Pet Microchipping

City of Stonnington is committed to returning lost animals to their owners.

Microchipped cats and dogs, wearing a Council-issued tag, have the best chance of being quickly returned.

Are your furry friends microchip details up-to-date?

If you don't know the answer, now is the time to act.

To find out if your pet's microchip details are up-to-date:
- » go to **petaddress.com.au**
- » enter their microchip number
- » contact the microchip registry your pet is listed with
- » check your contact details are correct

If you are unsure of your pet's microchip number?
Check your animal registration renewal form or contact your local veterinary clinic or shelter and arrange a time to have your pet scanned.

MY PET IS NAMED:

MICROCHIP NUMBER:
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Microchipping FAQs

What is a microchip?
A chip, the size of a rice grain, inserted between the shoulder blades of your feline or canine companion.

What is the purpose of a microchip?
To provide permanent identification of your pet.

When does microchipping occur?
Microchipping of cats and dogs must be done by 3 months of age.

Must an animal be microchipped before registration with Council?
Yes, microchipping is a condition of registration with Council (which is compulsory once your cat or dog is 3 months old).

When must your pet wear a Council-issued tag?
All cats and dogs must wear a Council tag when outside their premises.

Where can I find more information on microchipping?
For more information on microchipping, please visit the Animal Welfare Victoria website at **agriculture.vic.gov.au/livestock-and-animals/animal-welfare-victoria**

Keeping Council registration and microchip registry details up-to-date will help ensure that your pet is quickly and safely returned in the event of becoming lost.