



TOWN INFORMATION

WEBSITE: www.redcedar.gov

Caucus is scheduled for January 19, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at the Red Cedar Town Hall to nominate candidates for Supervisors 3 and 4 for the April 2026 election.

Monthly Town Board meetings are typically held at 6:00 PM on the 2nd Monday of each month at the Town Hall. Notices and agendas are posted both at the Town Hall and on our website.

If you would like to be added to our Town Notices email list, let us know by sending an email to info@redcedar.gov.

Current Population: 2,465

Town Hall Address (not mailing address)

E6591 627th Avenue
Menomonie, WI 54751

TOWN BOARD MEMBERS

Chair Bob Cook 715.556.2244
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Sup. #1 Erik Hendrickson 715.556.4547
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715.556.0066
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715.231.6520

TOWN ORDINANCES

Please visit the Town of Red Cedar website for town information and new and existing town ordinances.

YARD WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

The Town of Red Cedar maintains a Yard Waste Disposal Site located at N5106 610th Street. A metal dumpster is also available at the site. Please refer to the Town's website for a list of acceptable materials, as well as the days and hours of operation.

CLEAN SWEEP

Dunn County will be holding Clean Sweep and Electronics Recycling events in 2026. Watch the website for additional information.

PLOWING & WINTER ROAD MAINTENANCE

The Town of Red Cedar has 62 miles of road and two patrolmen. With predicted snowfalls, the town's goal is to utilize an additional part-time plow driver. It is the town's intention for the plow to make at least one pass in a 12-hour period. There are 30 cul-de-sacs and turnarounds which take approximately 20 minutes each to plow. Repairs of equipment and other unforeseen circumstances beyond our control are not accounted for in this 12-hour period.

Right of Way

All unauthorized obstructions located within 15 feet of the edge of the roadway are considered to be in the highway right-of-way and will be removed. Additionally, mowing grass, pushing snow, or placing any other materials onto or across the roadway or into the right-of-way is prohibited by law and may result in penalties or fines.

BUILDING INSPECTIONS, PERMITS, & LAND USE ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

The town, the Town Building Inspector, and/or the Dunn County Zoning Department require permits, fees, and inspections. Please visit the Town of Red Cedar website, www.redcedar.gov, for information on permits, ordinances, and fees.

Town of Red Cedar Clerk

Contact the Clerk for questions and/or the required land use fees at 715.556.5034 or email clerk@redcedar.gov.

Steinmeyer Inspections

Contact the building inspector before starting any project at 715.556.0066 or email steinmeyerinspectionsllc@gmail.com or see the website at steinmeyerinspections.com.

Dunn County Zoning Department

Contact the department before performing any work and/or construction at 715.231.6520 or visit the website at www.co.dunn.wi.us/zoning for additional information.

RURAL ADDRESSING & DRIVEWAYS

Refer to Town ordinance 2020-02; clearly visible rural address signage is required for emergency management, deliveries, and general location of residences and businesses. For information on obtaining an address and/or ordering and installing new or replacement rural address signage, call 715.231.6545 or visit the website at www.co.dunn.wi.us/ruraladdressing for additional information.

In addition, for a new driveway on Town roads, refer to the Town website, www.redcedar.gov/permits/town-driveway-access-permit/ or contact the Town Chairman.

REAL ESTATE TAX & LOTTERY CREDIT

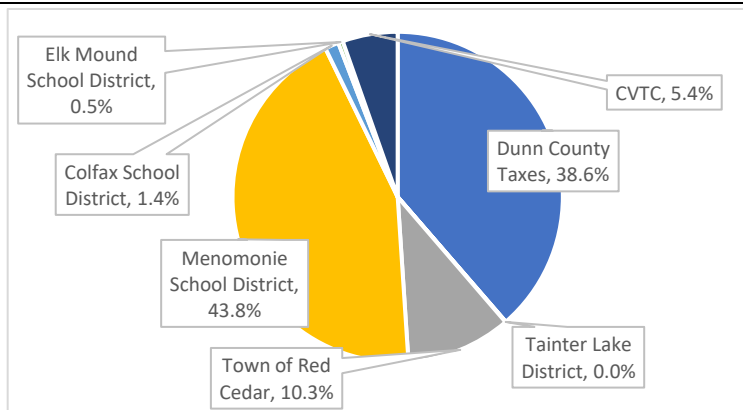
Real estate taxes are due January 31, 2026. Please see Page 2 for payment information.

Did you receive your Lottery and Gaming Credit on your Real Estate Tax Bill? You qualify if you are a Wisconsin resident who owns a dwelling and uses it as your primary residence as of January 1 of the tax year. You don't qualify if you are not a Wisconsin resident; you already receive the credit for another property or the property is not your primary residence on January 1 of the tax year; the property is unoccupied, or a business property, rental unit, vacant land, garage or non-residence property. Apply online by using the Lottery Credit Online Application Portal, www.revenue.wi.gov, and search Lottery Forms. If eligible, apply for the 2025 credit by January 31, 2026.

