

Number of dog attack incidents reported by all councils from 1 October 2023 to 31 December 2023 (2nd Quarter 2023/24)

A dog attack can include any incident where a dog rushes at, attacks, bites, harasses or chases any person or animal (other than vermin), whether or not any injury is caused to the person or animal.

(A) Council Name	(B) Total dog attack incidents reported ¹	Attacks on People			(F) Total animals attacked	(G) Number of Microchipped dogs in LGA ⁴
		(C) No of people involved in serious attacks ²	(D) No of people involved in less serious attacks ³	(E) Total number of people attacked		
Albury City Council	16	3	5	8	15	36,430
Armidale Regional Council	6	0	1	1	6	23,518
Ballina Shire Council	22	4	8	12	16	17,762
Balranald Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	456
Bathurst Regional Council	4	2	1	3	2	34,036
Bayside Council	32	5	21	26	19	27,886
Bega Valley Shire Council	10	2	0	2	8	23,553
Bellingen Shire Council	4	2	2	4	1	6,898
Berrigan Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	6,126
Blacktown City Council	85	17	44	61	48	102,063
Bland Shire Council	1	0	0	0	1	3,747
Blayney Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	8,086
Blue Mountains City Council	13	0	9	9	10	35,274
Bogan Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	3,381
Bourke Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	3,265
Brewarrina Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	1,493
Broken Hill City Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	16,299
Burwood Council	2	1	1	2	0	5,774
Byron Shire Council	14	0	11	11	7	13,970
Cabonne Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	10,894
Camden Council	13	4	5	9	16	42,573
Campbelltown City Council	26	9	6	15	15	59,216
Canada Bay Council, City of	9	3	3	6	5	16,226
Canterbury-Bankstown Council	23	10	10	20	7	56,391
Carrathool Shire Council	1	0	0	0	1	2,338
Central Coast Council	54	7	27	34	43	157,799
Central Darling Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	1,393

Cessnock City Council	13	3	5	8	10	46,727
City of Parramatta Council	9	3	3	6	4	37,930
Clarence Valley Council	28	6	13	19	31	32,916
Cobar Shire Council	1	0	1	1	0	5,061
Coffs Harbour City Council	14	1	9	10	7	36,727
Coolamon Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	4,707
Coonamble Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	4,828
Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council	4	1	0	1	12	10,854
Cowra Shire Council	15	0	11	11	21	10,751
Cumberland Council	7	3	4	7	4	29,259
Dubbo Regional Council	15	4	8	12	9	38,449
Dungog Shire Council	1	1	0	1	0	7,866
Edward River Council	1	0	0	0	10	6,501
Eurobodalla Shire Council	2	0	2	2	1	23,875
Fairfield City Council	12	3	1	4	9	37,575
Federation Council	1	0	0	0	1	8,186
Forbes Shire Council	4	1	2	3	5	7,215
Georges River Council	7	2	2	4	5	25,019
Gilgandra Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	3,548
Glen Innes Severn Council	1	0	1	1	0	9,184
Goulburn Mulwaree Council	4	2	1	3	2	20,985
Greater Hume Shire Council	1	0	0	0	1	9,446
Griffith City Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	12,392
Gunnedah Shire Council	2	0	1	1	1	13,235
Gwydir Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,717
Hawkesbury City Council	10	6	4	10	3	49,579
Hay Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	3,601
Hills Shire Council, The	22	5	9	14	12	53,704
Hilltops Council	4	0	2	2	3	15,064
Hornsby, The Council of the Shire of	20	5	5	10	13	41,264
Hunters Hill, The Council of the Municipality of	1	1	0	1	0	3,639
Inner West Council	16	7	2	9	10	42,894
Inverell Shire Council	8	0	0	0	31	16,587
Junee Shire Council	2	0	0	0	2	4,858
Kempsey Shire Council	1	0	0	0	2	19,398
Kiama, The Council of the Municipality of	1	0	1	1	0	8,756
Ku-ring-gai Council	4	1	2	3	2	31,030
Kyogle Council	5	1	3	4	2	6,737

