

Tax Payment Information for 2020



**IMPORTANT: Due to Covid-19 and the Dane County Order,
ALL city buildings are closed to the public**

Payment Methods



**Full payment or 1st installment must be
paid by January 31, 2021**

By Mail or Dropbox

Mail Checks to:

**City of Sun Prairie Treasurer
300 E Main St
City of Sun Prairie, WI 53590**

— Include The Following —

- Parcel number on the check
- Phone number on check, for questions
- Payment stub from the tax bill
- Endorsement on back of escrow checks only:
 - If there are multiple names on the "Payable To:" line - all parties must sign the back of the check before submitting to City of Sun Prairie.
- For a receipt:
 - Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Finance Department will mail a copy of your receipt after payment is made.

Dropbox Locations

City Hall Lobby
300 East Main Street
- Green Dropbox is at
Main Street entrance by
the Police Department.

**Westside Community
Service Building**
2598 West Main St
- Dropbox slot is in Lobby
area by Parking Lot.

Online

— E-Check Payment —

E-Check payments can be processed online through our website www.cityofsunprairie.com
FIS charges a \$1.00 fee for this service

— Credit Card Payment —

Credit card payments can be processed online through **January 27th, 2021** on our website www.cityofsunprairie.com.
FIS charges a fee equal to 2.35% of the amount of the payment.

***Payment must be postmarked by December 31, 2020 at the latest for payment to be applied in 2020**

***Payments made after January 31st should be made out to the Dane County Treasurer**

Additional Information

2nd Installment Payments

If paying installments, **Dane County Treasurer by**
your second installment **July 31, 2021**
must be made Payable to:

Payments must be **P.O. Box 1299**
mailed to: **Madison, WI 53701-1299**

**The City of Sun Prairie CAN NOT accept 2nd
Installment Payments!**

Observed Holidays during Tax Collection

Thursday December 24th, 2020
Friday December 25th, 2020
Thursday December 31st, 2020
Friday January 1st, 2021
Monday January 18th, 2021

Additional information will be provided at <https://www.cityofsunprairie.com/321/Property-Taxes>
web page. If you have questions, you can email City of Sun Prairie Finance Department at taxes@cityofsunprairie.com or call 608-825-1192.

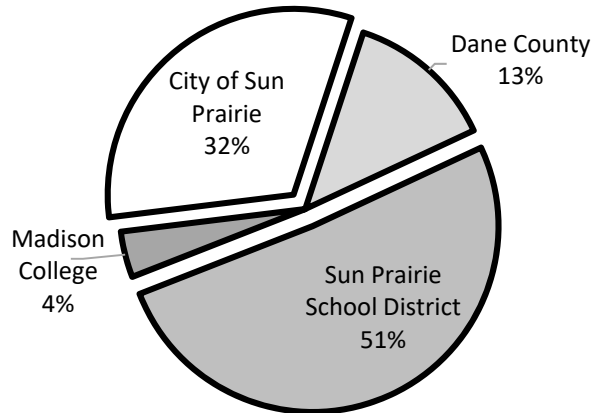
Summary of Property Tax (rate per \$1,000 of Assessed Value)

<u>Taxing Entity</u>	<u>2019/2020</u>	<u>2020/2021</u>	<u>% Change</u>
State of Wisconsin	-	-	-
Dane County	3.2504	2.9208	-10.14%
City of Sun Prairie	8.0860	7.1270	-11.86%
Madison College	0.9906	.8803	-11.13%
Subtotal	12.3270	10.9281	-11.35%
Sun Prairie School District	14.6513	12.9863	-11.36%
Less: State School District	(2.0525)	(1.9083)	-7.02%
Final Net MILL Rate	24.9258	22.0061	-11.71%

	<u>2019/2020</u>	<u>2020/2021</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Assessment Value	\$260,000	\$299,400	15.2%
Property Taxes			
State of Wisconsin	-	-	-
Dane County	845.10	874.48	3.5%
City of Sun Prairie	2,102.36	2,133.83	1.5%
Madison College	257.56	263.57	2.3%
Sun Prairie School District	3,809.34	3,888.11	2.1%
Less: State School District	(533.65)	(571.37)	7.1%
Less: Lottery Credit	(257.36)	(221.82)	-13.8%
Less: First Dollar Credit	(92.76)	(90.51)	-2.4%
Total Estimated Tax Bill	\$6,130.59	\$6,276.26	2.4%

Property Tax Comparisons

2020-2021 Property Tax Distribution



Refunds

If your escrow check exceeds the amount due for your taxes, a refund will be issued to the name and address of the homeowner on the tax bill. The refund will be issued within 30 days.

DID YOU RECEIVE YOUR LOTTERY & GAMING CREDIT?

If you do not have a Lottery & Gaming credit on your tax bill you may still be eligible! **To Qualify:** Your home must have been the **PRIMARY** residence for you or the previous owner on January 1, 2020. If you feel you qualify for the Lottery Credit: You may obtain the Lottery Credit Claim Form on our website, www.cityofsunprairie.com (Finance Department: Property Taxes Section), contact the Treasurer's Office at 300 East Main Street, or call 608-825-1192, **prior to January 31, 2021.**

AM I ELIGIBLE FOR THE FIRST DOLLAR CREDIT?

If your real estate bill has an **"assessed value improvement"** amount, the credit should automatically show on your bill. Anyone entitled to the credit that did not receive it must appeal directly to the Wisconsin Department of Revenue at 608-266-2486.

Dog Licenses

Dog licenses are to be obtained every year, effective January 1st. Due to the increase in COVID-19 cases, City Facilities are closed to the public. Dog licenses can be obtained online by visiting <https://sunprairiewi.viewpointcloud.com/> or by downloading the form on our website and submitting it via mail, along with your dog's 'Certificate of Rabies' to 300 E Main Street. Instructions for using the new online system will be available on our website. Any questions regarding dog licenses, visit our website at www.cityofsunprairie.com, call the City Clerk's Office at 608-837-2511 or email us at licensing@cityofsunprairie.com.

