



MATAGORDA COUNTY

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OCTOBER 20, 2020 PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR IN PERSON TRANSACTIONS

The Tax Office is currently processing in person boat and motor vehicle title transactions by appointment only. Effective today, October 20, 2020, we are expanding the availability of in person transactions by appointment to include motor vehicle and boat registration renewals and property tax payments. You may call 979-244-7670, 8:00 AM – 4:45 PM, Monday – Friday, to visit with a tax office staff member and schedule an appointment. Masks are required. If you are sick, please stay home.

To limit the possibility of Covid-19 exposure due to the accumulation of lines, we still strongly encourage the public to use the many payment options outlined below if at all possible. Our office remains staffed and available to assist the public through online services, via US Mail, or by telephone from 8 AM – 4:45 PM, Monday through Friday, excluding Holidays.

Property Tax Payment Options

Visit the Matagorda County website at <http://www.co.matagorda.tx.us/> and select the tab County Offices, then County Tax Assessor/Collector and click on the appropriate link, Pay Property Taxes Online or

Visit our 3rd party vendor at www.certifiedpayments.net and click on Begin Payment. You may also call Certified Payments directly at 1-866-539-2020. For both online and telephone, you will need to provide the Bureau Code 3281967 and your property account information to assure proper processing of your payment. You may access the Matagorda County Appraisal District website at <http://www.matagordacad.org/> and click on the property search tab to locate your property tax information.

Motor Vehicle Registration Renewal Options

Visit the Matagorda County website at <http://www.co.matagorda.tx.us/> and select the tab County Offices, then County Tax Assessor/Collector and click on the appropriate link, Renew Motor Vehicle Registration Online or <https://renew.txdmv.gov/Renew/>. Select Renew My Registration. You need the plate number and the last four (4) digits of your VIN #. Select Matagorda County.

For both property tax and motor vehicle renewals, you may mail payments directly to the office at 1700 7TH Street, Room 203, Bay City, TX 77414 or simply drop your payment in the drop box located in the hallway just outside of the tax office..

We recognize the impact and uncertainty that COVID-19 has created in our community. We are extremely grateful for your patience and understanding during this challenging time. We thank you for your assistance with keeping our citizens, employees and workplace healthy as we continue to navigate this current health threat while delivering essential services to our citizens. **Please note, access to the courthouse is still limited to the south entrance doors (sixth street side only) at this time.**

PLEASE CALL WITH ANY TAX OFFICE RELATED QUESTIONS pertaining to Property Taxes, Motor Vehicle /Boat Titling and Registration, or Voter Registration at 979-244-7670, 8 AM – 4:45 PM, Monday - Friday.