

Inmate Mail

Inmates may receive mail while in custody. All mail is inspected and filtered for unapproved content and/or contraband. Mail that contains unapproved content and/or contraband will be denied and placed into the inmate's property. It will be held there until their release from the facility.

Mailing address:

Mower County Jail
C/O "Inmate's Name"
201 2nd Avenue NE Suite #4
Austin, Minnesota 55912

Unapproved content: Gang related, sexually explicit, drug related, excessive vulgarity, evidence or intent for the commission of a crime, and/or any communication that is deemed a risk to the safety and security of the Mower County Jail.

Contraband: Anything other than the paper the letter is wrote on and/or approved 4" x 6" pictures.

Pictures: Must be printed on 4" x 6" picture paper. Pictures must not contain any "unapproved content" (see above) Inmates will be allowed to keep four (4) pictures at a time in their cell. Pictures in excess to approved number will be placed into the inmate's property.

Money: All money sent to inmates will be placed onto their Turnkey (canteen) account. The only accepted forms are cash and money orders. Personal or Third-party checks will not be accepted.

Books and Newspapers: Inmates may receive books and newspapers, if sent directly through the United States Post Office from the publisher. The items may be denied if they are deemed "unapproved content" by Jail Staff. Personal Bibles may be dropped off to be given to the inmates. All bookmarks and cloth page markers will be removed.

****All communications with inmates are subject to monitoring.***