## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING THE ONLINE BILL LOOKUP/BILL PAY

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**1.** In your web browser's address bar, please type in: <u>www.windsorlocksct.org</u>.

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**2.** On the Windsor Locks home page go to: "Tax Collector." From here click on "Online Look Up + Bill Payment."

50 Church Street Windsor Lo	ocks, CT 06096	
TownCMS Login		
Staff Directory		News & Announcements
ASSESSOR	<b>T</b> Ålert	POWER OUTAGES in Windsor Locks
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS	IN CONTINUES INFO	In case of a power outage residents should contact CL&P @ 860-286-5000, or @ 860-286-2000 to report the insident. Appage
BUILDING AND LAND USE		calling will have More >>
EMERGENCY		CT Alert Emergency Notification
SERVICES		CT Alert Emergency Notification System
FINANCE	Message from	the Connecticut Alert Emergency Notification
HUMAN RESOURCES	First	System. This system More »
PARK AND RECREATION	Welcome to the set	Refuse & Electronics Recycling Fees
PROBATE COURT	of Windsor Locks	New Refuse Handling Fees and Electronics
PUBLIC SCHOOLS	provide accurate	follows: Beginning July 1, a new \$30 per
PUBLIC WORKS	links to the man	item fee More »
SELECTMEN	and Town	More News >>
SENIOR CENTER	welcome you	
SOCIAL SERVICES	you better.	Today's Events
TAX COLLECTOR	Frequently Askea	Wednesday 4th of August 2010
TOWN CLERK	Questions compares the Town of Windsor	
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL	Online Look Up + Bill npact of the recent Payment	There are no events scheduled for today
YOUTH SERVICES	Tax Office	
USEFUL LINKS	the Board of Selectman, the Board of	
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**3.** Click on the blue hyperlink that says, "To look up what you owe and pay your bills online, please click here."

## **Online Look Up and Bill Payment**

For first time users, please read the instructions before looking up and paying a bill online.

If you need a clearance for motor vehicles, DO NOT pay online. To receive a away, you must pay (in cash, money order, or certified bank check) *in the o* 

To look up what you owe and pay your bills online, please click here with the formal bills using only your last name, followed by one space (no comma), and then the first puple letters of your first name. Leave the other fields (including property location, unique identification number, and list number) blank.

## **4.** You will come to this page:

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TAX BILLS	Enter the search criteria below:			
NAME	(Last Name then 1 <sup>#</sup> initial) or Business Name ● All ○ Due Now ○ Balance Due	Search	0	

**5.** From here, you can use the drop box on the left to search by name, property location, bill number, unique ID, or link number. (We suggest using your name so everything, cars and real estate, comes up.)

Home > Shopping Cart > 0	Checkout		
TAX BILLS	Enter the search criteria below:		
NAME NAME PROPERTY LOCATION BILL # UNIQUE ID LINK NI IMPER	(Last Name then 1 <sup>st</sup> initial) or Business Name	) Search	0

**6.** The results will come in showing different columns which include the bill number, name/address, property/vehicle, paid, outstanding, options, and pay.

BILL #	NAME/ADDRESS	PROPERTY/VEHICLE	PAID	OUTSTANDING	OPTIONS	PAY

For any bill of which there is a balance due, click on the green shopping cart to add the bill to your cart.



7. This screen will once again show you what you are paying and the amount of the bill.



Please note that pay in full will pay both the first and second installment. Pay current due will pay only the current installment due. Also please note that although under "Pay in Full" there is a line which says "Discount," we do not offer any discounts for paying in

full, this is a feature that is found within the program and we are working on having it removed to avoid any future confusion.

8. Once you have decided what bill to pay, click on the "Add to Cart" button.

**9.** After adding to the cart, you will be given the opportunity to add other bills. If you would like to add bills, repeat steps 5-8. In the top right corner, you can see how many bills are in your cart and what the total is.

**10.** To check out, click on the yellow tab. From here it will drop down box showing you the bills you are paying and the balance on each bill. To pay the bills, click on "checkout."



**11.** The next screen is provides a disclaimer regarding delinquent Motor Vehicle bills. Once again, everything you are paying on will be presented for your approval. If you decide you do not want to pay something, click on the red "x" to remove the bill. To pay, click the "Pay Tax Bills Now" button.

BILL #	UNIQUE ID	BILL TYPE	PAY AMOUNT	REMOVE
2011-1-		REAL ESTATE	1,835.62	*
		Terms and Conditions		
	By clicking on "Pay n	ow" button, you agree the following	terms and conditions.	
lf motor vehic Vehicles or associated w	cle taxes are unpaid, you will renew any vehicle registratic ith your name and/or your VIN	not be able to register any vehicle ons. (Per Connecticut General Stat I#, including taxes not yet delinque to be issued.	s with the Connecticut Departme ute 14-33). ALL outstanding vehi ent, must be paid in full in order fo	nt of Motor cle taxes or a release
PLEASE CO	DNTACT THE TAX COLLECTOP	R'S OFFICE at (860)627-1415 TO A RELEASE.	RRANGE FOR PAYMENT AND TO	OBTAIN A
Per Conne	ecticut General Statute Sec.12 obligation, by type (	2-144b. payments must first be ap of tax (real estate, motor vehicle o	plied to the taxpayers oldest outs r personal property)	standing
Aft	er clicking on "Pay Tax Bills N	low" button, you will be redirected	l to our secure processing cente	r.
			Number Tot	of Payments: 1 al Payments: \$1,835.62
			Back To Search Resul	Pay Tax Bills Now

**12.** You will now be directed to the actual payment website. For first time users, you will be required to register by clicking on the underlined blue "Register Now."

