

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

Town of Brookline
Parks and Open Space Division
Green Dog Program

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Please make sure this form is fully completed and the following is also attached:
1) Appropriate financial information 2) Green Dog Registration & Licensing Application

The Town of Brookline provides programs to residents that are open to people of all ages, economic levels, and abilities. The Town does not discriminate based on age, race, ethnicity, economic background, sexual orientation, or disability. The Town of Brookline provides financial assistance for individuals who have demonstrated an economic hardship so that they may be able to participate in the Green Dog Program. Financial assistance is available to Brookline residents only.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1. Fill out the application form and attach verification of income.**
- 2. Fill out a registration form.** *You must return all of your green dog and dog licensing paperwork with this application form in addition to your dogs up-to-date rabies certificate.*
- 3. You will be notified within 10 business days.** *Please allow this time for processing.*

***Verification of all household income is required.
Examples include, but are not limited to:***

1. Earnings from Work

Wages/Salaries/Tips
Strike Benefits
Unemployment Compensation
Worker's Compensation
Income from Self-Owned Business/Farm

3. Welfare/Child Support/Alimony

Public Assistance Payments
Welfare Payments
Alimony/Child Support Payments

2. Pensions/Retirement/Social Security

Pensions
Supplemental Security Income
Retirement Income
Veteran's Payments
Social Security

3. Other Income

Disability Benefits
Cash Withdrawn from Savings
Interest/Dividends
Income from Estates/Trusts/Investments
Net Royalties/Annuities/Net Rental Income
Any Other Income

- **Confidentiality:** *The Town will use the information on the application only to decide if you qualify to receive financial assistance for the Green Dog Program.*
- **Application Frequency:** *Only one application for financial assistance is required per calendar year for all requested assistance.*
- **Questions?** *Please call us at 617.879.5650*

Financial assistance is limited. Please apply early.

