



City of Milton Newsletter

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Election Information

The Spring Election will be held April 5, and the polls at City Hall will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Offices on the ballot are Court of Appeals Judge District 4, County Supervisor District 5, Alderperson, and School District of Milton School Board member. The sample ballot is available for viewing at City Hall or on the MyVote website (www.myvote.wi.gov) or on the City's website.

Time to Check Your Voter Registration!

If you are new to the City of Milton or moved to a different address within the City, you will need to register to vote. Community members can mail their Voter Registration application or complete the process at www.myvote.wi.gov through March 16. After the cut-off date of March 16, electors will only be permitted to register in person at City Hall until the Friday preceding Election Day, April 1, or on Election Day. Acceptable proof of residency is required for all options.

Can't Get to the Polls on Election Day?

Not a problem! Request an absentee ballot online at myvote.wi.gov, submit an absentee ballot application to City Hall, or send a request in writing by email or mail to the City Clerk's Office, 710 S Janesville Street. No matter how you request

Dog & Cat Licenses Available

Dog and cat licenses for 2022 are available at City Hall, 710 S. Janesville Street.

All dogs and cats in the City of Milton over 5 months of age *must* be licensed by April 1 of each year. A \$10 late fee per animal is assessed after this date. The licensing period runs January – December.

Fees:

- Spayed / Neutered: \$8
- Non-Spayed / Non-Neutered: \$15

2022 Residential Exterior Improvement Program

The City of Milton is accepting applications for the 2022 Residential Exterior Improvement Program.

Please submit your application by **Monday, April 4**, in order to be considered at the meeting.

The Residential Exterior Improvement Program is a matching grant program provided by the City for

an absentee ballot a copy of your Photo ID may be required. The last day to request an absentee ballot by mail is Thursday, March 31. Please be sure to allow for mailing time, as the ballot must be returned by Election Day at 8 p.m.

In-person absentee voting will begin Tuesday, March 22, and continue until Friday, April 1, at City Hall during office hours. The office will remain open until 5 p.m. on Friday, April 1. Don't forget to bring an acceptable photo ID.

Questions?

If you have any questions about the election, please contact City Clerk Jenny Salvo by calling (608) 868-6900 Ext. 2 or by emailing jsalvo@milton-wi.gov.

Important Election Dates

- March 22 - April 1 – In-Office Absentee Voting
- March 31 (5 p.m.) – Deadline to request an absentee ballot to be mailed
- April 1 – Last day of In-Office Absentee Voting, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at City Hall
- April 4 – No voting or registering to vote
- April 5 – Spring Election

City Drop Boxes

Based on election guidance prohibiting the use of unmanned drop boxes for absentee ballot collection, the drop box at City Hall will be unavailable from March 10 through April 5.

Municipal Court payments can be placed in a new drop box located in the lobby of the Police Department, 690 S. Janesville Street.

Utility Bill and other payments can be placed in a new drop box at the Public Works Facility, 150 Northside Drive.

If you have any questions please contact City Hall.

Important Dates to Remember:

Dog & Cat Licenses Due:

- April 1
- \$10 late fee assessed per animal after April 1

2022 Remaining Elections:

- Spring Election – April 5
 - In-Person absentee voting starts March 22.
 - The first batch of absentee ballots will be mailed to those who requested them by March 15.
- Partisan Primary Election – August 9
- General Election – November 8

Other Events

- Nature Walk led by David Bendlin at the Tails n Trails Dog Park – April 22
- Tails n Trails Dog Park Clean Up – April 30

Annual Cemetery Cleanup:

Starting April 15, Public Works staff will remove old flowers, broken vases/pots/planters, shepherd hooks not drilled into concrete, etc. from the cemetery as part of the annual cleanup. New items should not be placed at the cemetery until April 21. If there are any questions about the cleanup, please contact Public Works.

