Lafayette County GIS & Tax Information Online

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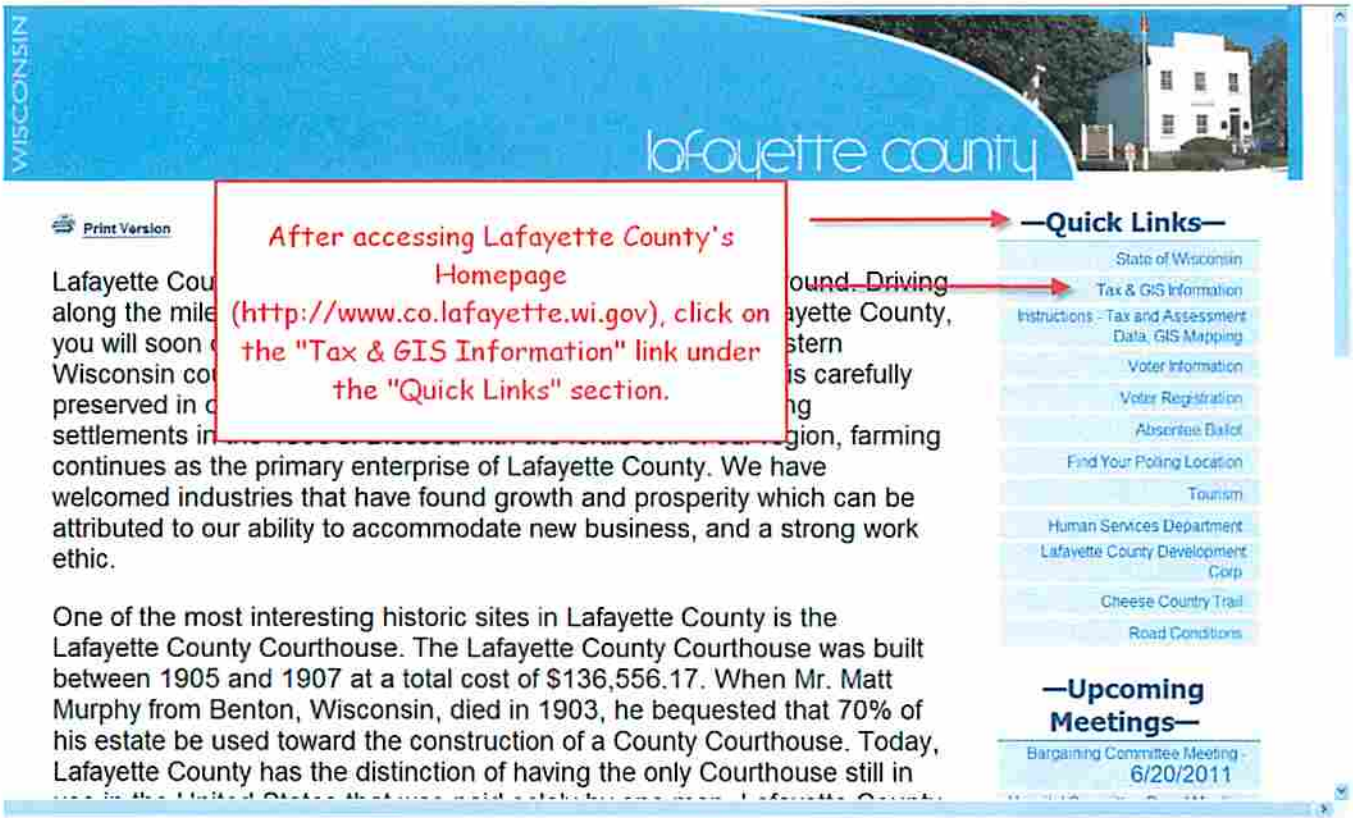
UNDER THE "Quick Links" ON THE RIGHT, CLICK ON "Tax & GIS Information"



THIS WILL TAKE YOU TO THE NOTICE/DISCLAIMER FOR USING THE SITE:

Welcome to Lafayette County Land Records System

Lafayette County Land Records System is a web-based application that allows users to navigate, query, and report on spatial and non-spatial information, through the use of simple data queries, a pan/zoom interface and other advanced GIS functions. Information is viewable in map and database formats.

