



Town of Wascott

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Tax Payments – All real estate property tax payments are to be paid to the Douglas County Treasurer. The County has installed a "Payment Drop Box" across from the Government Center. Receipts for property tax payments will be mailed if a stamped self-addressed envelope is included with the payment. You may pay online by going to www.douglascountywi.org.
Note: *Personal Property tax payments are to be paid to the Clerk's Office of the Town of Wascott.*

Town Hall Reservations – The Town Hall is available for rental at a fee of \$50/resident and \$100/non-resident. Forms are available on the town's website or by contacting the Clerk's office. An addition to the Town Hall is underway to accommodate larger groups. Completion will be late Spring 2019.

2019 Dog Licenses – Dog Licenses are due by April 1 of each year. Each owner of a dog more than 5 months of age on January 1 of any year, or 5 months of age within the license year, is required to pay a dog license fee and obtain a license from the Clerk's Office. Forms are available on the town's website.

Building Permits – Construction or remodeling of any structure in the Town of Wascott requires a building permit. To begin the process, contact the Douglas County Zoning Office at 715/395-1380 to complete an application for a Conditional Use Permit. Once approved and permits are issued by DC Zoning, the applicant needs to apply for a Town of Wascott Building Permit. Fee - \$50.

Elections – A Spring Election will be held on April 2, 2019. If a Primary is necessary, the Primary will be held on Tuesday, February 19, 2019. The following officers are to be elected to succeed the present incumbents – Town Board Chair, James Boughner; Town Board Supervisor Jan Jenson; Town Board Supervisor Ronald Burnside; Clerk/Treasurer, Jeannette Atkinson. The term for all officers is two years beginning on Tuesday, April 16, 2019.

Annual Town Meeting of the electors will be held on **Saturday, April 20, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Wascott Town Hall.

Open Book and Board of Review – If a taxpayer thinks there is an error in assessment, the Open Book is the time when you have the opportunity to discuss the issue with the assessor. If you do not come to a resolution at the Open Book meeting, you may make an appointment to appear before the Board of Review. At any time, you may contact Bowmar Appraisal, at 715/835-1141 to discuss your assessment questions. Notices of the Open Book and Board of Review will be published on the town's website and bulletin boards. Typically, the meetings have been held in August.

Wascott Fire Department Open House will be held on **Saturday, June 15, 2019 from 11:00-2:00 p.m.** at the Fire Hall.

Wascott Historical Park - Open Houses will be held Saturdays & Sundays, 1-3 p.m. the first weekend of June, July and August.

Monthly Board Meetings are typically held on the first Tuesday of each month. Review of the financial claims is at 6:30 p.m. with the Regular Town Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Refer to the Town's website for all scheduled Board/Committee meetings.

"Season's Greetings"

*Chair Jim Boughner, Supervisors Ron Burnside, Jan Jenson and
Clerk/Treasurer Jeannette Atkinson*