



# City of Algoma News & Updates...

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## City Contacts

### City Administrator & Public Works Director

Matt Murphy..... (920)-487-5203

City Clerk, Erin Mueller.....487-5203

City Treasurer .....487-5203

### Public Services Manager

*(Public Works and Parks & Recreation)*

Casey Groessel .....487-2391

Police Chief David Allen.....487-3311

Building Inspector Brett Guilette..... (920)-495-3232

Algoma Public Library .....487-2295

### Algoma Community Building

*(Youth Club & Knudson Hall)* .....487-2391

Algoma Utilities .....487-5556

Algoma Marina.....487-2232

Public Works Shop .....487-2391

### Fire / EMS Department Office (Non-Emergency)

.....487-2712

Police Non-Emergency .....487-3311

### City Assessor Associated Appraisal:

[www.apraz.com](http://www.apraz.com)      920-749-1995

## City Elected Officials

**\*\*Virginia Haske** Mayor ..... (920)255-1145

**\*\*Kevin Schmidt** District 1 Alder..... (920)255-0673

**John Ortlieb** District 1 Alder ..... (920)487-9987

**Midge Swedberg** District 2 Alder ..... (612)991-4092

**\*\*Scott Meverden** District 2 Alder ..... (920)412-3351

**\*\*Casey Buhr** District 3 Alder..... (920)360-0351

**Wayne Schmidt** District 3 Alder..... (920)362-2433

**\*\*Jake Maring** District 4 Alder ..... (714)322-3335

**Lee Dachelet** District 4 Alder ..... (920)255-0288

**\*\*Term is up in April 2024**

## WHAT'S NEW?

- ✓ **New Assessor Services:  
Associated Appraisal**
- ✓ **New Staff**
- ✓ **Winter Parking Reminder**
- ✓ **2024 Election Information**

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## City Hall Hours

City Hall hours are Monday through Friday

8:00 am – 4:00 pm

### **2024 Closure Dates:**

1/1, 5/27, 7/4, 7/5, 9/2, 11/28, 11/29, 12/24, 12/25

## 2024 Dog Licenses

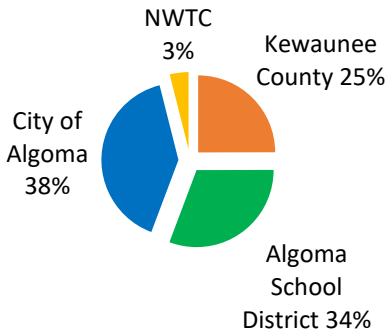
According to State Statute and City of Algoma Municipal Code of Ordinances, all dogs must be licensed annually. 2024 licenses are available after December 08, 2023. Licenses can be applied for at the City Clerk's Office. A current rabies certificate from your Veterinarian is required when applying for the license. Fees are as follows:



<b>Unaltered Dogs</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>
<b>Spayed or Neutered</b>	<b>\$ 5.00</b>
<b><u>Kennel License</u></b>	<b><u>\$35.00</u></b>

*Late fee of \$10 per dog applied after March 31<sup>st</sup>. Per City Ordinance, a fine may be imposed by the Police Department if an unlicensed animal is picked-up and held at our local pound.*

## 2023 REAL ESTATE TAX INFORMATION



Tax rates stated are per thousand of assessed value

	2022	2023	% Change
Kewaunee County	6.12	6.07	-0.82%
City of Algoma	9.08	9.13	0.55%
Algoma School District	7.54	8.39	11.27%
NWTC Green Bay	0.68	0.75	10.3%
Gross Tax Rate	23.42	24.34	3.93%
State School Credit	(1.19)	(1.54)	29.41%
<b>Net Tax Rate</b>	<b>22.23</b>	<b>22.80</b>	<b>2.56%</b>
Lottery Credit	(206.35)	(226.42)	9.73%
First Dollar Credit	(62.87)	(60.83)	-3.24%

### Tax Bills & Lottery Credit

City taxes are collected by the City administrative staff between the hours of 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday - Friday. *City Hall will be closed Monday, Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>; Tuesday, Dec. 26<sup>th</sup>; Monday, Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>;*

Full or first installment payments are due on or before January 31, 2024. Checks **must** be made payable to the **CITY OF ALGOMA** and mailed to:

**416 Fremont St.  
Algoma, WI 54201.**

Include the bottom portion of your tax bill with your payment. Please reference your parcel number on any correspondence. Payment can be made by check, money order, or cash. We do not accept Credit/Debit Card payments. There is a secure drop box in the front entrance of City Hall if you wish to drop your payment off after business hours.

