

Town of Sumner 2022 Tax Information and Updates

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| Chairman | Steve Palmquist | 715-859-6214 | | Clerk | Sandy Tomczak | 715-859-6250 |
| Supervisor | Steve Becker | 715-642-0269 | | Treasurer | Jenn Harder | 715-859-2901 |
| Supervisor | Mark Zimmer | 715-651-0811 | | Sexton | David Stepanek | 715-859-6520 |
| Patrolman | Cory Svoma | 715-859-6120 | | Bld Inspect | Daryl Dostal | 715-205-7741 |
| Assessor | Natalie DeLeasky | 715-891-5076 | | Required Building Permits: see Clerk | | |

How to pay your taxes: we have a drop box located on the ramp at the town hall to deposit your payment, mail USPS, or pay online via the portal with the direct link: <https://client.pointandpay.net/web/TownofSumner>. Online payments are also available on the barroncountywi.gov website, by using the quick link “pay online” on the right side of the page. You must select “Town of Sumner” to apply the payment correctly. Enter in the parcel number, if you have more than one parcel, use “add item” to enter each parcel. You will then enter your payment information. Fees will be applied to you, \$1.50 to use electronic check, 2.39% to use credit card. **Receipts will only be issued if a self-addressed stamped envelope is provided with your tax payment.** You may print proof of payment from the Barron County Tax website at www.co.barron.wi.us/GCSWebPortal/Search.aspx. This receipt is available after payments clear. Please allow a minimum of 7-10 business days for processing. If two full weeks have passed and your check has not cleared, feel free to contact me to confirm receipt of your payment. Overpayments less than or equal to \$5.00 will not be refunded.

Visit our website- www.townofsumner-wi.com to find information on ordinances, meeting agendas and minutes, frequently asked questions, forms, and permit information and more. You can subscribe to get updates by email. Town meeting notices are published in the Rice Lake Chronotype and posted at the Town Hall. Town clean up day is the 2nd Saturday in May.

DOG OWNERS, LICENSE INFORMATION ON BACK.

SEVERE WEATHER ALERTS: There is a free app “CODE RED MOBILE ALERT” featuring customized messages for a variety of emergencies, available for cell phone users. Go to barronsheriff.org to sign up.

ATV TRAILS: Our town roads are now open to ATV traffic. Help us protect our ATV rights by reporting misuse of trails and routes. This may be done anonymously unless there is a trespassing complaint. Contact the Barron County Sheriff non-emergency line at 715-537-3106, offenders will be cited and pay for damages.

DO NOT PLOW SNOW FROM YOUR DRIVEWAY ACROSS THE TOWN ROAD. Wisconsin Statute 346.94 (5), (7), applies to miscellaneous prohibited act of Placing Injurious Substance on a roadway. The section reads, “No person shall place or cause to be placed upon a roadway any foreign substance which is or may be injurious to any vehicle or part thereof.” This language applies to plowing or blowing snow from driveways onto or across county, state, or town roadways. This practice is illegal and dangerous to passing motorists. In addition, town owned snow removal equipment may be damaged upon impact with the compacted snow or ice ridges left behind. **A significant fine will be issued for each individual offense.** Considerable time and expense go into keeping our roadsides looking neat. Please do not throw debris into the road right away (33 feet from center of the road). Rocks, chunks of cement, trash, brush, etc. damage the mowers and it is very costly to replace mower blades. **Landscaping and ornamental plants MUST be kept out of the right of way. If they are within the 33 feet from center of the road, they will be mowed.** There is a small pile of salt-sand located on the west side of the town shop for your use to pick up.

If you have questions, I am available by phone or email- sumnertreasurer@citizens-tel.net.