Lachlan Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,273
Lake Macquarie City Council	45	11	16	27	29	102,877
Lane Cove Municipal Council	2	0	1	1	1	7,409
Leeton Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	9,010
Lismore City Council	16	0	9	9	7	20,759
Lithgow Council, City of	5	0	7	7	1	17,760
Liverpool City Council	8	0	5	5	4	57,729
Liverpool Plains Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	8,769
Lockhart Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	2,471
Lord Howe Island Board	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	79
Maitland City Council	49	10	28	38	31	46,840
Mid-Coast Council	13	6	4	10	7	55,441
Mid-Western Regional Council	2	0	0	0	2	22,704
Moree Plains Shire Council	8	0	5	5	5	10,089
Mosman Municipal Council	4	4	0	4	0	6,906
Murray River Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	7,335
Murrumbidgee Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	2,400
Muswellbrook Shire Council	3	2	1	3	4	12,771
Nambucca Valley Council	6	2	0	2	4	10,329
Narrabri Shire Council	3	1	1	2	1	10,273
Narrandera Shire Council	2	0	0	0	2	5,023
Narromine Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,620
Newcastle City Council	16	5	9	14	5	62,760
North Sydney Council	6	3	1	4	3	10,181
Northern Beaches Council	47	8	18	26	34	72,178
Oberon Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	7,267
Orange City Council	17	5	7	12	9	27,471
Parkes Shire Council	4	0	3	3	5	11,090
Penrith City Council	20	10	3	13	11	91,254
Port Macquarie-Hastings Council	32	3	14	17	25	40,560
Port Stephens Council	6	0	4	4	14	40,422
Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council	12	3	4	7	11	35,660
Randwick City Council	11	2	1	3	9	25,450
Richmond Valley Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	15,611
Ryde City Council	17	1	7	8	12	19,468
Shellharbour City Council	11	1	5	6	7	35,561
Shoalhaven City Council	72	13	50	63	44	58,624
Singleton Shire Council	3	0	3	3	2	17,625

Snowy Monaro Regional Council	8	0	1	1	9	13,399
Snowy Valleys Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	12,737
Strathfield Municipal Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,668
Sutherland Shire Council	28	9	8	17	16	55,694
Sydney, Council of the City of	31	13	7	20	15	32,869
Tamworth Regional Council	6	0	5	5	8	48,620
Temora Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	4,227
Tenterfield Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	4,156
Tweed Shire Council	10	4	4	8	3	37,233
Upper Hunter Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	13,154
Upper Lachlan Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	9,173
Uralla Shire Council	3	0	1	1	12	7,115
Wagga Wagga City Council	26	5	13	18	25	47,903
Walcha Council	3	0	2	2	3	2,076
Walgett Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,401
Warren Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	2,106
Warrumbungle Shire Council	1	0	0	0	10	9,952
Waverley Council	6	3	1	4	2	13,789
Weddin Shire Council	1	0	0	0	1	2,935
Wentworth Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	5,457
Willoughby City Council	2	0	0	0	2	13,194
Wingecarribee Shire Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	32,175
Wollondilly Shire Council	12	1	7	8	21	39,843
Wollongong City Council	60	16	39	55	43	75,784
Woollahra Municipal Council	5	0	4	4	2	12,700
Yass Valley Council	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	No Attacks reported	13,982
Total	1,213	266	544	810	894	2,983,302

1. As an incident may involve multiple people and/or animals the total dog attack incidents reported for each council in columns E and F may not necessarily add up to the total incidents
2. These are attacks where a person was involved AND where the injury resulted in medical treatment, hospitalisation or death.
3. These are attacks where a person was involved but no injury required medical treatment etc.
4. The number of dogs microchipped in an LGA may not reflect the total number of dogs residing in that LGA.