

**DOG LICENSES WILL BE DUE BY  
APRIL 1ST, 2021**



**Please make sure your dog licenses are up to date. If you are new to the Village of Minong, you must come in to get your dog licensed.**

Pursuant to WI Stat/ 174-052, notice is hereby given to all Washburn County dog owners that you are required to license and vaccinate for rabies under the provisions of WI State. 95.21(2), any dog over 5 months of age. The license year is from Jan 1—Dec 31. Dogs not licensed within 30 days of ownership or after 5 months of age will be subject to a late fee of not less than \$5 per dog and will be subject to citation and forfeiture.

- Neutered Male-\$5.00
- Spayed Female-\$5.00
- Male-\$10.00
- Female-\$10.00
- Multi-Dog -\$50.00



**Pedestrians Walking Their Dogs in The Village of Minong**

This is a friendly reminder that if you have your dogs at large in your yard please remember to keep them in your yard!

Per Sec. 6-5 of the Village Ordinances, pets allowed to enter the street is considered an animal at large and owner negligence for not properly restraining or supervising your dog while they are outside. **This is a violation of the Village ordinances 6-5 and you can be fined if your dog is repeatedly trespassing on the neighbors property or running onto village streets after cars or pedestrians.** Please be a good neighbor, and also help keep your furry family member safe!



**SIDEWALK MAINTENANCE**

This is another friendly reminder to property owners of their responsibility to keep their sidewalks free of snow and ice per Village Ordinance Sec 30-57, pertaining to the maintenance of sidewalks. Any owner, occupant or person in charge of any parcel or lot which fronts upon or adjoins any sidewalk shall keep the sidewalk bare of snow and ice. Removal shall take place within 48 hours from the time the snow ceases to accumulate on the sidewalk. If ice has formed in such a manner, that it cannot be removed, salt or sand should be sprinkled to permit safe travel by pedestrians. The village does have the authority to issue tickets and have the sidewalks cleaned at the owners expense, but would much rather not have to go to such extremes. As always, the Village of Minong thanks you for your efforts.

**The Village of Minong  
Newsletter**



**NOTICE OF SPRING ELECTION VILLAGE OF MINONG APRIL 6, 2021**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an election is to be held in the Village of Minong, on Tuesday, April 6, 2021, the following offices are to be elected to succeed the present incumbents listed. The term for Village Trustees begin on April 27, 2021.

**Office /Incumbent**

- Village President Larry Lee
- Village Trustee Lorrie Money
- Village Trustee Casey Haime
- Village Trustee Linda Ellenberger



NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that if a Primary is necessary, the Primary will be held on Tuesday, February 16, 2021.

Janel Lee, Clerk Treasurer  
Village of Minong





### 2020-21 TAX PAYMENT INFORMATION

If you pay your property taxes using the installment plan, or pay them in full, the due date will be January 31, 2021 payable at the Village Hall Office. All personal property taxes, special assessments, special charges and special taxes are due in full by January 31, 2021 payable at the Village Office. In addition, all general real property taxes of \$99.99 or less per parcel, must be paid in full. ❁

The Village of Minong now accepts payment via credit card or debit card at the Village office, or you can pay by going to our website, [www.villageofminong.org](http://www.villageofminong.org) and click on “Pay Your Property Taxes Online”. **The second installment of property taxes cannot be paid to the Village of Minong on our website or in person after January 31st, 2021.** It is payable to Washburn County Treasurer and can be sent to their address Attn: Nicole Tims, Treasurer P.O. Box 340 10 Fourth Avenue Shell Lake, WI 54871 or paid online at [www.co.washburn.wi.us/land-tax-info/](http://www.co.washburn.wi.us/land-tax-info/).

#### PENALTIES

Interest on delinquent taxes is calculated at the rate of 1% per month starting February 1st, 2021. Please pay careful attention to the amounts and due dates printed on the front of your tax bill. You will be charged interest on your delinquent taxes if you fail to pay the correct amount by the date specified.

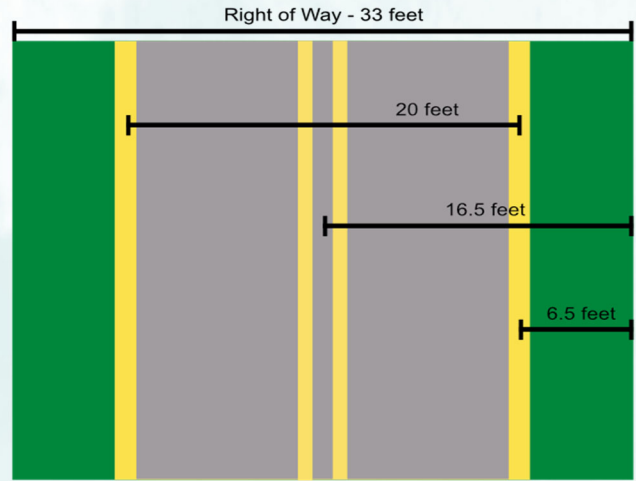
#### CREDITS

To qualify for the First Dollar Credit, the parcel must be a taxable parcel and contain a real property improvement. This includes business, commercial and private property. Unlike the Lottery and Gaming Credit, the property does not have to be the primary residence of the owner. Property containing only personal property improvements (no real property improvement) will not qualify for this credit. The First Dollar Credit is applied (divided) equally over each installment. This credit should automatically be applied to qualifying parcels; however, if you did not receive this credit and you feel you qualify please contact the Village of Minong Clerk/Treasurer’s office before January 31, 2021.

### Village of Minong –COVID-19 ❁

2020 has certainly been a challenging year due to COVID-19. The village board would like to remind all citizens to continue to social distance and wear masks to protect themselves. Businesses are encouraged to continue to adhere to CDC and Washburn County Health guidelines for protecting their employees and patrons. If a place of business chooses not to adhere to County Health or CDC guidelines, then citizens can choose to not enter that business. If businesses choose to follow the current health guidelines for CV-19, then businesses have the right to ask patrons to leave if they refuse to wear a mask. For up-to-date information on Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) visit the [Wisconsin Department of Health Services at dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/index.htm](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/index.htm) or the [Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\) website at cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html). The federal government (White House, CDC, and HHS) has also launched a website specifically for COVID-19. 2-1-1 is available to assist the general public with questions related to COVID-19. You can dial 2-1-1 or [211.wisconsin.communityos.org/coronavirus](http://211.wisconsin.communityos.org/coronavirus) for more information.

### Measuring Right-of-Way ❁



Most roads have a 33-foot right-of-way, measured 16.5 feet from the center of the road to each side.

The Village works hard to keeps the roads clean and free of snow. Please, be aware of the Village right of way. This area must be free of parked vehicles, and private signs at all times. This is also important to keep clear for all Fire and Ambulance vehicles in time of emergency. This clearance could save a life. You can visit [www.villageofminong.org](http://www.villageofminong.org) and click on our Ordinances page for more information about village right of ways. ❁

### VILLAGE OF MINONG - ORDINANCE SEC. 22-28-DISORDERLY CONDUCT ❁

The Village of Minong would like to remind residents that profanity written on signs in the village could fall under the prohibited section 22-28 of village ordinance as disorderly conduct as well as Sec. 947.01 of the WI State Statutes. Residents are allowed to have signs in their yard. However, if the sign yields complaints and contains offensive profanity that would cause or provoke disturbance, it can be cause for discipline or removal of that sign. ❁

❁ Questions? Call the Washburn County Health Department at 715-635-4400 ❁