

VILLAGE OF WILLIAMSVILLE 2016-2017 TAX INFORMATION

Village taxes are due Wednesday, July 1, 2016 without penalty

Payment can be made at Village Hall between the hours of 8am and 4pm, or must be postmarked by July 1, 2016.

Meter mark is not acceptable. We do not accept credit cards or partial payments. Checks should be made payable to Village of Williamsville.

After July 1, penalties are as follows:

- 7.5% added July 2-August 1
- 10.5% added September 1-30
- On November 1, all unpaid taxes are returned to Erie County to be relieved onto the 2017 Town/County tax bill.
- 9.0% added August 2-31
- 12.0% added October 1-31

Drop Box at Village Hall

The drop box outside Village Hall is checked daily at 8am. Payments left in the drop box after that time will be considered received on the next business day. Tax payments should not be left in the drop box after 8am on July 1 or they will be considered late and penalties will apply. The same applies for all due dates above triggering additional penalties.

Online Bank Payments

Most banks discourage the use of online banking for tax payments because they cannot guarantee your payment will be delivered to our office by the due date. If you utilize online banking, you do so at your own risk.

Village Tax Year

Village taxes cover the year running June 1, 2016 through May 31, 2017

Tax Bill Summary

Tax bills consist of up to three (3) different charges. These include:

- Village Tax – covers General Fund expenses
 - Rate is \$4.3960 per \$1,000 of Assessed Value at 100% equalization
 - Rate has decreased 2.24% from last year's rate of \$4.4969
- Village Sewer – Operation & Maintenance portion**
 - Rate is \$4.3437 per 1,000 gallons of water consumed
 - Rate has not increased from last year
- Village Sewer – Capital portion
 - Rate is \$1.0472 per \$1,000 of Assessed Value
 - Rate has not increased from last year

**Note: This portion of the sewer bill was previously charged on the Village water/sewer bill. When the Village turned its water system over to ECWA in June of 2014, this fee was placed back on the tax bill.

The Village will not be over-riding the property tax cap this year. This will result in our residents receiving a tax rebate under the Property Tax Freeze law in 2016.