This internet map service uses high-resolution graphics and is designed for viewing over broadband internet connections. Please be patient, as map images may take a while to load. This site is best viewed with Internet Explorer 6.0+ and at a resolution of 1280 X 1040 or higher.

NOTICE/DISCLAIMER

The land records site is intended to be a general guide to property and land information, and does not represent a survey of real property, nor should it be used or referenced to for conveyance of real property, guaranteeing title thereto or making official determinations of building development, permitting or other activity. Contact the appropriate County Department to obtain original source documents or for official determinations. This information has been developed from various sources and although efforts have been made to ensure accuracy and reliability; errors, omissions and variable conditions originating from compilation and sources used to develop the information may be reflected herein. In addition, land information is constantly changing and the most current or accurate data might not be represented. The information accessible through this site is represented "as is" without warranty of any kind, either expressed or implied, or statutory, including, but not limited to, the implied warranties or merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. No guarantee of accuracy, completeness, or currentness is granted nor is any responsibility of reliance thereon assumed. The user assumes the entire risk as to the quality, use and reliability of the entire information. Lafayette County does not accept any liability for damages or misrepresentation of any kind caused by inaccuracies in the information and in no event shall Lafayette County, its elected officials, or employees be liable for direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, or special damages of any kind.

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I Accept

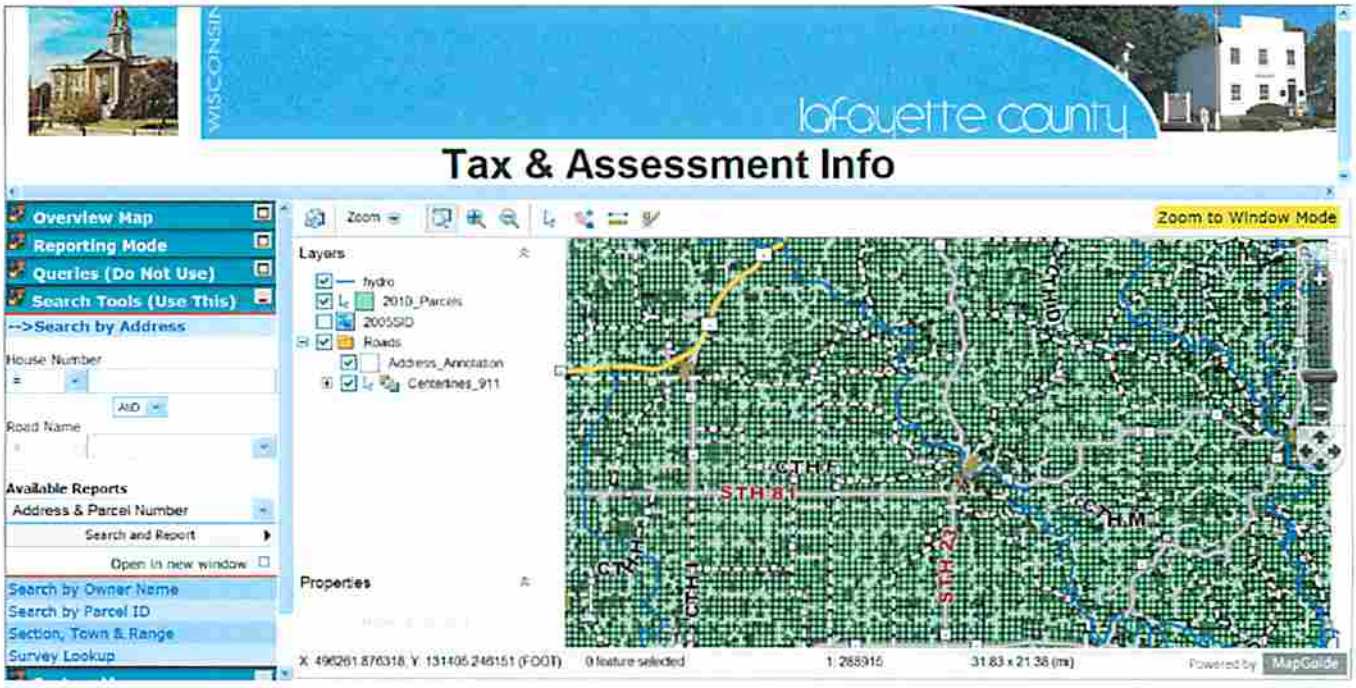
Once you have read the Notice and agree to the terms of use, click on "I Accept" to enter the site

