

# Town of Wascott

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## Town Board

Jan Jenson - Chair (Email: [jkjenson01@yahoo.com](mailto:jkjenson01@yahoo.com) Phone #: 218-341-2125)

Chuck Youngquist - Supervisor (Email: [cdyoungquistmn@gmail.com](mailto:cdyoungquistmn@gmail.com) Phone #: 651-248-2484)

James Boughner - Supervisor (Email: [totajim@icloud.com](mailto:totajim@icloud.com) Phone #: 715-392-4962)

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Jeannette Atkinson - Clerk/Treasurer (Email: [wascott@centurytel.net](mailto:wascott@centurytel.net) Phone #: 218-391-8744)

Clerk's Business Hours: M-Th 7:30-12:00

Jason Walters, Foreman - Town Garage - 715/296-6875

## **NEWSLETTER 2020-21**

**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 only be mailed if a stamped self-addressed envelope is included with the payment. You may pay online by going to [www.douglascountywi.org](http://www.douglascountywi.org).

**Note:** *Personal Property tax payments are to be paid to the Town of Wascott.*

**Town Hall Reservations** – The Town Hall is available for rental for a fee of \$50/taxpayer and \$100/non-taxpayer. Forms are available on the town's website or by contacting the Clerk's office.

**2021 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 permit. To begin the process, contact the Douglas County Zoning Office at 715/395-1380 to complete an application. Once approved and permits are issued by Douglas County Zoning, the applicant needs to apply for a Town of Wascott Building Permit. Fee - \$50.

**Elections** – **Spring Primary - Tuesday, February 16, 2021** (if a Primary is necessary); **Spring Election - Tuesday, April 6, 2021**. The following officers are to be elected - Town Board Chair - Jan Jenson, incumbent; Supervisors - Chuck Youngquist and James Boughner, incumbents; Clerk/Treasurer - Jeannette Atkinson, incumbent. The first day to circulate nomination papers is December 1, 2020 and the final day for filing nomination papers is 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 5, 2021.

**Annual Town Meeting** of the electors will be held on **Saturday, April 17, 2021 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.

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**Wascott Fire Department Open House** will be held on **Saturday, June 19, 2021 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.

**Gordon-Wascott Historical Museum & Depot** (located in Gordon) - Open Saturdays and Sundays, 10 am - 4 pm, Memorial Day through Labor Day.

**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. You may also participate via teleconference by calling 612-421-0940. When prompted, enter conference code 749757. Refer to the Town's website for all scheduled Board/Committee meetings.

**Gordon/Wascott Transfer Station** is located one-half mile east of Hwy 53 on Cty Rd Y. Taxpayers must present an I.D. card to use facility. If you do not have a card, contact the Clerk's Office. All Trash must be bagged. Recycling is mandatory.

Hours: Tuesday & Thursday - 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday & Sunday - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Phone Number - 715/376-2315

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**Happy Holidays**

*Chair Jan Jenson, Supervisors Chuck Youngquist and James Boughner  
Clerk/Treasurer Jeannette Atkinson*