

Tax Payment Dropbox

For your convenience, you can drop off your payment in our Dropbox. The Dropbox is now located next to the front entrance of Courthouse Square at 555 Court St NE in Salem. (Please, No Cash in the Dropbox.)

If you make your payment at the Dropbox and you would like a receipt, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your payment.

What if I Can't Make the first Trimester Payment?

Taxpayers may make payments in whatever amount and frequency they wish, provided that their property is not under tax foreclosure. Interest accrues at 1 ½% per month on any past-due tax balance. Each payment will be applied to the oldest unpaid year (ORS 311.505).

Foreclosure proceedings must begin against Real Property when the oldest unpaid taxes have been delinquent for 3 years or more (ORS 312.010).

Lien Warrants must be issued against Personal Property (certain manufactured structures and business property) when any portion of the property tax is past-due (ORS 311.610).

View your Tax and Property Information Online

Go to www.co.marion.or.us/AO/ and follow the "Property Records" link to access your account.

- Current Tax Balance
- Property Maps
- Tax Statements
- Property Values
- Tax History
- Assessment History
- Past Payments
- And More!

**PLEASE READ
NOTICE INSIDE
COVID-19**



To Pay Online:
www.co.marion.or.us/AO/TAX

To Pay by Phone:
1-877-542-6092

**PAYMENTS BY CREDIT CARD OR
DEBIT CARD ARE NOT ACCEPTED AT
THE TAX OFFICE or by mail.**

Official Payments, the service provider, charges a fee of 2.8% for credit cards, 1.19% for debit cards, or \$0.60 for electronic check payments.

DO NOT DISCARD



O R E G O N

2020
Property Tax Information

Property Taxes Are Due
November 16, 2020

Marion County Tax Office

Office hours: 8:00am to 5:00pm Monday – Friday

Phone: (503) 588-5215

E-Mail: propertytax@co.marion.or.us

Web: www.co.marion.or.us/AO/

Mailing Address: PO Box 2511
Salem, OR 97308

Physical Address: 555 Court St NE Room 2242, Salem, OR 97301

**THE TAX OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON
NOV. 11, 2020, FOR VETERANS DAY.**

CHANGES FOR THE 2020 TAX YEAR

- *Please Read the COVID-19 Notice*
- **Information for Fire Damaged Properties**
- **Your Property Tax Account Number has Changed**
- **The Tax Payment Dropbox has Moved**
- ⇒ *Payments by Mail, Phone, or Internet are Strongly Encouraged*

IMPORTANT TAX INFORMATION
PLEASE READ

Wildfire Damage

If your taxable property was damaged or destroyed by the recent wildfires, please call (503) 588-5144 for more information, or visit: www.co.marion.or.us/AO/TAX
The Tax Office website explains the tax proration program for fire damage/destruction. — **Damage to the property does not extend the Nov. 16, 2020, due date.**

New Account Numbers

All Property Tax Account Numbers in Marion County have changed. The new Account Numbers are 6 digits long and are all-numeric.

- ⇒ If your old account number had six numbers the new account number is the same, but without the letter. Example: M123456 = 123456
- ⇒ If your old account number had five numbers the new account number is the same, but the letter is replaced with a 5.
Example: R12345 = 512345

BEFORE SUBMITTING PAYMENT WITH ONLINE BILL PAY, MAKE SURE YOU ARE USING THE NEW ACCOUNT NUMBER!

Payments Though Your Bank's Online Bill Pay Service

If you would like to make a payment through your bank's Online Bill Pay Service make sure to provide your bank the following information:

- ⇒ Your **NEW** Property Tax Account Number
- ⇒ The amount you would like to pay

Have your bank send the payment to:
Marion County Tax Collector
PO Box 2511
Salem, OR 97308

PAYMENTS WITH ONLINE BILL PAY SHOULD BE MADE AT LEAST 14 DAYS PRIOR TO THE NOV. 16, 2020, DUE DATE TO AVOID LATE CHARGES.

COVID- 19 NOTICE PLEASE BE ADVISED:

At the time of this printing, the Tax and Assessor's Offices in Courthouse Square are open. **However, it is uncertain whether these offices will remain open to the public for the entire tax season. Marion County will follow the directives issued by the State of Oregon and the Centers for Disease Control.**

All persons entering Courthouse Square will be required to wear face coverings and maintain social distancing. **A limited number of people are permitted in the building at any one time, and taxpayers may be required to wait in the first floor lobby (space permitting) for extended periods of time.**

In order to protect the health and safety of our community, the Tax Office strongly recommends using alternative methods for tax payments rather than paying in-person. Taxpayers may:

- ◆ Mail your payment in the enclosed envelope. Payments may be made with personal checks, cashier's checks, or money orders.
- ◆ Use your bank's online bill pay system.
- ◆ Pay online or over the phone using e-check, debit card, or credit card through our third-party vendor, Official Payments Corp. (Official Payments does charge a fee for this service. See reverse for details.)
- ◆ Drop off the payment in our Dropbox, located near the front entrance of Courthouse Square at 555 Court St NE in Salem. (Please, No Cash in the Dropbox.)

Payments by Mail Which Address Should I Use?

PAYMENTS MAILED WITH THE STATEMENT COUPON(S) should be sent to the same address printed on the coupon(s):

Marion County Tax Collector
PO Box 3416
Portland, OR 97208

PAYMENTS WITHOUT THE STATEMENT COUPON and all other correspondence should be sent to:

Marion County Tax Collector
PO Box 2511
Salem, OR 97308

If you would like a receipt, include a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your payment.

POSTMARKS COUNT! PLEASE MAIL EARLY!

If you are mailing your payment within a few days of the due date, we strongly encourage you to go into a post office and have them hand-cancel your envelope to be sure it is postmarked on or before the due date of November 16, 2020.

State law requires that we recognize the postmark date from the US Postal Service as the payment date.

Questions About Paying your taxes?

Contact the Tax Office

Phone: (503) 588-5215
E-Mail: propertytax@co.marion.or.us
Web: www.co.marion.or.us/AO/TAX

Questions About Property Values or Other Issues?

Contact the Assessor's Office

Phone: (503) 588-5144
E-Mail: assessor@co.marion.or.us
Web: www.co.marion.or.us/AO