Instructions for using the application

Please contact us if you have any questions, comments, suggestions, or to report any errors or omissions:

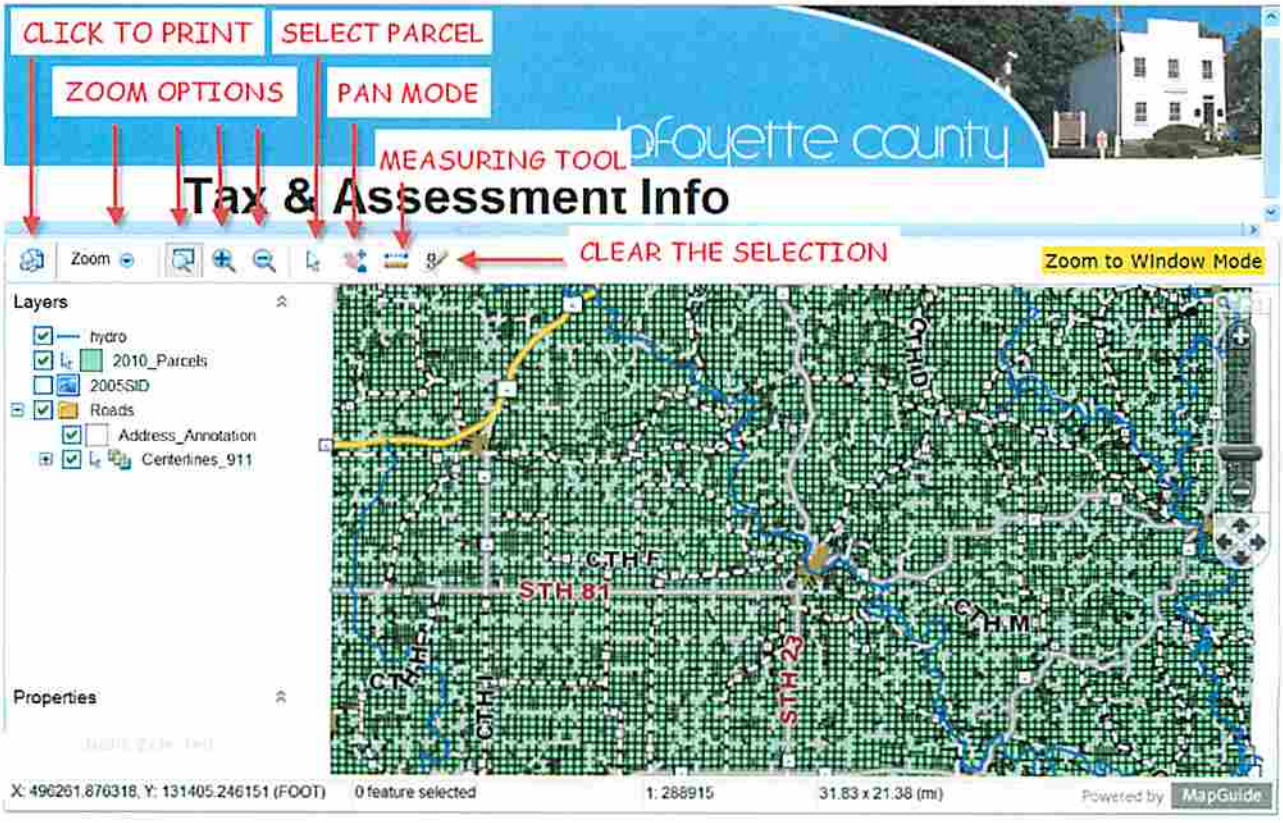
Lafayette County Land Information Department
Attention GIS Coordinator
1900 Ervin Johnson Drive

