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Date:

Our Ref:

APPLICATION TO KEEP MORE THAN THE PRESCRIBED NUMBER OF ANIMALS

Information for Applicant:

Clause 22 of the City of Ballarat's *Local Law number 2017* limits the number of animals allowed to be kept on a property as per the below extract.

22. KEEPING ANIMALS

22.1. An owner or occupier of any land must not, without a Permit:

22.1.1. keep or allow to be kept more than 6 different types of any Animal on any one parcel of land of 2 hectares or less at any time; and

22.1.2. must not keep or allow to be kept any more in number, for each type of Animal, than is set out in the Table of Animal Types and Numbers in this Clause

Penalty: 10 Penalty Units

	ANIMAL TYPE	URBAN RESIDENTIAL	RURAL RESIDENTIAL	RURAL
(a)	Dogs	2	2	5 (other than dogs kept for working stock /primary production)
(b)	Cats	2	2	2

Therefore, in order for a person to be allowed to keep more than the prescribed number of animals on a property, a permit is required.

To apply for a permit, please complete the attached application form and return it to Council as soon as possible.

On receipt of your application, a Council officer will review the application, conduct an inspection of the chosen property to determine suitability, and decide whether a permit will be granted.

A permit fee of **$210.00** is applicable upon approval, to which an invoice for payment will be issued and payable within 28 days.

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Pursuant to Council's *Local Law Number 2017* Part 2: Clause 22

FEE of $210.00 - payable after inspection

NAME: ....

ADDRESS: .....

PHONE: (H) ..... …… **(M)** .....

EMAIL: ……

Please list animals currently housed at your premises and those you are seeking a permit for.

Species & Breed	Animal Name	Colour	Sex	Ster Y/N	Microchip No.

Total number of animals ……..

By what method will these animals be controlled within the property? (i.e. fences, caging, etc)

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What is the purpose for which these animals are being kept?

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If you are keeping animals for the purpose of breeding, please supply Breeder's Permit details. You must include your current Applicable Organisation verification details, along with this completed form.

If yes to a breeding/showing permit, will these animals be interchangeable? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, you may not increase the number of animals approved on the permit but may change or replace once approved. Please note that all animals must be registered to their local municipality.

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Note: Written consent is to be obtained from the occupants of all properties abutting &/or nearby the property where the animal/s will be kept.

The undersigned have no objection to a Permit being granted for the specified excess animals to

be housed at.....

(Address where animals are to be kept)

which abuts (or nearby to) the property at which we reside.

NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	CONTACT NO.

Additional Comments:

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Applicant declaration
I, the undersigned, hereby make an application for excess animals at the property described above. I declare that the information contained in my application to be true and correct. **Signed……Date……**

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