



## *Town of Wallingford, Connecticut*

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**Q. *After moving to Wallingford, how long do I have to register my car in Connecticut?***

A. Non-residents have ninety days from the establishment of residency to register your motor vehicle with the Department of Motor Vehicles (Connecticut General Statute 14-12 P. A. 98-33).

**Q. *I am a legal resident of another state and am temporarily living in Wallingford, am I still subject to property tax in Wallingford?***

A. Yes, Connecticut General Statute 12-43 states, property of non-residents located in a municipality for three months or more during the assessment year immediately preceding the assessment date shall be subject to property tax.

**Q. *I have a vehicle registered in another state, how am I subject to property tax in Wallingford?***

A. Connecticut General Statute 12-71b (g) states, any motor vehicle which is not registered in this state shall be subject to property tax in this state if such vehicle in the normal course of operation most frequently leaves from and returns to or remains in one or more points within this state.

**Q. *What will happen if I do not respond to your notice?***

A. If you fail to respond within 30 days to the attached notice, we will assume that you have accepted our findings. A tax bill will then be issued for the period of time applicable.

**Q. *When are taxes due?***

A. Taxes are due within thirty days after issuance of the bill.

**Q. *What if I disagree with the assessor's findings?***

A. You can present documentation (see attached sheet) to support your claim to the assessor. If you disagree with the doings of the assessor, you can appeal to the Board of Assessment Appeals.