ONCE YOU HAVE ENTERED THE SITE, THE FOLLOWING SCREEN WILL APPEAR:

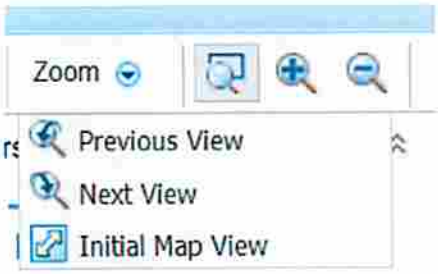


HOW TO USE THE MAP:

THERE ARE NUMEROUS BUTTONS TO HELP YOU NAVIGATE THE MAP AREA:



These buttons help you zoom to parcels. The first button is the "zoom to rectangle" and will zoom to the area you select on the map once you draw a rectangle around it.
The "+" and "-" zoom you in and out one screen at a time by clicking on the map.



The zoom drop-down box lets you go back to your Previous View, Next View, or back to the Initial Map View.

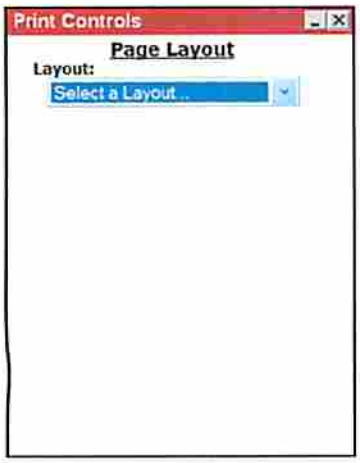
** The Arrow lets you select a parcel. Once you select it, a pop-up box will appear and you can select which report you want for that parcel. Also, when selected, the parcel on the map will be hi-lighted in blue.

** The pan mode lets you pan the map back and forth.

** The Measure tool can assist in approximate footage and acreage.

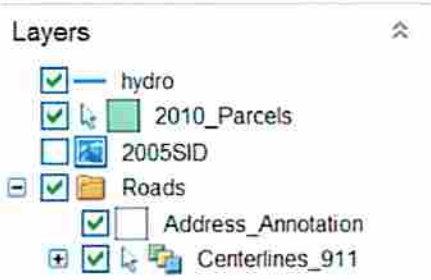
** To clear your selection (get rid of the blue hi-light), click on the "clear selection" button.

To print a map, click on the printer icon. The following boxes will appear:



Once you select LetterLandscape as your Layout, the next box will appear. You can change the title (it will default to "Lafayette County, Wisconsin" if you do not change it). Once you are ready to print, hit "Print Map" and a new window will appear with a PDF file containing your map. You can either print it or save it.

THERE ARE MAP LAYERS THAT YOU CAN SELECT TO BE ON OR OFF BY CLICKING ON THE BOX NEXT TO THE ITEMS. A GREEN CHECK MARK MEANS THEY ARE ON; A BLANK BOX MEANS THEY ARE OFF:



