Town of Black Creek December 2017 Newsletter

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2018 Annual Meeting Date -- Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. All Residents welcome.

Town Board Meetings are the Second Monday of Every Month

Tax Rates per Thousand of Assessed Valuation for 2017

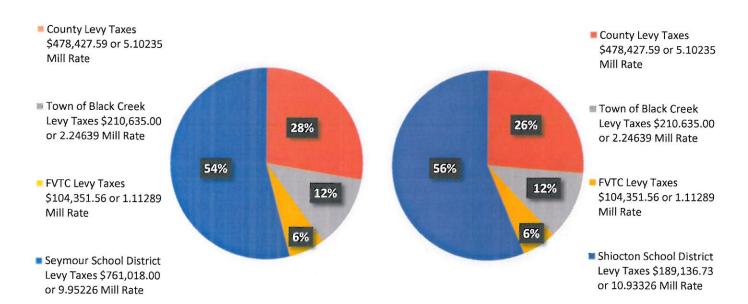
	<u>2016</u>	<u> 2017</u>	Rate Difference
State	.17197	0.00000	17197
County	5.11115	5.10235	00880
Town	2.23592	2.24639	+ .01047
Fox Valley Technical College	1.12982	1.11289	01693
Seymour School District	9.52366	9.95226	+ .42860
Shiocton School District	10.78725	10.93326	+ .14601
State Credit	- 1.73082	-1.88308	+ .15226
Total Seymour School District	16.44170	16.53081	+ .08911
Total Shiocton School District	17.70529	17.51181	+ .34939

Where does your tax money go?

Total Assessed Value of all General Property within the Town of Black Creek \$93,766,000
Seymour School District \$76,466,800 and Shiocton School District \$17,299,200

Seymour School District
(Tax rate 16.53081 per thousand of assessed valuation for 2017)

Shiocton School District
(Tax rates 17.51181 per thousand of assessed valuation for 2017)



Seymour and Shiocton School Districts includes a school levy tax credit which is -\$176,569.25 or -1.88308 Mill Rate.

Tax Collection Dates

Tax collection will be at the Town Hall, N6051 Twelve Corners Rd, Black Creek, on the following dates/times:

A DROP BOX AT THE TOWN HALL IS AVAILABLE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

Town Hall Address: N6051 Twelve Corners Road, Black Creek (No mail receptacle)

Town Hall Phone Number: 920-984-1116 (No Answering Machine) see contact numbers above

A \$20.00 fee will be assessed for each returned check and for each occurrence.

If your payment is more than the amount due, the Treasurer is NOT required to give a refund on the day you pay. If you have a refund due, you will receive it after the next Town Board Meeting. THE BOARD MEETS THE SECOND MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

If you want to mail in the 1st installment, please mail it to: Jeri Ohman, Treasurer, N5687 Twelve Corners Rd, Black Creek, WI 54106 If you would like your receipt, send a postage paid envelope with your payment. Please make checks payable to: TOWN OF BLACK CREEK. **A Town Hall drop box is available for your convenience.**

The 2nd installment due on July 31st MUST be paid to the County Treasurer.

Make this check payable to: Outagamie County Treasurer.

DO NOT mail the 2nd installment to the "Town" Treasurer. The first tax installment is due on or before January 31st. The 2nd installment is due on or before August 1st, as provided in Section 74.03.

The Town Treasurer <u>CANNOT accept any tax money after February 1st</u>. Any taxes unpaid on February 1st are considered delinquent and must be collected by the Outagamie County Treasurer.

If you want your December payment to be credited in December, it MUST be in the hands of the "Town" Treasurer by the December 31st date. Otherwise, payment will be credited to the January date if it is received by her. This is in accordance to the State Statutes.

Dog Licenses

- 1. All dogs over 5 months of age must have a dog license.
- 2. Fee: \$3.00 for a neutered male or spayed female dog \$8.00 for a non-neutered male or non-spayed female dog.

IF PAYING IN CASH, PLEASE BRING EXACT AMOUNT.

- 3. The law requires your dog to be vaccinated against rabies after it is 4 months of age and revaccinated within one-year after the initial vaccination.
- 4. Current vaccination papers for each dog are REQUIRED when purchasing the license.
- 5. Dog licenses can be purchased: 1) in person when paying your property taxes; 2) via the drop box at the town hall; or 3) through the mail. If using the drop box or mail, please include the fee, a postage paid envelope, and the rabies vaccination papers. The vaccination papers will be returned with the dog tag and license. If you would like to purchase a dog license in-person after Jan. 31st, contact Jeri Ohman (920-850-5310) to schedule an appointment.
- 6. Any dog license purchased after April 1st of each year (until the next tax season) will include a surcharge of \$5.00.

2018 Upcoming Elections

February 20, 2018 – Spring Primary Election April 3, 2018 – Spring Election August 14, 2018 – Partisan Primary November 6, 2018 – General Election

Refuse & Recycling Information

Town of Black Creek Residents-Refuse is paid through special charges on your tax bill. The 2017 <u>yearly</u> refuse rate was \$119.74 and the 2018 rate will be \$129.00 (rate includes \$9 yearly recycling cart rental).

The Town's Refuse & Recycling contract is with Harter's Fox Valley Disposal, W17620 County Rd Q, Wittenberg, WI 54499 Phone Numbers: 1-888-804-8556 or 715-253-2619

The 2018 Refuse/Recycling Calendar will be located on our Town Website soon: www.blackcreekwi.org Calendars will be available during tax collection times or at the upcoming elections.

From the Office of the Clerk, we hope you have a "Wonderful Holiday Season" and a "Happy & Healthy New Year!"