

Town of Wascott

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NEWSLETTER 2023

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.

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.

2023 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 for a Land Use Permit. 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 for 2023 – Spring Primary - Tuesday, February 21 (if a Primary is necessary); **Spring General - Tuesday, April 4.** The following Town Board officers are to be elected – Chairperson and two (2) Supervisors; Clerk/Treasurer.

Annual Town Meeting of the electors will be held on **Saturday, April 22, 2023 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 17, 2023 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.

Wascott Brush Collection Sites- The West and East side brush collection sites will open March 27 thru October 31, 2023. The sites will be open continuously, every day, all day.

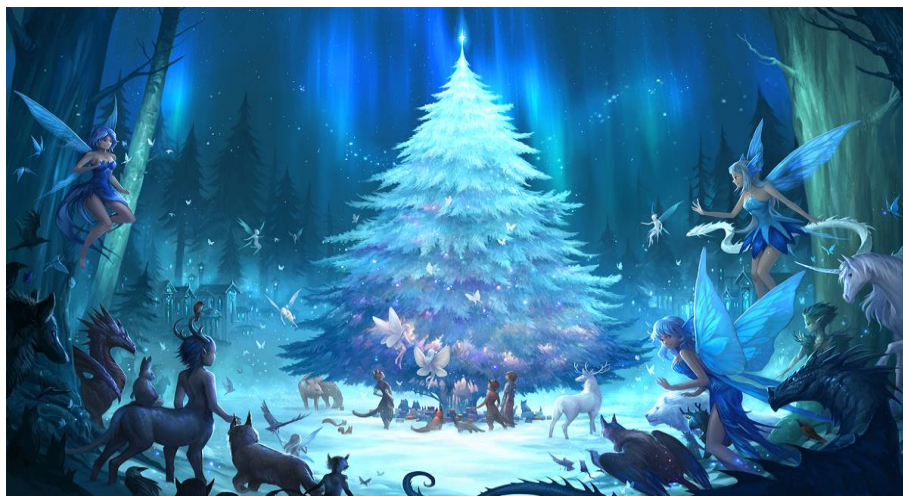
PLEASE NOTE: As in the past, the sites are used for the sole purpose of brush items only. IF OTHER UNWANTED ITEMS ARE PLACED THERE, THE SITES WILL BE CLOSED IMMEDIATELY AND INDEFINITELY. The Town is encouraging everyone to abide by the guidelines. Thank you.

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.

Gordon/Wascott Transfer Station is located one-half mile east of Hwy 53 on Cty Rd Y in Gordon. Taxpayers must present an I.D. card to use the 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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Merry Christmas and a Very Happy New Year!

*Chair Jan Jenson, Supervisors Chuck Youngquist and Kim Sorensen
Clerk/Treasurer Jeannette Atkinson
Deputy Clerks Michelle Manor and Lora Rudd*