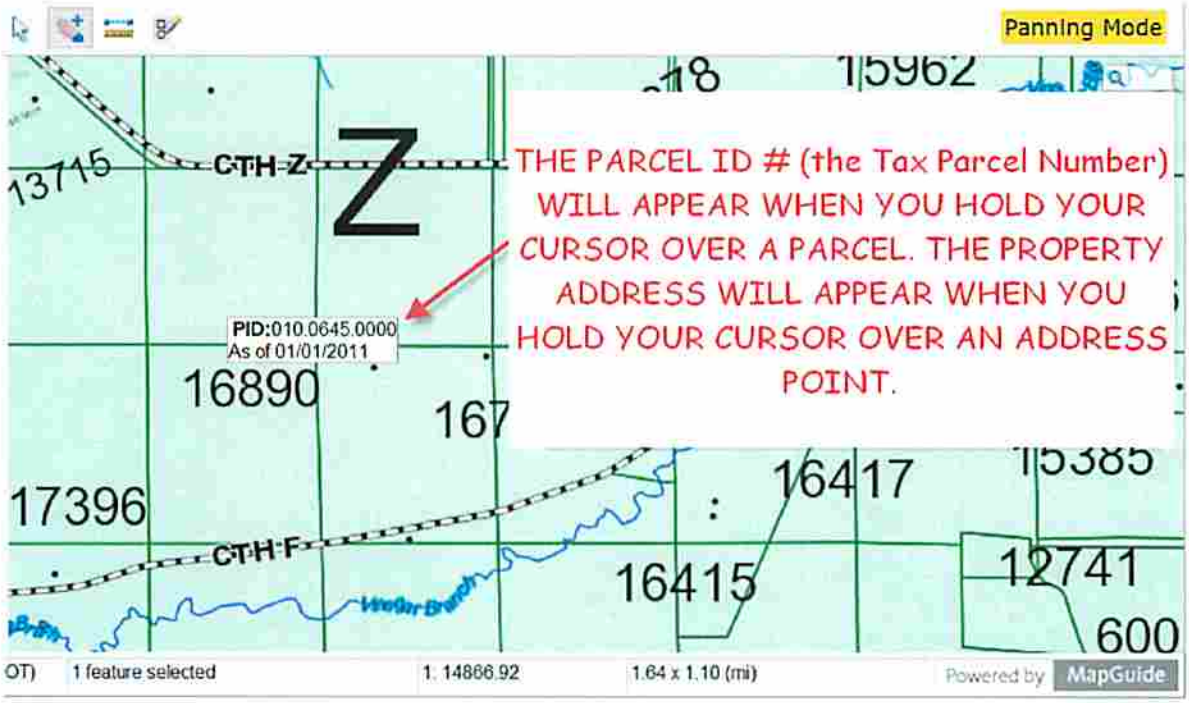
** Hydro: These are the streams and rivers running through Lafayette County.

** 2010_Parcels are the outlines of the Tax Parcels

** 2005SID is the aerial photo. It is not on by default; you will have to click on the box to turn it on. The aerial photo was last done in 2005.

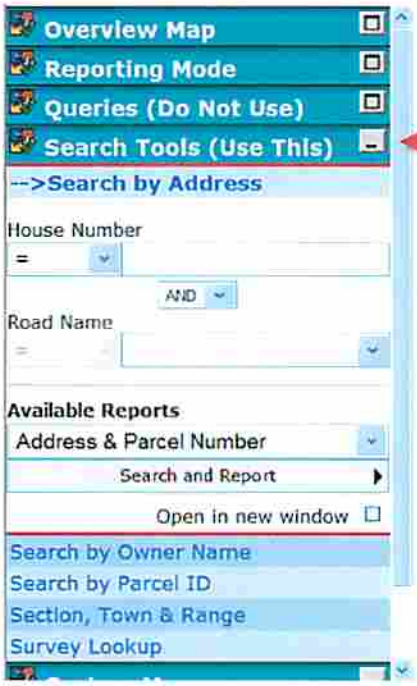
** Roads: You can turn on and off the Address Annotation (which will be house numbers and road names) and the Centerlines_911, which are the lines that show where the roads run.

THE TAX PARCELS ARE SHADED IN GREEN UNTIL YOU ZOOM IN CLOSER.



HOW TO LOOK UP TAX INFORMATION:

TO THE LEFT OF THE MAP IS THE AREA FOR YOU TO DO SEARCHES. THE "SEARCH TOOLS" MENU IS THE DROP-DOWN MENU YOU WILL NEED TO DO SEARCHES:

