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DATE: December 19, 2024

TO: City of Franklin Residents and Constituents

SUBJECT: 2024 Property Tax Bill Lottery Credits

The Wisconsin Department of Revenue put out a press release on December 18, 2024 reminding residents to check their property tax bill to ensure the Lottery and Gaming Credit is applied (if applicable). This credit provides property tax relief to taxpayers who qualify and is displayed as a reduction of property taxes due on the tax bill. The City of Franklin follows extensive procedures to ensure that all residents who have an application on file received the Lottery and Gaming Credit for 2024.

**TO QUALIFY:**

1. You must be a Wisconsin resident
2. You must own a dwelling and use it as your **PRIMARY** residence as of the January 1 certification date of the year the property taxes are levied (in this case January 1, 2024)

**\*\*NOTE:** If an owner is temporarily absent, typically for a period no longer than **SIX** months, the primary residence is the home where the owner returns.

**YOU CANNOT CLAIM THE LOTTERY AND GAMING CREDIT ON BUSINESS PROPERTY, RENTAL UNITS, VACANT LAND, GARAGES, OR OTHER PROPERTY THAT IS NOT THE OWNERS PRIMARY RESIDENCE.**

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**HOW TO APPLY:**

1. Apply online: <https://ww2.revenue.wi.gov/VaultPublic/lc/interview.html>
2. City Hall: At the Treasury Department, staff will have available applications to fill out. Once this is filled out, the lottery and gaming credit will be applied to your tax bill.
3. WI Department of Revenue website: You may mail a copy of your 2024 or 2025 Lottery and Gaming Credit application to City Hall or e-mail it to the Director of Finance, Danielle Brown.

City of Franklin – Treasury Department  
9229 W. Loomis Rd.  
Franklin, WI 53132

Danielle Brown – [dbrown@franklinwi.gov](mailto:dbrown@franklinwi.gov)

If you have any questions, please reach out to the Treasury Dept – (414) 425-4770

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**Who can claim this credit?**

- **You may claim** – this credit for 2024 property taxes, payable in 2025, if on January 1, 2024, you were the owner of the property and used the property as your primary residence. You can have only one primary residence.
- **You cannot claim** – this credit on business property, rental units, land, garages or other properties that are not your primary residence. A non-Wisconsin resident cannot claim this credit.

**Questions?** – if you have questions on the Lottery and Gaming Credit, contact your County Treasurer.

**2024 Lottery and Gaming Credit Claim**

**Property address**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Parcel number** \_\_\_\_\_

Town }  
 Village }  
 City } \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

*I attest, under penalty of law, that as of January 1, 2024, I was an owner of the property described above and that as of that date I used the property as my primary residence. I understand that I must notify the county treasurer within 30 days of the date on which I no longer use the property as my primary residence.*

Claimant name (please print)	Email
Signature	Phone (    ) -    -    -    - Date (mm-dd-yyyy)

**Submitting Your Application**

If the property qualified as your primary residence on January 1, 2024, submit this completed form to your **County Treasurer**. The credit will appear on your 2024 property tax bill.

**Filing deadline:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(mm-dd-yyyy)

**County Treasurer address:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Note:** If the property is located in Milwaukee County, submit this completed form to your Municipal Treasurer. **Do not** send it to the Milwaukee County Treasurer.

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**2025 Lottery and Gaming Credit Claim**

**Property address**

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Parcel number** \_\_\_\_\_

Town

Village

City

} \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

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Claimant name (please print)

Email

Signature

Phone

Date (mm-dd-yyyy)

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**Submitting Your Application**

If the property qualified as your primary residence on January 1, 2025, submit this completed form to your **County Treasurer**. The credit will appear on your 2025 property tax bill.

**Filing deadline:** \_\_\_\_\_

(mm-dd-yyyy)

**County Treasurer address:**

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