City of Milton Department Phone Numbers:

- City Hall – 868-6900
- Court – 868-6910
- Fire Dept. – 868-2842
- Library – 868-7462
- Police Dept. – 868-6910
- Public Works – 868-6914



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Community Recognition Picnic & Awards



The City is seeking nominations for Community Awards to recognize community members who have demonstrated extraordinary commitment to the Milton community through their actions in

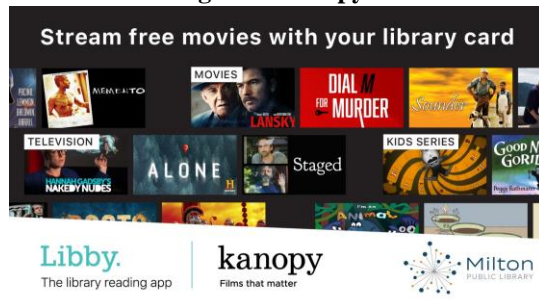
2021. Please submit nominations by April 15 through the City's website (www.milton-wi.gov/AwardNomination).

The awards will be presented at the annual Community Recognition Picnic on May 26 at the Milton Community House, 20 Parkview Drive.

The picnic will start at 5:30 p.m. and the program will begin at 6:00 p.m. Please RSVP to City Hall by May 19 for planning purposes by calling (608) 868-6900 ext. 5 or online at www.milton-wi.gov/PicnicRSVP.

Upcoming Milton Public Library Programs

Online Streaming with Kanopy



FREE with your library card! Kanopy offers a wide-variety of popular movies, Indie films, documentaries, educational films, series, foreign films, Oscar winners, British films, family movies, and a HUGE selection of kid-friendly content with Kanopy Kids. To get started, head to

<https://miltonpubliclibrary.kanopy.com>

or download the Kanopy app on to your Apple or Android device. You'll log in with your library card and then create an account within Kanopy.

Friends of the Milton Public Library Book Sale March 1-31

Come shop the Friends of Milton Public Library book sale fundraiser! There's a wide variety of fiction and nonfiction books for adults, children, and teens. Prices ranges from 10 cents to \$1. Money raised goes towards supporting library programming and scholarships for high school students. The sale will be open during regular library hours. Fill a bag for only \$2 March 29-31.

The SPARK @ MPL: DIY Lip Gloss & Lip Scrub

March 16-18, 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Wisconsin skin takes a beating in the winter, but you can soothe those dry, chapped lips with some homemade lip gloss and lip scrub. Ingredients and directions will be available in The SPARK while supplies last. For 12 and under.

Milton Public Library Foundation Online Auction

March 16 - March 30

Items up for bidding include services from local businesses, local art, a day of golfing, kayaking lessons, and much more. The Milton Public Library Foundation supports the library's various projects in line with their mission and strategic plan. Recent projects supported by the Foundation include the library's remodel, technology for The SPARK, the outdoor programming space for Story Gardens, and interior artwork. More information about the online auction can be found on the library's website, www.miltonpubliclibrary.org.

A Look Back at Windsor Court

Tuesday, March 22, 5:30 p.m.

Learn about some Milton history and take a look at the unique past of Windsor Court on the west-side of Milton from long-time resident of the street, Judy Kunkel. Registration is required. Presentation will be recorded and made available on the library's YouTube channel.

City Meeting Schedule:

Common Council meetings will move to in-person in the Council Chambers at City Hall on April 19, as long as there are no significant changes in the COVID-19 data for the region.

- March 21, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission
- April 4, 6:30 p.m. – Library Board
- April 6, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- April 6, 6 p.m. – Common Council
- April 11, 1 p.m. – Community Development Authority
- April 13, 5:30 p.m. – Historic Preservation Commission
- April 18, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission
- April 19, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- April 19, 6 p.m. – Common Council
- May 2, 6:30 p.m. – Library Board
- May 3, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- May 3, 6 p.m. – Common Council
- May 4, 5:30 p.m. – Historic Preservation Commission
- May 11, 6 p.m. – Police Commission
- May 16, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission
- May 17, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- May 17, 6 p.m. – Common Council

Dates and times for meetings may change. All agendas and minutes are posted on the City's website.



Save the Date! MPL Food Truck Rallies -May 1 & August 28