***\*If you are requesting a receipt, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope.***

If you owned your home on January 1, 2023, and it is your primary residence, you are eligible for a lottery and gaming credit. If you do not see one on your tax statement, please contact the City Clerk's Office before you make payment.

### ***Associated Appraisal***

***Consultants, Inc.*** The City of Algoma contracts its property assessment services with Associated Appraisal. Contact Associated Appraisal with questions at 920-749-1995.

### Public Services Department

**Matt Murphy, Administrator / Public Works  
Director: 920-487-5203**

**Casey Groessl, Public Services Manager:  
920-487-2391**

The department maintains city facilities, parks, roadways, storm water, and waste water operations.

### Brush Pick-Up

Brush pickup occurs **during May through October**. Municipal services staff will perform brush pickups twice each month during the first and third weeks. Brush must be stacked in bundles (no longer than 6' and no larger than 6" in diameter) and placed at the curb.

### Brush/Yard Waste Drop-Site

Brush and yard waste can be dropped off behind the City Public Works Garage located at 1520 Jefferson St. Non-city residents and businesses may purchase a permit at City Hall to access the site.

## **Welcome New Staff!**

**Police Chief – David Allen  
Police Officer – Tanner Karman  
Public Services Laborer – David Jenerjohn**



## 2024 Elections

**Spring Primary** Tuesday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (If needed)

**Spring Election** Tuesday, April 2, 2024

**Primary Election** Tuesday, August 13, 2024

**General Election** Tuesday, November 5, 2024

Photo ID is required to receive a ballot in all special and regular elections.

For more information visit [www.bringit.wi.gov](http://www.bringit.wi.gov).

*\*Check your voter registration information at  
[myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov).*



**Algoma Police Department**  
416 Fremont St.

**Police Chief: David Allen**  
**Sergeant: Cody Gulbrand**

*Honor, Integrity, Respect, Professionalism, Community*

**Prescription Drug Drop-Off**

A permanent drop-off box to provide citizens of Algoma with an easy, secure and responsible way to dispose of unused, unwanted and expired prescription drugs is available 24/7 at the police department. Sharps, liquids and needles are prohibited.

**New Police Squad Arriving Soon!**

A 2023 Dodge Durango will be joining the police department's fleet in the upcoming weeks. The oldest squad will be retired once the new one is received.

**New Police Chief**

Chief Allen is a new face for the City of Algoma's Police Department. He comes to the City with a well tenured background in law enforcement in the state of Wisconsin. He takes pride in putting the community first and having the Police Department make a positive impact on the City of Algoma. Welcome Chief Allen!

**Algoma Fire & Emergency Medical Services**  
400 Third St.

The City of Algoma has a new ambulances arriving any day! Emergency Medical Personnel are prepared to provide emergency medical services requested by citizens or those passing through our area 24 hours per day, 7 days a week.

The Fire and Rescue departments are both volunteer departments that are on-call and ready to provide services to the City and surrounding areas around the clock.

**Do you have interest in volunteering?** The Algoma Fire Rescue Department has openings for EMTs and Firefighters. Contact Fire Chief Tom Ackerman for more information at 920-487-2712 or email him at [afdchief@algomacity.org](mailto:afdchief@algomacity.org)



**Winter Parking Restrictions**

**Reminder!**

*No parking on ANY City street between 2:00 am and 5:00 am during the period from November 1<sup>st</sup> through March 31<sup>st</sup> of each year.*



**Algoma Public Library**  
406 Fremont St | 920-487-2295

The Algoma Public Library was established in 1878, but officially recognized in 1921. The Library opens doors for curious minds by encouraging literacy, inspiring learning, and connecting people.

For more information on the library's services and programs, visit [www.algomapubliclibrary.org](http://www.algomapubliclibrary.org) or follow the library on Facebook.



**Parks & Recreation**

The biggest improvement for the City of Algoma Parks Department in 2023 is the new playground at Perry Park! Be sure to check it out!

Looking to rent out one of the City parks, Algoma Youth Club, or Knudson Hall? Contract Public Services Manager Casey Groessler to reserve! 920-487-2391 or [casey.groessler@algomacity.org](mailto:casey.groessler@algomacity.org)

***Follow us on Facebook:***  
***Algoma Youth Club/Algoma Parks & Rec***



**Mayor's Corner:**  
**Happy Holidays!**



On behalf of the City Council, myself, and all our City employees, we'd like to wish you a happy and prosperous New Year!