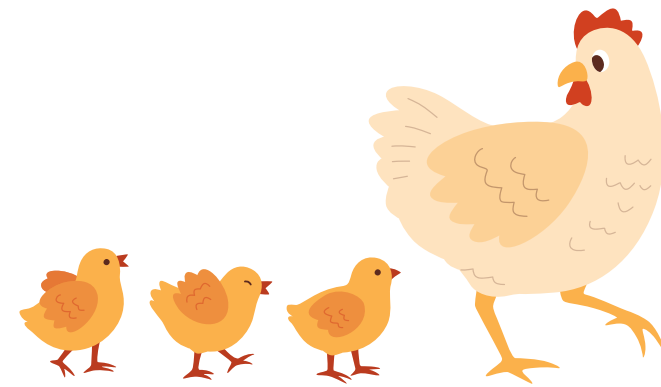


## Additional Information

- No roosters are allowed.
- Proof of premise registration with the Department of Agriculture is required prior to obtaining a permit. Call the Wisconsin Livestock Identification Consortium at (888) 808-1910 or go to [www.wiild.org](http://www.wiild.org)
- If permit applicant is not the owner of the property where chickens are to be kept, written consent must be included with the application.
- Fecal waste may be disposed of in garbage containers if properly packaged so as to not leak, leach, or spill into the container.

## PERMITS ARE REQUIRED!

You must obtain a permit issued by the Clerk-Treasurer. Permits are valid January 1<sup>st</sup> through December 31<sup>st</sup>.



### FOR PERMIT INFORMATION CONTACT THE DE PERE CLERK'S OFFICE:

Phone: (920) 339-4050

Fax: (920) 330-9491

### OTHER QUESTIONS? CONTACT THE DE PERE HEALTH DEPARTMENT:

Phone: (920) 339-4054

Fax: (920) 339-2745

### CITY OF DE PERE

335 S. Broadway  
De Pere, WI 54115

Additional information  
available at:  
[www.deperewi.gov](http://www.deperewi.gov)

# Keeping of Chickens Within the City of De Pere

DE PERE



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## Where Can I Keep the Chickens?

- In a coop, either raised off the ground or on a hard surface such as concrete.
- Coops should be large enough to provide at least 4 square feet per chicken.
- Coops should have fresh water at all times and adequate amounts of feed.
- Coops shall be at least 25 feet from any neighboring residential structures.
- Chickens **shall not** be allowed to free range.



## How Many Chickens Can I Have?

- A permit for keeping chickens is required.
- The number of chickens allowed per residential lot is not to exceed four.
- Unless a permit for keeping chickens has been issued, the maximum number of dogs and cats allowed per dwelling unit is four.
- If a permit for chickens is obtained, a property parcel may not exceed six dogs, cats, or chickens.

## Public Health Requirements

- Sale of eggs or chicks accumulated from chickens is prohibited.
- Chickens shall be kept and handled in a sanitary manner to prevent spread of communicable diseases.
- Notify the health department immediately of unusual illness or death of chickens.
- Only licensed meat processing facilities may slaughter chickens in the city.



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