

Waimate District Council Dog Control Annual Report 2021/22



The following dog control data relates to the 12 month period ending 30 June 2022.

Number of Registered Dogs in the District

Class	2020/21	2021/22
Pet, Working, and Rural Pet	2845	2938
Dangerous	1	3
Menacing	25	24
Total	2871	2965

Number and Nature of Dog Related Service Requests Received

Service Request	2020/21	2021/22
Wandering dogs	111	132
Barking dogs	55	38
Rushing dogs	10	14
Animal attacks	8	11
Person attacks	3	6
Wandering stock	46	62
Animal welfare	15	14
Total	248	277

Total Number of Disqualified Owners in the District

Period	2020/21	2021/22
Total	1	Nil

Number of Dogs Classified as Dangerous during the Reporting Year

Period	2020/21	2021/22
Total	Nil	2

Number of Dogs Classified as Menacing during the Reporting Year

Period	2020/21	2021/22
Total	1	3

Number of Infringement Notices Issued

Infringement		2020/21	2021/22
Failure to keep dog under control or confined on owner's property	s52A	1	Nil
Failure to keep dog under control	S53(1)	3	5
Failure to microchip dog	s33A(6)	12	14
Failure to register dog	s42	29	59
Failure to comply with classification	s33EC	Nil	1
Failure to carry leash	s54A	Nil	Nil
Failure to give information	s19(2)	Nil	Nil
Total		45	79

Note: The total number of infringement notices served excludes cancellations.

Number of Prosecutions Undertaken

Prosecutions	2020/21	2021/22
Total	Nil	Nil

Section 10A of the Dog Control Act 1996 (the Act) requires that Waimate District Council provides specific information to the Secretary for Local Government by way of an annual report each financial year (within one month of the Council adopting this report). This report is provided to satisfy that requirement.