# Keeping of Animals Bylaw (cats) November 2026 submission form

**Submissions are due by 5 pm Friday 11 December 2026.**

***Late submissions may not be accepted.***

The provision of your personal information is optional, however, should you provide this information please note your name and organisation may be included in papers for the public and media. Information you have provided will only be used for the purpose of the consultation on the Keeping of Animals Bylaw review. The Council will collect, use and store your information in accordance with the Privacy Policy which can be found on the Council website www.dunedin.govt.nz/privacy-policy . If you would like a copy of the personal information we hold about you, or to have the information corrected, please contact us at dcc@dcc.govt.nz or 03 477 4000.

**Send to:** Keeping of Animals Bylaw
Dunedin City Council
PO Box 5045
Dunedin 9054

**Deliver:** Keeping of Animals Bylaw
DCC Customer Services Centre
Civic Centre
50 The Octagon
Dunedin

**Online:** www.dunedin.govt.nz/consultation
**Email:** AnimalRules@dcc.govt.nz

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Organisation (if applicable): _____

Postal address: _____

Postcode: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

### *Would you like to speak to the hearing panel in person?*

*(If you do not tick a box, we will assume you do not wish to be heard.)*

❑ Yes ❑ No

If you wish to speak, you will be contacted with a speaking time as soon as possible after submissions close. *(Note: You may also be able to present your views by audio or audio-visual link.)*

**You may answer as many or as few questions as you wish.**

1. Which option do you support in relation to managing cat-related issues in Dunedin?

   - Option 1 (proposed): Mandatory microchipping and de-sexing
   - Option 2: No bylaw rules – but promote and educate on responsible cat ownership
   - Other, please specify:
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   Please explain your answer:
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2. Do you have any other comments relating to cat management in Dunedin?
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**Remember your submission needs to reach the Council by 5 pm Friday 11 December 2026.**

Thank you for your feedback.