

# Hobart/Lawrence Lost Pets

## at Packerland Veterinary Center

### Reclaiming A Lost Pet

All pets brought to Packerland Veterinary Center are held for 7 days, after which time they will then be transported to one of several adoption facilities. For the most up to date information regarding Hobart/Lawrence Lost Pets, please access the Lost Pet link at [www.packerlandvet.com](http://www.packerlandvet.com), which can provide you with animal information and their current location whether it is still during the 7-day hold period or they have been transferred to an adoption facility.

To reclaim a lost pet, we require the following:

- **Picture of the pet and/or Veterinary Records.** You must be able to provide some proof of ownership either by a visual identification method or by a description which accompanies a legal document.
- **Photo ID** of the owner. Should the owner be unable to reclaim their pet in person, they can elect an authorized individual whom he/she has given permission to reclaim the pet in their absence. The authorized individual **MUST** be 18 years of age and have a signed letter from the owner authorizing them to reclaim the pet. The authorized individual must also be prepared to show a photo ID.
- **Proof of Rabies Vaccination.** This can be in the form of a Rabies Certificate provided to you by the Veterinarian who administered the vaccination, or you can provide the name of the Veterinarian who performed the vaccination and Packerland Veterinary Center can call them during regular business hours to verify vaccination.
  - We **WILL NOT** accept a Rabies tag as proof of vaccination.
  - If your pet is not current on their Rabies vaccination you are required to pay a \$34 fee plus the price of an office visit and one of our doctors will vaccinate your pet for Rabies.
- **Hobart/Lawrence Dog/Cat License** (Residents). You must provide a written copy of your current Pet License. Should your pet not be licensed, you will need to obtain a license prior to picking your pet up.
  - **Payment of Reclaim Fees.** Reclaims of pets are available during normal business hours. We charge a \$60 intake fee plus \$42<sub>(plus tax)</sub> for every day that your pet is in our care. We accept cash, credit and debit cards.

When reclaiming your pet, please bring a collar/leash and/or carrier for the safe transport of your pet. We also recommend a pet ID tag for their collar and having your pet microchipped. Both identification options are available for a nominal fee if you are interested.

