

Dog control

Animal Control Officer

Leduc County employs a contracted Animal Control Officer (ACO).

This officer only deals with dogs.

Responsibilities of the ACO include:

- monitoring and investigating dog complaints from county residents
- making every effort to reunite dogs with their owners
- making every effort to have unclaimed dogs readopted by a new family



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Enforcement Services

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EMERGENCIES: CALL 9-1-1

Animal Control Officer: 780-975-4435

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Requirement of dog owners

According to Leduc County Dog Control bylaw 22-05, **dog owners must do the following:**

- Ensure your dog is not running at large
- Immediately remove your dog's waste from any property other than your own
- Keep your dog from becoming a public nuisance (barking; chasing livestock, bicycles, vehicles or people)
- Ensure your dog does not cause damage to property or other animals
- Ensure your dog does not upset or scatter the contents of waste receptacles

Failure to abide by this bylaw may result in fines.



Lost and found pets

The Animal Control Officer (ACO) keeps a detailed list of all missing or lost dogs in Leduc County.

If your dog is missing, please report it along with your name, phone number and description of the dog to the ACO by calling 780-955-5005.

The ACO may capture and impound a dog if he/she believes that an offence under Leduc County's Dog Control bylaw (22-05) has been committed.

The ACO will then deliver the dog to the pound or to a caretaker. Leduc County uses a no-kill pound facility. Any dogs not claimed are put up for adoption.

For more information on lost dogs, please contact Black Gold Kennels at 780-980-2897.

Identify your pet

It is recommended that your dog have identification in the form of a collar, ID tag, tattoo or microchip. In the event that your dog goes missing, a dog with identification will be reunited with its owner much sooner than a dog without identification.

Reporting an incident

If you witness a violation of the dog control bylaw or are bitten/ attacked by a dog, please contact the ACO with the following information:

- your name, address and phone number
- location of the dog (*if known*)
- brief detail of the incident
- location and time of the incident
- description of the dog including any identifying features
- where the dog lives and their owner

Have a concern?

Contact **Leduc County Animal Control** at **780-955-5005**