Please use the payment coupon located at the bottom of Page 3 when submitting your tax payments, dog license fee(s), and garbage and recycling fees.

WHERE DO YOUR TAX DOLLARS GO?

The annual taxes you pay are used by the Town to help cover operating expenses such as local road maintenance, materials and equipment, employee wages, ambulance and fire department services, and assessment costs. The information shown in the chart reflects 2024 taxes payable in 2025. Please refer to your tax bill for a detailed breakdown.

**TAXES DUE**
January 31, 2026**Important**

Remit the second installment payment directly to the Dunn County Treasurer. Do not send this payment to the Town.

Taxes are due on or before January 31, 2026. If you choose to pay your taxes in two installments, the first installment (payable to the Town of Red Cedar) is due by January 31, 2026, and the second installment (payable to the Dunn County Treasurer) is due by July 31, 2026.

Your tax bill will be mailed directly to you and can be paid by mail, dropping off the payment at the Town of Red Cedar, or online on the [Dunn County Website](#).

When paying your taxes by mail, please tear off the coupon on each tax bill you are paying, add the amounts together, and send your payment directly to the Town of Red Cedar Treasurer. Make your check or money order payable to Town of Red Cedar and mail to Deb Gotlibson, Treasurer, Town of Red Cedar, E7322 N County Rd E, Elk Mound, WI 54739. Please do not send cash. **If you would like a receipt, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.** Failure to include all tax coupons may result in delinquent taxes.

Tax statements and receipts are available for viewing and printing on the [Dunn County Website](#).

GARBAGE & RECYCLING PROGRAM

Payment of \$265
Due in full or postmarked by January 31, 2026

Wisconsin law requires municipalities to participate in or implement a municipal recycling program and solid waste management system. The Town of Red Cedar has established its own municipal solid waste and recycling program and has contracted with GFL Environmental for curbside pickup of garbage and recyclables for all household units. Your household's assessed fee for the program is \$265 for 2026, payable to the Town. While some neighboring municipalities operate drop-off sites for a fee, please contact the Village of Colfax for details, residents are still responsible for paying the Town's garbage and recycling fee even if you do not use the curbside service.

The town accepts payment for garbage and recycling by mail or online. Please use the link on the town website at www.redcedar.gov to pay online. There is a convenience fee for using the online service. Currently the convenience fee is 2.95% for credit cards and debit cards, the minimum card fee is \$3.95. VPS accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express credit and debit cards, and eChecks. The fee for eCheck payments is \$1.95.

Pursuant to Statute 287.093, if full payment is not received or postmarked by January 31, 2026, the garbage and recycling charge, plus interest (12% annually or 1% monthly) retroactive to January 1, 2026, will be added to your Real Estate Tax Bill as a Special Charge.

DOG LICENSES

Fixed/Altered
\$10.00
Unfixed/Intact
\$15.00
Multiple/Kennel
\$50.00

All dogs more than 5 months of age must be licensed annually. Dog licenses are valid from January 1st and expire on December 31st of each year. The town accepts payment for dog licenses by mail or online. To pay online, use the link on the town website at www.redcedar.gov. There is a convenience fee for using the online service. Currently the convenience fee is 2.95% for credit cards and debit cards, the minimum card fee is \$3.95. VPS accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express credit and debit cards, and eChecks. The fee for eCheck payments is \$1.95.

IMPORTANT: A current Rabies Vaccination Certificate is required before a license can be issued. Please mail your rabies certificate with your payment if paying by mail or email it if paying online. If you no longer own a dog, please include a note to that effect and send it along with your tax payment so your name can be removed from the dog license list.

Please note: Late fees will be applied to any owner who fails to obtain a license before April 1 or within 30 days of acquiring a dog that requires a license. Additional fines and penalties may also be assessed in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes and Town Ordinances.

Licensing all dogs is required for all residents. If you own rental property, please inform your tenants that they must license their dogs. If you are aware of any unlicensed dogs, please contact the Town Treasurer.

RECYCLING INFORMATION

There are many useful tips and flyers on the DNR website to assist with recycling: <https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/Recycling>, for example, recycling motor oil and filters, used batteries, reducing food waste, and composting.

Occupants of single-family and 2-to-4-unit residences, multi-family dwellings, and non-residential properties and facilities must separate the following materials, which are banned from landfills and incinerators statewide, for reuse, recycling, or composting:

Lead acid batteries	Major appliances	Waste oil
Yard waste	Aluminum containers	Bi-metal containers
Foam polystyrene packaging	Glass containers	Corrugated paper or other container board
Magazines	Newspaper	Office paper
Steel containers	Waste tires	
Rigid plastic containers made of PETE, HDPE, PVC, LDPE, PP, PS, and other resins or multiple resins		

CARE OF SEPARATED RECYCLABLE MATERIALS

The recyclable materials listed above shall be clean and kept free of contaminants such as food or product residue, oil or grease, or other non-recyclable materials, including, but not limited to, household hazardous waste, medical waste, and agricultural chemical containers. Recyclable materials should be stored in a manner

which protects them from wind, rain, and other inclement weather conditions. Recyclables must be loose in the cart. Please do not separate or include plastic bags or film.

