



# County of Fairfax, Virginia

To protect and enrich the quality of life for the people, neighborhoods, and diverse communities of Fairfax County

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To Whom It May Concern:

The Animal Control Division of the Fairfax County Police Department is sending this letter to notify you that recently there has been a rabies exposure to a person and/or pet from wildlife which lives within your association. The animal, a fox, was picked up by an animal control officer and was transferred to the Health Department for rabies testing where it did test positive for the rabies virus.

Lt. Colonel  
Charles K. Peters  
Deputy Chief of Police  
for Patrol

Our goal at the Animal Control Division is first to prevent human exposure to rabies through education, and second to give suggestions on how to co-exist with wildlife. The Animal Control Division would like you to advise the home owners within your association that all cats and dogs 4 months of age or older are required to be vaccinated against rabies. Also, all dogs of 4 months of age or older are required to have a current Fairfax County Dog License.

Lt. Colonel  
Stephen L. Sellers  
Deputy Chief of  
Police for  
Administration

For more information about rabies in Fairfax County and the rabies virus, please call **703-324-2483** and for more information on how to obtain a dog license please visit:

[http://www.co.fairfax.va.us/dta/pdf\\_files/pddogapp.pdf](http://www.co.fairfax.va.us/dta/pdf_files/pddogapp.pdf)

Michael Lucas  
Chief Animal Control  
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Sincerely,

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Director of Animal Control

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