

Dog Registration Fees

The Council will be sending out dog registration notices soon. In the meantime, if you own a dog and have moved during the last 12 months, please let us know your new address.

It's important we have your correct street address for any information we might send out. Our Dot It Online portal makes it easy to update details and register your dog. They are:

Registration Fee: Non-Working Dog	\$120
Less	
(a) Neutered or spayed	-\$40
(b) No dog complaints, impoundments or infringements within a two-year period	-\$20
Registration Fee Inclusive of (a) and (b)	\$60
Licence fee (three or more dogs)	\$150
Registration Fee: Working Dog	\$25
Plus	
Dog complaints, impoundment or infringement within a two year period	\$20
All new registrations for pups and dogs under three months of age reduced proportionately by one-twelfth (1/12) per month, according to the date registered	
Late Registration Fee	
Non-Working Dog	40%
Working Dog	40%
Pound Charges	
First impoundment – current registration	\$50
First impoundment – unregistered	\$80
Every subsequent impoundment	\$150
Euthanasia fees or veterinary costs	Cost
Daily care fee – includes: food, shelter and exercise	\$15
Microchipping	
Standard microchipping of dogs released from the pound	\$36
Non-standard microchipping procedures will be charged at cost	Cost
Additional fee for impounding or releasing dogs at weekends, public holidays or outside the Council's office hours	\$50

Upcoming Meetings

Please note - all meetings are subject to COVID-19 traffic light protocols in place at the time. Unless otherwise stated, meetings are held in the Council Chambers, 29 Bowler Avenue, Gore.

All meetings, except those in-committee, are live-streamed on the Council's YouTube channel www.youtube.com/GoreDC

Monday 27 June

The Mataura Community Board will hold its meeting, starting at 5:30pm, at the Elderly Citizens Centre, Mataura.

Tuesday 12 July

The Council will hold its monthly meeting, starting at 4:00pm.

Wednesday 22 July

The Council will hold an extraordinary meeting, starting at 4:00pm.

Agendas for all meetings, except those in committee, will be available on the Council's website www.goredc.govt.nz beforehand.

Creative Communities funding applications still open

Applications are still open for the latest round of funding from the Creative Communities Scheme.

The current funding round is for projects between 18 May and 31 October. We partner with Creative New Zealand to promote, support and increase participation in community arts and cultural activities within the Gore District. Any group, organisation or individual that meets the criteria can apply. For example, performances by community choirs, hip-hop groups, theatre companies, or art projects that enable young people (under 18 years) to engage with and participate in the arts.

Applications close at **5:00pm Wednesday 29 June**. For more information and the application form, visit the Council's Grants and Funding page on its website.

Matariki Weekend Hours

We will have staff on call across our various services over the Matariki long weekend. If there's an issue requiring urgent attention or noise control services, please phone **209-0330**. Non-urgent issues can be reported using the Antenna app, which you can download from the App Store or Google Play.

Gore Transfer Station

Closed: Friday
Open: Saturday 10:30am - 4:00pm
Sunday 12 noon - 4:00pm

Gore Aquatic Centre

Open: Friday 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Saturday 10:00am - 6:00pm
Sunday 10:00am - 6:00pm

Eastern Southland Gallery

Open: Friday 10:00am - 4:30pm
Saturday 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Sunday 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Closed Friday, Saturday, Sunday:

- Main Office
- Gore Library
- Mataura Library/Service Centre
- Gore Visitor Centre

Wheelie bin services across the District are unaffected by the long weekend.