

# Feral Cat Colony Caretaker Registration Form



If you are a resident in the township of North Bergen, you may register your feral cat colony with the North Bergen Township TNR coordinator and receive the benefits and protection of North Bergen Township ordinance 513-21. You may view the ordinance at [www.northbergen.org](http://www.northbergen.org).

Registering your colony with the Township will assist us for data tracking and statistical purposes only.

**Please provide the following information:**

Primary Colony Caretaker Name	
Address	
Phone	
Email Address	
Secondary Colony Caretaker Name	
Phone	
Email Address	
Sponsor Group	
Sponsor Group Email Address	

## Feral Cat Colony Census

When completed either email to [rmorano@northbergen.org](mailto:rmorano@northbergen.org) or drop off at the Health Department, 1116 43rd Street North Bergen, NJ 07047 1st Floor

Sponsor Organization		Email		Phone	
Colony Caretaker		Email		Phone	
Colony Location		Location Zip Code		Colony Start Date	
Report Date		# of cats		# of kittens	
# of TNRs Done		# of deaths		# disappeared	

	Color	Breed	Sex	TNR date	Rabies vaccination #	Microchip # (optional)	Description of cat and notes
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Doing a census of feral cat colonies is not an exact science. Please provide the information to the best of your ability.

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### Instructions and definitions:

<b>Colony sponsor.</b>	Approved animal rescue or humane society that you are working with to manage your colony.
<b>Colony caretaker</b>	Any person who provides food, water, shelter and medical care to and traps, sterilizes, and vaccinates a feral cat or cats and who is approved by a sponsor to care for a feral cat colony.
<b>Colony location</b>	Where the colony is located. This can either be the address where the primary feeding station is located or the nearest street intersection for a larger neighborhood colony.
<b>Location Zip code</b>	The Zip code of the colony location.
<b>Colony start date</b>	The approximate date when the management of the colony started.
<b>Report date</b>	The date that this census document is being completed.
<b>Number of cats</b>	The number of cats currently believed to be in the colony. This includes "Number of kittens" and any new members.
<b>Number of kittens</b>	The number of kittens believed to have been born in the colony in the last year. This also includes new kittens of unknown origin. This number is included in the "Number of cats".
<b>Number of TNRs done</b>	The number of "Trap, Neuter, and Release" done in the last year. If this is the first time the colony has been counted then this will be the number of cats currently in the colony who have had TNR.
<b>Number of deaths</b>	The number of verified deaths in the last year. This requires actually finding the body.
<b>Number disappeared</b>	The number of cats included in the last census that are no longer in the colony.
<b>Color</b>	Basic color(s) of the cat. Tan, Orange, Gray, Black, White, Calico. For multi colors use short form, B/W, G/W, etc. Solid, dull and bright can also be included.
<b>Breed</b>	Most are actually mixed breeds so an exact breed is not needed. The basic breeds are Domestic short hair (DSH), Domestic long hair (DLH), Black and white (B/W), Tabby, Tortoise shell (Torti), Calico, Siamese.
<b>Sex</b>	Gender, if known.
<b>TNR date</b>	Date TNR done. If this cat has not been done please enter "NO" to indicate this cat has not been trapped.
<b>Rabies vaccination #</b>	Most feral cats will not have rabies vaccination tags or numbers. It will be assumed that it has been vaccinated if it has been TNR'd.
<b>Microchip #</b>	Most feral cats will not have microchips. We will explore an opportunity to implement this for positive identification in the future.
<b>Description of cat and notes</b>	Extra information on cat including vet visits, health issues, condition, or further identification information.
<b>Did I miss something?</b>	Contact NB TNR Coordinator Robert Morano @ 201-392-2084 or drop off at the Health Department, 1116 43rd Street North Bergen, NJ 07047 1st Floor