

# Village of Arlington, Columbia County

## 2026 Notice of Changed Assessment – OPEN BOOK

**THIS IS NOT A TAX BILL**

Under state law (Sec. 70.365, Wis. Stats.), your property assessment for the current year is listed below.

<b>Property Owner Mailing Address</b>	<b>Mailing Date</b>
<div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; margin: 10px 0;">                 ARLINGTON VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY                  PO BOX 18                  ARLINGTON, WI 53911             </div>	April 8, 2026

Parcel Location and Description	Important Dates
<b>Parcel number:</b> 1.01 <b>Property location:</b> 200 PARK ST <b>Legal Description:</b> LOT 1, CSM 5430-38-97	<b>Open Book:</b> Tuesday, April 28, 2026 12pm-4pm In Person  <b>Board of Review:</b> Tuesday, May 26, 2026 4:30pm-6:30pm  <b>Meeting Location:</b> Arlington Village Hall 200 Commercial St Arlington, WI 53911

**General Information**

The Open Book session has concluded for the current assessment year. Consideration has been carefully given to the evidence submitted during the Open Book process. You are hereby notified of the reviewed assessed value of your property. **If you wish to engage in further discussion with the assessor, please call our office at 920-749-1995.** If you wish to enter a formal appeal, you must give notice of your intent to appeal by contacting the municipal clerk at least 48 hours before the Board of Review (BOR) begins. Please call the clerk at least 48 hours prior to the BOR to obtain an Objection Form and to make an appointment for the BOR. This form must be filled out in its entirety. Failure to provide 48 hours advance notice to the clerk may result in denial of a hearing at the BOR. The BOR functions like a court in that it is required to evaluate evidence based on facts. You must provide factual information showing your property is incorrectly assessed.

Assessment Change General Property			OPEN BOOK NOTICE
Year	Land	Improvement	Total
2025	\$0	\$0	\$0
2026	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Net change in property assessment value</b>			\$0
<b>Reason for change(s)</b>	New Construction or Revalue		
<b>Preliminary General Level of Assessment</b>	74.00%		
Note: If an Agricultural Land Conversion Charge Form PR-298 is enclosed, you must pay a conversion charge under state law (sec. 74.485, Wis. Stats.). See back side of this notice for more information.			

**To Appeal Your Assessment**

**First, discuss with your local assessor** – questions can often be answered by the assessor during the Open Book process and not require an appeal to Board of Review (BOR).

**To file a formal appeal** – give notice of your intent to appeal by contacting the BOR clerk at least 48 hours before the BOR begins. Complete and file your appeal form with the BOR clerk no later than the first two hours of the BOR's first meeting. Make sure you file a completed form or the BOR may not review your appeal.

**For more information on the appeal process:**

- Contact your municipal clerk listed on the right.
- Review the "Guide for Property Owners" (<https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/HTML/govpub.aspx>). Contact the Wisconsin Department of Revenue for a paper copy at [bapdor@wisconsin.gov](mailto:bapdor@wisconsin.gov) or (608) 266-7750.

### Notice of Assessment

This notice of assessment has important information for you as a property owner.

**No action is required**

unless you disagree with your new assessed value.



#### IMPORTANT DATES

##### Effective Assessment Date

State law (Sec. 70.10, Wis. Stats.) requires assessed values to be estimated as of January 1st each year.

##### Open Book

Refers to a period of time when the completed assessment roll is open for examination. This period of time is an opportunity to discuss your assessed value with the assessor. You may request a change to your assessed value during the Open Book. The assessor may consider such a request based on a review of reasoning and evidence.

##### Board of Review (BOR)

The BOR is a quasi-judicial body that operates like court. The BOR's function is to hear evidence and testimony for any formal objections to assessments and decide whether to uphold or change the assessment. Under state law, the BOR must presume the assessor's valuation is correct unless the objector provides sufficient evidence to overcome that presumption. If you do not take action at the BOR, this may result in the loss of any further appeal options for your assessment.

#### CONTACT INFORMATION

##### Assessor

Associated Appraisal Consultants, Inc  
 Ph. 920-749-1995  
 Monday to Friday  
 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
[info@apraz.com](mailto:info@apraz.com)

##### Municipal Clerk

Tiffany Krigbaum  
 Ph. 608-635-2474  
[clerk@vi.arlington.wi.gov](mailto:clerk@vi.arlington.wi.gov)

### Assessment Information

State law (sec. 70.32, Wis. Stats.) requires the assessment of taxable property (except agricultural, agricultural forest, and undeveloped) at full value as of January 1 each year. Assessments at a percentage of full value are acceptable when applied uniformly. To determine if your assessment is fair, you must analyze it in relation to full value. This is done by dividing your assessment by the general level of assessment for your municipality.

Under Wisconsin law, generally, the assessor may not change the assessment of property based solely on the recent arm's length sale of the property without adjusting the assessed value of comparable properties in the same market area. For information on the assessment of properties that have recently sold, visit the Internet site of the Department of Revenue at <https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/ERETR/data-home.aspx>.

### Agricultural Land Conversion Charge

State law (sec. 74.485, Wis. Stats.) requires a charge for land converted from agricultural use to residential, commercial, manufacturing, or exempt. If you disagree with the assessment, you may appeal the conversion, classification change from agricultural at the local Board of Review (BOR).

See the *Agricultural Assessment Guide* (<https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/HTML/govpub.aspx#property>) and Use-value Conversion Charge common questions (<https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/FAQS/home-pt.aspx>) for additional information.

### New Construction

State law (Sec. 70.10, Wis. Stats.) requires that all general property must be assessed as of January 1st. If a property is under construction on January 1st, the assessor determines the value of the partially constructed buildings or improvements as of that date. Property taxes for the current year will be based on the assessed value as shown on your notice of changed assessment.

### Additional Questions or Concerns

Please call the assessor, Associated Appraisal Consultants, Inc. at 920-749-1995, between the hours 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.