

TAX COLLECTOR
JANUARY ONLY MONDAY'S 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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January hours are Monday's thru Thursday's 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The 19th is Martin Luther King Jr. Day so the office will be closed. The 31st falls on a Saturday, I will be here for tax collection from 8 a.m. – noon. February hours are Tuesday's thru Thursday's 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. February has a 1% penalty and the 28th falls on a Saturday, I will be here for tax collection from 8 a.m. – noon. March hours are Tuesday's thru Thursday's 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. March payments have a 2% penalty + \$1.00. March 31st is the last day I can except payment for 2026 Town & County Taxes. We go by the US post mark if mailing. After March 31st, you will need to contact the Saratoga County Treasurer's Office to arrange to make payment.

PLEASE INDICATE ACCURATE TELEPHONE NUMBERS ON CHECKS WHEN MAKING PAYMENTS. We have found that many people are no longer using land line and just using cell phones. If we have an issue with your payment for any reason the first thing we try and do is contact you by telephone before returning the payment to you. This could be the difference in your payment being payed on time or a penalty amount needing to be added. So please double check and make sure that phone number is indicated on your payment, it will make things easier for you and me.

For the 2026 Tax Season the Town of Galway will continue to accept Credit Card payments. Property owners have the option to pay their tax bill by Credit Card/Debit Card/E-Checks. At the Town website: townofgalwayny.gov under Tax Collector you can still pull up and view bill status along with additional option to pay bill online. ***All Credit Card/Debit Cards will be subject to a service fee of \$1.75 up to \$64, over 2.75%; E-Checks Access Fee \$0.01 to \$1,999.99-\$2.50; \$2,000 to \$3,999.99-\$5.00; \$4,000 to \$5,999.99-\$7.50; \$6,000-\$7,999.99-\$10.00; \$8,000-\$9,999.99-\$12.50; Over \$10,000 Increments of \$2.50 per \$2,000.***

If you have sold your home, have a new address for billing purposes, pay off your escrow please let us know as soon as possible so we can make the correction and get the bill where it needs to go. The mailing address is: Town of Galway Tax Collector, 5910 Sacandaga Road, Galway, NY 12074. If you get your bill in the mail and have your taxes in escrow, contact your bank, and see if they want you to forward it, most of them do this electronically. It takes "forever" these days to have tax bills update with new owner names (the deeds have to be filed at county and processed, then they go to Assessor for updating of Town records) I can't by law change a name until the Assessor gets the information and authorizes the change. I will do everything I can to get you the bill and make the change of name as soon as possible. You can always look the bill up on our website by Section, Block & Lot Number or Just the street number. If your away for the winter and didn't drop me a note to send your bill to a different location, again use the website put the bill number on check along with your phone number and I will send receipt to your home address.