50 Church Street Windso	Town of Windsor Locks
Login FAQs Terms and Conditions Customer Service	Login     User ID:     Password:     Login:     The User ID and Password:     Eacister ID or p     Redister now     This site is for electron accepted.     Per Connecticut General Statul     all payments must first be applied to the oldest outstanding bill in the following order:     If Motor Vehicle taxes are delinquent and you need a clearance/release to either rene w your registration or register a new vehicle, ALL outstanding vehicle taxes in the owner(s) name(s) must be paid in cash, certified bank check, or mone order in person.     No receipts will be mailed; instead you will be emailed a transaction confirmation.

**13.** Please fill in the registration form carefully and accurately. Ensure the email you provide is accurate as this is where your confirmation will be emailed to.

Registration		
Profile		
First Name:		
Last Name:		
Company:		(optional)
Address Line 1:		
Address Line 2:		(optional)
City/State/Zip:	,	
Day Phone:		(xxx-xxx-xxxx)
Email Address:		
Confirm Email Address:		
Enter a User ID:		(6.20 latters and/or pumbers)
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Enter a Password:		(8-14 letters and numbers)
Confirm Password:		
Security Question:	What's the name of your hometown?	*
Security Answer:		

**14.** After clicking to continue, you will get another chance to review your information. Please ensure everything is correct then read the disclaimer at the bottom of the page. If you need to change anything click on "Change a setting." If you have read and understand the disclaimer click "I accept, Create my account." Press Cancel if you want to stop your registration.

Verify
Please review the registration information you provided. Click on the "Change a Setting" button if you need to make a correction.
First Name:
Last Name:
Company:
Address Line 1:
Address Line 2:
City/State/Zip:
Day Phone:
Email Address:
User ID:
Security Question:
Security Answer:

I authorize <b>Town of Winds</b> amount presented on the p the funding account I creats authorized user of this fund Conditions of Use and have	or Locks to electronically debit/draft my account in the ayment screen. I acknowledge that I must indicate that e is a consumer or commercial account and that I am an ling account. I have read and agree to abide by the read and agree to the terms in the Privacy Policy.	
Conditions of Use: In the e	vent a payment is returned unpaid for 'NSF or Insufficient	~

**15.** From here, you will set up an account by clicking on the underlined blue "Add a bank account."

Payment Instrum	ents	
You have no payment instrume	ents set up.	
Add a payment instrume	1	

**16.** Please enter in the correct information and click "Continue" after you have ensured everything is entered accurately.

Payment Instrument A	dd	
Get help locating check information.		
Nickname:	My Checking	0
Name on Account:	Your Name	
	Ohecking	
	🔘 Savings	
Routing Number:		0
Account Number:		0
Туре:	⊙ Consumer 🕡 ○ Commercial	
Cancel	Continue	

For your routing number and account number, please examine your checks as follows.

Personal Checks:
Memo:
Routing Account Check Number Number
Commercial Checks:
III L23L, III :: L23L5L789 :: L23L5L73L5 III   Check Routing   Account   Number
To locate the account number, look for a series of numbers between the <b>II</b> <sup>•</sup> symbol. If the account number includes the symbol ••• , disregard it and enter the entire section of numbers. If the check number is included at the beginning or end of the account number, simply omit it. The check number will correspond with the number in the upper-right corner of your check.
To locate the routing number, look for the series of nine numbers between the ${f I}$ symbols.

**17.** Next you will be required to verify your bank account information. Please carefully review the terms and conditions. After reading and understanding them, click the box and then click "Continue."

Please verify that the information s Nickname: Name on Account: Routing Number: Account Number:	shown below is correct and click Continue. Checking Checking
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	Consumer
Terms and conditions will appear here. T	This is blank solely for instructional purposes.
Previous	Continue

**18.** The next screen will confirm that a bank account has been added. To make a payment on the bill(s) you originally selected please click on the underlined blue "Make a Payment."

Bank Account Added	
Checking has been added to your available payment instruments.	
Back to Payment Instruments.	
Make a Payment.	

**19.** The next screen will show you how much you are paying. This will list all the bills and the balance left remaining on the tax bill. To change the amount for each bill, just type the new amount into the amount box. **There is a \$5 minimum payment** *for the time being and is scheduled to be fixed for July 2012.* 

Reload payment details						
	List Number		Amount			
Remove	2009		0.00			
Payment Amount	:		\$0.00			
Payment Instrument:		Check	cing 👻			
Convenience Fee .50			\$0.50			
Total Payment Amount:			\$0.50			
Payment Date:		07/02/	2010			
Cancel		Con	tinue			

There is a \$0.50 convenience fee. However, when you consider the total cost of \$0.44 for postage plus gas, the online payment system remains, in most cases, the most economical sense. (Plus you do not need to stand in lines or worry about your payment getting lost in the mail.)

**20.** This will bring you to your final screen telling you the payment has been complete and giving you a confirmation number. Please note that your payment "is postmarked" for when the payment has been complete. As long as your get a confirmation number on the last day the taxes are due, you will be on time. Any payments which are not complete on the due date, will be considered late and accrue interest.

Payment Com Name on account: User ID:	nplete	
List Number:	2009	\$5.00
Payment Instrument:	Checking	
Convenience Fee: No payment is due at th	\$0.50 nis time.	
Payment Total:	\$5.50	
Payment Date: Your confirmation num	07/02/2010 per is 1338030.	