

# WINTER NEWSLETTER

## December 2025



150 S Bridge St. Markesan, WI 53946 . (920) 398-3031 . markesanwi.gov . Monday - Friday 8am - 4pm

City Clerk/Treasurer: Tamra Harrington . Deputy Clerk/Treasurer: Carla VanRossum

## 2025 Tax Collection

Your 2025 tax bill is enclosed. First installment tax payments are due January 31, 2026. Please make sure your property tax and dog license payments are made separately. If paying by check, please write separate checks - one for taxes and one for dog licenses. Multiple tax parcels may be combined on one check.

**1st Installment:**  
Paid to City of  
Markesan by  
January 31, 2026

**2nd Installment:**  
Paid to Green Lake  
County Treasurer by  
July 31, 2026

Pay your taxes online at  
<https://www.markesanwi.gov/online-services>

## City of Markesan - Dog License Application

\$5.00 spayed/neutered / \$10.00 unaltered (per dog). Due March 31<sup>st</sup> annually.

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address where dog(s) are kept: \_\_\_\_\_

Tag# (office use only)	Dog's Name	Sex (M/F)	Altered (Yes/No)	Breed	Color	Fee (office use only)
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## Important Dates

City Hall, Public Works & the Water/Wastewater Department will be closed for the holidays:

- Christmas: December 24 & 25
- New Years: December 31 & January 1

- Mail your tax payment check: City of Markesan, PO Box 352, Markesan, WI 53946
- Pay in person with cash, check or credit card: City Hall, 150 S Bridge St.

## Winter Wonderland Rules

With the winter season approaching, here are a couple of reminders!

- Winter parking is in effect from November 1<sup>st</sup> - April 1<sup>st</sup>. There is no parking allowed on City Streets from 2am - 6am to allow for snow removal. Illegally parked vehicles may be subject to citations or towed, with towing costs paid by the owner.
- Per City Code Section 330-14, property owners are responsible to clear snow and/or ice from sidewalks within 24 hours from the time snow ceases to accumulate. It may not be deposited on the City streets or right-of-ways.
- Check your mailbox post to ensure it can withstand the force of plowed snow. Damage to mailboxes from snow coming off a plow is the owner's responsibility.
- Much of the snow plowing takes place during early morning hours. Please keep this in mind when placing your trash and recycling out for pick-up.

### Water & Sewer Bills

Water/Sewer Bills are issued each quarter and are due in January, April, July and October. Payments are typically due towards the end of the month. Each bill covers the service provided for the three months previous.

Failure to pay your bill could result in disconnection of your water service or attaching the outstanding balance to your property taxes. If you are unable to make a payment by the due date, please visit or call the City Clerk's office to make payment arrangements.

### State of Wisconsin Affidavit of Death or Disposal of Dog

I hereby certify that the following dog, \_\_\_\_\_ (dog name)

Address where dog kept: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Spayed or Neutered yes/no

which was listed by the Treasurer of the City of Markesan in compliance with the provisions of the Wisconsin Dog Licensing Law, has been disposed of as follows:

Date Died: \_\_\_\_\_ Date sold or given away: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2026 Dog Licenses

ALL dog licenses expire December 31, 2025, regardless of when they were issued. New 2026 are now available. To obtain a license, please provide the following:

- A completed Dog License Application (see front page)
- A copy of the current rabies certificate. A receipt showing payment for a rabies vaccination is not sufficient.
- Payment of the appropriate fee: \$5.00 for spayed/neutered dogs and \$10 for unaltered dogs. **A late fee of \$15/dog will be applied after March 31, 2026.**

Register your dog in-person at City Hall, 150 S Bridge St., Markesan. The Clerk's Office is open Monday - Friday, 8am to 4pm. There is drop box for after hours.

You may also mail your registration and a check/money order to the City Clerk's Office, PO Box 352, Markesan, WI, 53946.

You can now register your dog online! You will need to scan or snap a picture of your rabies certificate to attach to your registration.



Failure to register your dog is subject to a \$98.80 citation.



## City of Markesan 2026

Observed Holiday						
Garbage Only						
January						
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### Garbage and Recycling

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December						
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