed number of animals

Dogs & Cats - General Local Law No. 1 - Part 11, Section 11.3

What you need to do for your application



Complete the form

Make sure all sections are complete and you have supplied all supporting documents.



Submit application

This form and supporting documents must be submitted via email, by mail or in person.

Collection of Information

Colac Otway Shire is committed to protecting your privacy. The personal information requested on this form is being collected by Colac Otway Shire for the purpose of issuing a permit and/or other related purpose. The personal information will also be disclosed to the Information Management and Customer Service departments for the purpose of record management, taking payment and issuing a permit. It will not be disclosed to any other external party without your consent, unless required or authorised by law. If the personal information is not collected, a permit will not be issued. If you wish to alter any of the personal information you have supplied to Colac Otway Shire, please contact Council via telephone on 5232 9400 or email inq@colacotway.vic.gov.au. Council's Privacy Policy is available from our website: colacotway.vic.gov.au/Council-the-shire/Council-policies and all Council Customer Service Centres.

Your Details

First name

Last name

Postal address

Best phone number to contact you on

Email

Address of the property where animal are kept

Animal Details

	Type of Animals	Age	Animal Colour	Animal Breed	Sex	Desexed	Tag ID No.
1					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
3					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
4					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
5					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

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Additional Information

Does your activity in keeping the animals require a Planning Permit? Yes No

Have you applied for a Planning Permit? Yes No

Date Applied

Application Number

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PLEASE NOTE: This application is not in any way an assessment or referral for keeping animals for breeding purposes. An application through the planning department and an application for a Domestic Animal Business must be completed.

Important Information

Please refer to the table and conditions below relating to the number of excessive animals you are able to keep per property size

	Type of Animals	Property size: up to .25ha	Property size: .25ha - 1ha	Property size: above 1ha
A	Dogs	3	4	5 (other than dogs kept for working stock/primary production)
B	Cats	3	4	5
C	Poultry	10	20	No Permit Required
D	Roosters	Permit Required	Permit Required	No Permit Required
E	Pigeons	10	20	No Permit Required
F	Sheep or Goats	Permit Required	8	No Permit Required
G	Cattle/Horses or other large animals	Permit Required	4	No Permit Required
H	Pigs	Permit Required	Permit Required	No Permit Required

Permits will be issued to people who have, or are seeking to keep more than the prescribed number of animals stipulated in 11.3 unless it is considered that the keeping of the animals would not comply with the General Local Law No. 1 - Part 11.

General Local Law No. 1 - Part 11 states that an owner or occupier of land must not keep or allow to be kept on that land, and any other person must not keep or allow to be kept on the land, any animal, bird, reptile or bee in such a manner as to:

- 11.2 be offensive; or
- 11.2 be dangerous; or
- 11.2 be injurious to health; or
- 11.2 cause a nuisance.

This permit is conditional on the permit holder complying fully with these conditions and any other statutory obligation associated with the activity.

- All areas in which the animal, bird or reptile is kept must be secure and maintained in a clean environment.
- Owners/Occupiers must ensure all waste matter is disposed of in the correct manner so as to prevent any offensive odour from occurring
- All animals must not pose a danger to each other or any other animals.
- All permits are valid for 3 years
- Breaches of the permit conditions may result in the permit being revoked
- All animals must be registered with the Colac Otway Shire.

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Acknowledgement

Please read and tick to show you have read and understood the information

- I understand that before this permit application can be approved, an Authorised Council Officer will be required to inspect my property to access the application.
- I am aware of my responsibilities under the Colac Otway Shire Council General Local Law No. 1 - Part 11, Section 11.3 relating to the keeping of excessive animals. This is available at www.colacotway.vic.gov.au
- I the undersigned hereby agree to abide by the conditions set out in this application.

Name

Signature

Date

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