

## Animal control

Newton's Animal Control Officer is on duty  
**Tuesday–Friday, 10-hour shifts.**

For urgent issues after hours (aggressive animals, barking dogs), call **911** — a patrol officer will respond.

Shelter services are provided by **Caring Hands Humane Society** at 1400 SE 3rd St, Newton, KS.

- ✓ Pet Owner education
- ✓ Stray pet pick up
- ✓ Animal housing inspections
- ✓ Permit issuance
- ✓ Sick & deceased animal care
- ✓ Cruelty & abuse investigations



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Officer Lyndsey Robinette

Contact Us

316-402-8128

Address

120 East 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
Newton, KS 67114

## Lost Dog or Cat?

Check the Caring Hands Humane Society website for a list of found animals.

If your pet is listed, contact them during business hours to arrange pickup and pay any applicable fees.

If your animal is not on the list, contact Caring Hands at 316-283-0839 to give them your information and your animal's description to assist them in trying to reunite you and your animal.



# OUR PETS, OUR COMMUNITY



Tips and resources from the NPD Animal Control Officer to keep pets safe and happy.

[www.newtonkansas.com/animals](http://www.newtonkansas.com/animals)

# City Animal Ordinances



- Dogs and cats must be on a leash (or other approved tether) when not contained in a securely fenced yard.



- Animals that are kept outside must have adequate shelter, another source of shade (trees, tarps, etc.), food and water.



- A maximum of three dogs are allowed per residence. A maximum of three cats are allowed, but only two of the cats may be unspayed females.



- Dogs must maintain current vaccinations and be licensed. More licensing information is available at [newtonkansas.com/doglicenses](http://newtonkansas.com/doglicenses)



- Chickens, but not roosters, are allowed within the city limits only after a domestic animal permit has been issued to you by the Animal Control Officer.



- Dogs and cats may be picketed (kept on a tether) but must follow applicable rules found online under "City Animal Ordinances."



## WE CAN ALL DO OUR PART

Be a responsible pet owner and help protect your community:

- Clean up after your pet and dispose of waste properly.
- Follow local laws—licensing, leash rules, and noise control.
- Don't let pets roam or become feral.
- Help reduce pet overpopulation by spaying or neutering, keeping pets contained, or practicing responsible breeding.

## PET BASICS

### CARING FOR YOUR PET

#### Weather Awareness

If it's too hot or cold for you, it's too extreme for your pet. Always provide shade, shelter, and fresh water—and never leave animals in hot vehicles.

#### Veterinary Care

Regular vet visits help catch health issues early and keep your pet thriving. Stay up to date on vaccines, parasite prevention, nutrition, and dental care.

#### Quality of Life

Give your pet more than just food—offer exercise, companionship, mental stimulation, and training. Only keep the number of pets you can properly care for.

#### Safety & Security

Keep yards secure and supervise around doors and gates. Dogs should wear current ID tags and be microchipped with up-to-date contact info.



Scan the QR code for more information on City ordinances.