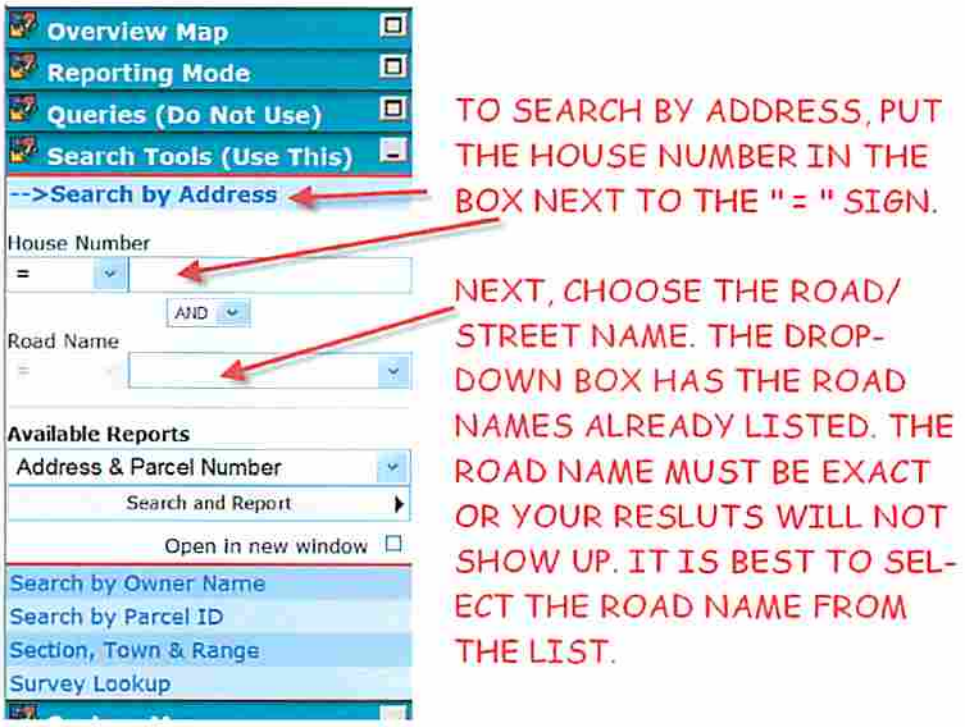


THE "SEARCH TOOLS" MENU WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE OPEN. THIS IS WHERE YOU WANT TO SELECT YOUR SEARCHES.

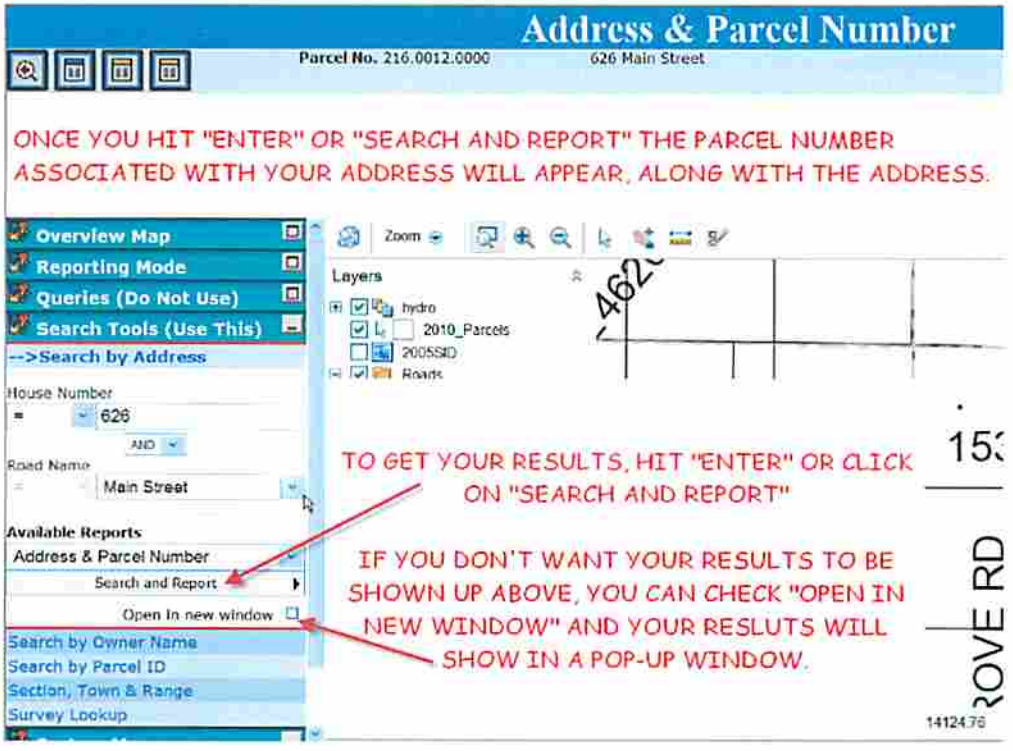
YOU CAN SEARCH BY PROPERTY ADDRESS, OWNER NAME, PARCEL ID #, SECTION, TOWN & RANGE. YOU CAN ALSO SEARCH FOR SURVEYS ON FILE IN THE LAND RECORDS OFFICE.