PREPARATION AND COLLECTION OF RECYCLABLE MATERIALS

Occupants of single family and 2-to-4-unit residences should prepare recyclable materials as follows:

- Aluminum containers shall be clean and rinsed, do not crush, and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Bi-metal containers shall be clean and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Corrugated paper or other container board shall kept dry and be flattened to save space and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Foam polystyrene packaging shall be the responsibility of residents to properly dispose of. It may be recycled by taking it to a retailer that uses packaging items. The materials must be clean, dry, and not smell musty. Refer to the Town's website at redcedar.gov for a list of suggestions and supplemental information.
- Glass containers shall be clean and rinsed and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Magazines shall be kept clean and dry and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Newspaper shall be kept clean and dry and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Office paper shall be kept cleaned and dry and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler.
- Rigid plastic containers shall be cleaned, rinsed, do not crush, and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler as follows: plastic containers made of PETE, including SPI Code # 1, plastic containers made of HDPE, including SPI Code # 2, and plastic containers made of PP SPI Code # 5. Plastic containers, SPI Code # 3, 4, 6 and 7 shall be landfilled until such time that the variance is lifted, or recycling markets are available.
- Steel (tin) containers shall be clean and rinsed, do not crush, and placed in the proper recycling receptacle provided by the Town's designated hauler. All other steel should be taken to a salvage yard. The Town of Red Cedar also maintains a Yard Waste Disposal Site located at N5106 620th St, Menomonie, which has a scrap metal recycling dumpster on site. The Yard Waste hours and information on materials accepted may be found on the Town's website at redcedar.gov.
- Waste tires shall be the responsibility of residents to properly dispose of. They may be recycled by contacting the Town's designated hauler for pick up or taken to a salvage yard. Some options may include a fee. Refer to the Town's website at redcedar.gov for a list of suggestions and supplemental information.

Please check the town's website at www.redcedar.gov for updates including a list of where to recycle non-mandated items (oil, construction material, etc.). If you have immediate questions, reach out to Deb Gotlibson, Treasurer, at treasurer@redcedar.gov or 715.556.5063.

REGULAR GARBAGE (ALL BLACK CONTAINER) – COLLECTION DAY

South side of Interstate 94 will be collected weekly on Tuesday; North side of Interstate 94 will be collected weekly on Wednesday.

Collection times may vary so we ask that you place your cart curbside the night before.

Carts must be placed correctly to ensure collection. Carts should be placed on the edge of the property of your residence, not on the street.

All materials must be placed within the cart. Overflow material will require 24-hour notice. If additional carts are needed, they will be provided at the expense of the resident at \$7.00 per month, per household, per additional cart, contact GFL directly for an additional cart.

RECYCLABLE COLLECTION (GREEN LID CONTAINER) – COLLECTION DAY

South side of Interstate 94 will be collected the second Thursday of every month; North side of Interstate 94 will be collected the first Thursday of every month.

Collection times may vary so we ask that you place your cart curbside the night before.

Collection of household items only. For a list, please refer to the Town of Red Cedar Recycling Information. All materials can be placed together within the bin and must be clean. If additional carts are needed, they will be provided at the expense of the resident at \$7.00 per month, per household, per additional cart, contact GFL directly for an additional cart.

NO PLASTIC BAGS OR FILMS CAN BE PLACED WITHIN THE CART.

EXTRA PICKUP RATES

Please contact GFL at 715.492.3351 or carrie.hansen@gflenv.com to schedule and pay for material collection. A 24-hour notice is required to schedule all pick-ups and must be paid for with a credit or debit card prior to collection. Rates include proper disposal plus the handling fee, extra fuel surcharges do not apply. All material will be collected curbside at your residential location and must be placed at the curb no later than 5:00 a.m. on the day of collection. Refer to the GFL Environmental Pricing Sheet on the Town's website www.redcedar.gov.

Please cut along the line below and return with your payment for taxes, garbage and recycling, and dog license(s). Feel free to write one check to cover all payments.



Quantity	Item Description	Unit Price	Total	Make check or money order payable to: Town of Red Cedar Mail to: Deb Gotlibson, Treasurer E7322 N County Rd E Elk Mound, WI 54739 Remember to include rabies certificate(s).
	Real Estate Taxes	\$	\$	
	Garbage/Recycling Fee	\$ 265.00	\$	
	Dog Licensing			
	Fixed/Altered	\$ 10.00	\$	
	Unfixed/Intact	\$ 15.00	\$	
	Multiple Dogs or Kennel	\$ 50.00	\$	
Total Enclosed			\$	
Name				
Address				
Phone		Email Address		

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Deb Gotlibson, Treasurer
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Elk Mound WI 54739



Annual Newsletter for Town of Red Cedar Residents

**Important Tax, Dog Licensing, Garbage and Recycling
Information, and Payment Coupon**