



Village of Holmen Newsletter 2016

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Treasurer's Tax Collection

Tax Collection at the Village Treasurer's Office 8:00 am - 4:30 pm.

A Drop-off Box (outside front of bldg.) is available for payments.

GovPayNow.com or 1-888-604-7888 is available for credit card payments 24/7. Pay location code for Real Estate Tax is "5990".

First Installment is payable to "Village of Holmen Treasurer".

Check your tax bill for a lottery credit, if you are eligible.

First installment is due by January 31, 2016.

Any taxes paid after January 31, 2016 are:

Payable to: La Crosse County Treasurer

Mail to: 400 4th St. N
 La Crosse, WI 54601

To Check Taxes Online

Go to the Village Website at:

www.holmenwi.com.

Click on Village Department, then Clerk/Treasurer, then Property Taxes. Click on La Crosse County Land Records Site. Enter information into the boxes and click the **Search** tab. Then click on name at bottom of the page. The next screen is all your info and on the right side of the screen, click on the **Taxes** tab and your current year tax information will appear.

2016 Dog Licenses

All dogs over 5 months old must be licensed by April 1, 2016.

Proof of rabies vaccination must be presented to obtain a dog license.

Fees are Male/Female \$21.00 and Neutered Male/Spayed Female \$11.00.

Late Tags-**after April 1st**-extra \$25-must be purchased from the La Crosse County Clerk.

Limit of 3 dogs/3 cats, with a combination of no more than 4 animals per household.

No cat license is required in the Village of Holmen.

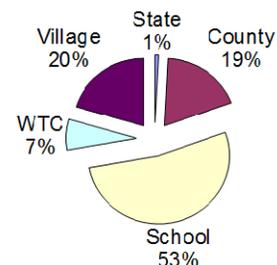
2015 Tax Levy

State	\$ 96,866.50
County	\$ 2,287,615.42
Holmen School	\$ 6,409,851.82
WTC	\$ 900,378.57
Village of Holmen	\$ 2,503,193.70
State School Credit	\$ (1,099,941.38)
Totals	\$ 11,097,964.63

2016 Elections @ Village Hall 7:00 am - 8:00 pm

- * Spring Primary Election February 16, 2016
- * Spring Election April 5, 2016
- * Fall Primary Election August 9, 2016
- * General Election November 8, 2016

For complete information about the Voter ID Law and its requirements, visit: **BRINGIT.WISCONSIN.GOV**



Village Board Members

Village President	Nancy Proctor	526-4434
Village Trustee	Rich Anderson	526-2155
Village Trustee	Bill Ebner	526-9009
Village Trustee	Steve Johnston	385-2849
Village Trustee	Doug Jorstad	317-4514
Village Trustee	Dawn Kulcinski	792-9612
Village Trustee	Chuck Olson	526-3129

Refuse & Recycling Questions

Hilltopper Refuse 783-6727
Village Hall 526-4336

Refer to Recycling Brochure or the Village Website for all information.

You must call Hilltopper Refuse to have large items/appliances/electronics picked up.

The Pick Up Day for large items is Thursdays.

Meeting Information

- Board meeting - 7:00 pm, **2nd** Thursday of month.
- Finance/Personnel meeting - 5:00 pm, Tuesday before the Village Board meeting.
- Public Works meeting - 6:30 pm, **1st** Thursday of month.
- Law Enforcement meeting - 6:00 pm, **1st** Tuesday of month.
- Park/Rec/Library meeting - 5:30 pm, **1st** Wednesday of month.
- Planning Comm. meeting - 6:30 pm, **last** Tuesday of month.
- Monthly meeting notices will be printed in the Holmen Courier and posted at the Village Hall, Holmen Post Office and Holmen Library, as well as our Village Website.

Park Shelter &**Band Shell Rentals**

2016 Shelter and Band Shell Reservations will be accepted beginning Monday, January 4, 2016, from 8:00 am - 4:30 pm. Our most popular rentals are the two new enclosed shelters at Halfway Creek Park (West and East Shelters).

Reserve facilities at the Holmen Village Hall Office (421 S. Main St.), by phone at 526-2152, or online at www.holmenwi.com/holmenpr.

[Having a Garage/Rummage Sale? Advertise it on the Village of Holmen's website.](#)

Useful Information

Compost Site: Hours for 2016 are as follows - Mondays and Wednesdays, 2:00 - 6:00 pm and Saturdays, 8:00 - 4:00 pm.
Brush Chipping: Brush will be chipped at curbside commencing the first Monday of every month. **Branches Only.**
Sidewalk Snow & Ice Removal: No more than 48 hours after the storm, or you may be fined. Clear mailboxes of snow. Keep fire hydrants cleared of snow for your safety.
Alternate Side Parking: In effect November 1 thru April 1.
Burning is strictly prohibited in the Village of Holmen.

Utility Services

Refuse/Large Item/Recycling	\$37.00/quarter
Sewer	\$15.50/quarter plus \$6.60/1000 gallons
Stormwater	\$12.00/quarter runoff unit charge
Water (current 3/4" meter rate)	\$15.00/quarter plus \$1.88/1000 gallons
Public Fire Protection (current 3/4" meter rate)	\$14.30/quarter

2016 Rates for Residential Property

Water and Public Fire Protection Rates are expected to increase 24% beginning the 2nd quarter of 2016. The rates were last adjusted eight years ago in 2008.

Utility payments can be made at the Village Office 8:00 am - 4:30 pm weekdays. The Drop-off Box (outside front of bldg.) is available for payments 24/7. GovPayNow.com or 1-888-604-7888 is available for credit card payments 24/7. Pay location code for **Utilities is "5993"**. Residential customer's sewer bill is adjusted during summer months for water used for irrigation. For details on this program, contact the Village Utility Department.

The Village of Holmen will continue DNR mandated Cross Connection Inspections. If you are contacted by our contractor, please schedule an appointment with them.