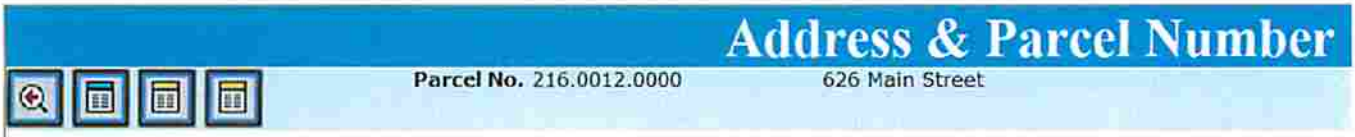
CLICK ON THE BLUE WORDING OF THE SEARCH YOU WANT TO DO, AND A DROP-DOWN BOX WILL APPEAR FOR YOU TO ENTER THE INFORMATION YOU HAVE.

TO SEARCH BY ADDRESS, ENTER THE HOUSE NUMBER AND THE ROAD/STREET NAME IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES:



ONCE YOUR INFORMATION IS ENTERED, HIT "ENTER" ON YOUR KEYBOARD, OR CLICK THE "SEARCH AND REPORT" BUTTON UNDER THE "AVAILABLE REPORTS" SECTION OF YOUR SEARCH.





WHEN YOU SEARCH BY ADDRESS, THE PARCEL NUMBER AND ADDRESS SHOW UP. THERE WILL ALSO BE ICONS TO THE LEFT OF YOUR SEARCH RESULTS.

THE ICONS THAT SHOW UP ARE FOR THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

The arrow & looking glass icon will zoom to the parcel on the map when you click on the icon.

The blue Report Icon is a facsimile of a Tax Bill. Click on it to open a pdf document in another window.

The yellow Report Icon(s) are the Parcel History Report. This report contains a breakdown of the Assessment Values, as well as the deeds listed on the parcel history. Click on this icon to open a pdf document in another window.

TO SEARCH BY OWNER NAME, ENTER THE TAXPAYER FIRST NAME AND TAXPAYER LAST NAME IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES. USE THE "%" SYMBOL FOR A WILDCARD IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF A SPELLING.

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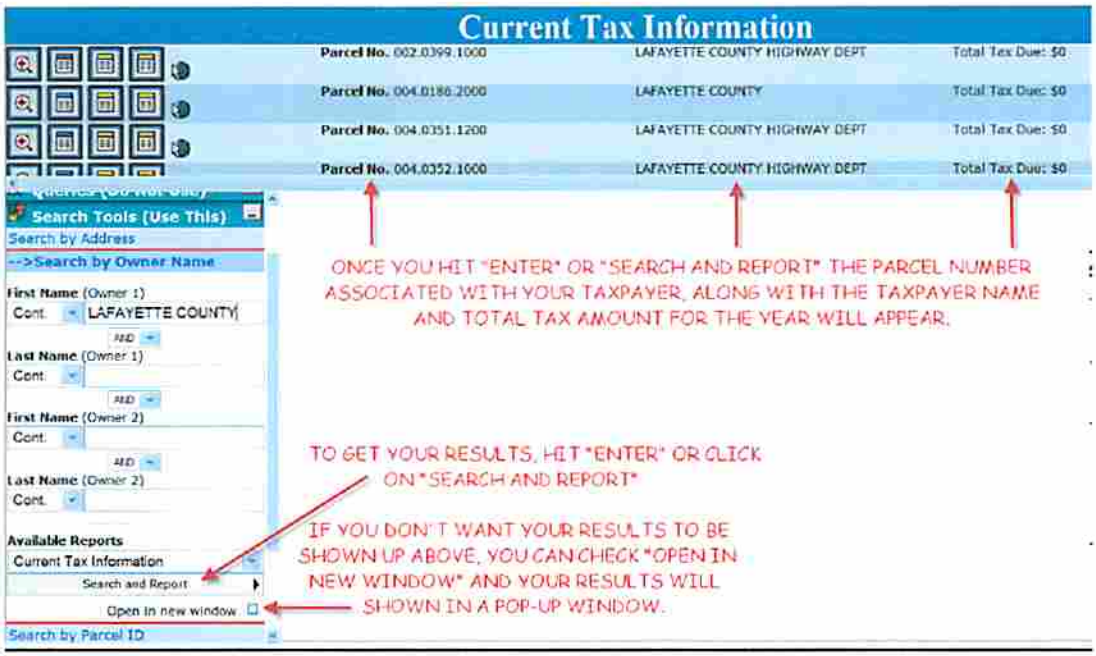

