

TOWN OF SARATOGA

2019 TAX COLLECTION www.saratogawisconsin.org

NEW LOCATION FOR TAX COLLECTION (4 OPTIONS to choose from)

Options 1 & 2 (Office or Mail)

Office Hours of Collection are as follows:

Town of Saratoga Office

1120 St Hwy 73 South

Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494

Dec. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23, 26, 27, 30 & 31, 2019 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

January 2020 Tuesday's and Thursday's only 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Non-Cash Payments may also be mailed to the office at the above address

or placed in locked drop box in front of office. If you have any questions please call the office at 715-325-5204.

*Please
make
cash tax
payments
to the
bank.*

**Tax Payment Stub
MUST
accompany payment.**

*Please
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to the
bank.*

Options 3 & 4 (Bank or Online)

NEKOOSA PORT EDWARDS STATE BANK (Nekoosa Branch Only)

405 Market St - Nekoosa Branch ONLY (Tax payment stub required with payment.)

Lobby hours only: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Friday 9:00 am - 5:30 pm & Saturday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

They will also accept dog license payments ONLY until 1/31/2020!

(License/s will be mailed by Saratoga Treasurer)

**Tax and Dog License
payments at the bank
are only accepted until
January 31, 2020.**

Electronic Checking Payments or Credit/Debit Card Payments Online

go to www.saratogawisconsin.org then click on the **Point & Pay** link. Additional charges apply.

E-Check rate-Flat Fee \$1.50 Credit Card rate: 2.39% of total tax being paid, Visa Debit rate-\$3.95.

Due to safety concerns for the residents and Town workers, the Town Board encourages

ALL CASH TAX payments please be made at the Nekoosa Port Edwards State Bank in Nekoosa.

ATTENTION ALL DOG OWNERS- DOG LICENSE DUE DATE IS MARCH 31, 2020

Dogs more than 5 months old within the license year must obtain a dog license. **All dogs must be inoculated for Rabies and must be licensed under penalty of law.** (ss.174.05 (10)). No license will be issued without proof of rabies inoculation certificate. Licenses are due MARCH 31, 2020. (Late fee applies.) \$15 late fee will be given to anyone getting a 5-day ticket for not having their dog licensed.

You **MUST** have the **rabies certificate for each dog with your current mailing address written on it.** PLEASE SEND RABIES CERTIFICATE ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO: (or leave with the bank with tax payment)

Town of Saratoga 1120 St. Hwy 73 So. Wisconsin Rapids WI 54494

LICENSE FEES are: Spayed Female/Neutered Male \$3.00 (If late, **add \$15** per each dog)
Female/Male \$8.00 (If late, **add \$15** per each dog)
Multiple (1 to 12 dogs) \$35.00 + \$3.00 over 12. (If late, **add \$15**)

Citations will be issued to dog owners or keepers of unlicensed and/or dogs running at large

When using the mail or the bank listed above, the rabies certificates & license will be mailed back to you.

PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU NO LONGER HAVE A DOG THAT WAS LICENSED IN 2019.

SARATOGA EMS

ARE YOU PREPARED IN THE EVENT OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY?

It is important to keep certain medical information readily available in case of emergencies. Please take the time today to prepare with the following information to provide EMS in the event they are called to your home:

Name _____ Address _____
Zip _____ Phone# _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____
Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone# _____
Allergies _____
Implanted Devices (Example: Prosthetics, Pace Maker, ICD, etc) _____
Medical Aids (Examples: Dentures, glasses, etc) _____
Current Medications (include over-the-counter medicines and vitamins) _____

Diagnosed Medical Conditions (examples: high blood pressure, diabetic, congestive heart failure, seizures, etc) _____

Do you have a Living Will? Yes or No If yes, where is it located? _____

Do you have a DNR? Yes or No If yes, see State S154.25(6) requirements to be valid: S154.25(6) VALID DO-NOT-RESUSCITATE BRACELET. A do-not-resuscitate bracelet that has not been removed, altered, or tampered with in any way shall be presumed valid, unless the patient, the patient's guardian, or the patient's health care agent expresses to the emergency medical services practitioner, emergency medical responder, or emergency health care facility personnel the patient's desire to be resuscitated.

DID YOU RECEIVE YOUR LOTTERY & GAMING CREDIT????

If you do not have a Lottery & Gaming credit on your tax bill you may still be eligible.

To Qualify: You must own a home in Wisconsin.

AND: Your home must have been occupied as a PRIMARY residence on January 1, 2019.

- A. A primary residence is the home in which a property owner lives for more than six months of the year.
- B. If temporarily away, a primary residence is the home to which the owner returns.

If you feel you qualify for the credit and there is not a lottery credit on your tax bill, go to

<http://www.dor.state.wi.us/forms/lottery/lc-100.pdf>

Fill it out, then print the document and send it in with your payment prior to February 1, 2020.

Advanced Disposal provides the Town's Garbage & Recycling services. If you have large furniture, old carpet and mattresses YOU MUST contact them to hear how to prepare the load for a special pick-up at **715-421-3939**.

Ordinance No. 11-27-2007, Town of Saratoga, Wood County-

Section 1 A. Winter Parking Restrictions:

- a. During the period of November 1 through April 15, it shall be unlawful to park any vehicle on the town road right-of-way. Any vehicle found parked upon the town road right-of-way during this time period may be towed, at the owner's expense, if the Town Road Lead man and/or Town Board Member shall deem necessary for the health and safety of the residents of the Town of Saratoga.
- b. Penalties shall apply as referenced in 11-27-2007.

It is unlawful to plow snow on to the road right-of-way or across the road according to Wis. Statute 346.94(5).

The Town of Saratoga is not responsible for mail boxes that get damaged or knocked over by the snowplows.