WHEN YOU SEARCH BY TAXPAYER NAME, THE PARCEL NUMBER, TAXPAYER NAME & TOTAL TAX AMOUNT FOR THE YEAR SHOW UP. THERE WILL ALSO BE ICONS TO THE LEFT OF YOUR SEARCH RESULTS.

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The arrow & looking glass icon will zoom to the parcel on the map when you click on the icon.

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If a Taxpayer has more than one Tax Parcel Number, you can click on the world & arrow icon to zoom to ALL of their parcels on the map simultaneously. (Remember, to zoom to an individual parcel you need to click on the arrow & looking glass icon. See above.)

TO SEARCH BY PARCEL ID, ENTER THE PARCEL ID NUMBER IN THE CORRECT FORMAT IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.

(TAX PARCEL NUMBERS ARE THREE DIGITS, DECIMAL POINT, FOUR DIGITS, DECIMAL POINT, FOUR DIGITS XXX.XXXX.XXXX) IF YOU HAVE A PARCEL NUMBER AS 33-216-12.0, THEN TO PUT IT IN OUR SYSTEM IT IS 216.0012.0000. (THE "33" STANDS FOR LAFAYETE COUNTY AND DOES NOT NEED TO BE PART OF THE PARCEL ID NUMBER)

TO SEARCH BY PARCEL ID, THE PARCEL NUMBER MUST BE EXACT: XXX.XXXX.XXXX (THREE DIGITS, DECIMAL POINT, FOUR DIGITS, DECIMAL POINT, FOUR DIGITS)

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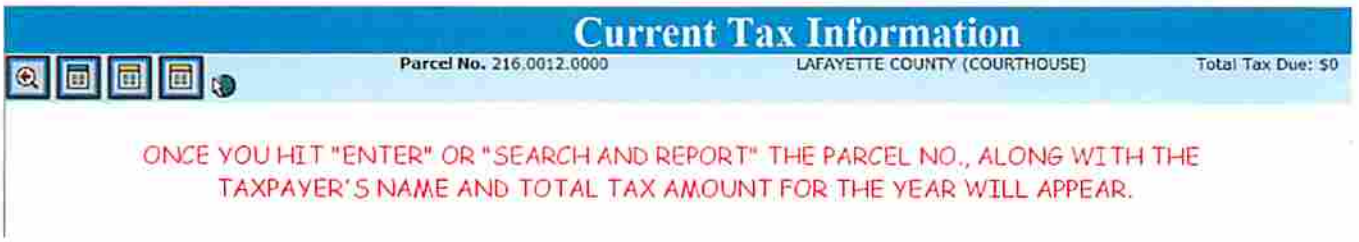

ONCE YOU HIT "ENTER" OR "SEARCH AND REPORT" THE PARCEL NO., ALONG WITH THE TAXPAYER'S NAME AND TOTAL TAX AMOUNT FOR THE YEAR WILL APPEAR.

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