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Dear Elderly and Disabled Homeowners:

### **GOVERNOR SUSPENDS REAPPLICATIONS FOR HOMEOWNERS PROGRAM**

Every two years, elderly homeowners and totally disabled residents must make an application for the renewal of their homeowner's benefits. This would be your year to reapply, but because of the corona-19 virus outbreak and in order to keep everyone safe, the governor has decreed that all resident homeowners who are currently on the elderly homeowner's program do not need to reapply.

New applications only are being taken. Requirements for new applicants are that you or your spouse must be at least 65 years old on January 1, 2020 or one of you must have been considered disabled by social security before October 1, 2019.

Beginning on February 1, 2020 till May 15, 2020 you or your authorized agent must file with the assessor's office a new application for the State of Connecticut Homeowners program.

The income limits for this year's filing is \$45,100 for a married couple or \$37,000 for an unmarried person. The income includes all income for 2019 including but not limited to, social security income (your 1099 statements are required), your W2 form(s), pension income statements, interest income statements, dividend income statements, and any other income you received.

If you are required to file a 1099 income tax will the federal government or the state of Connecticut, a copy is required along with the attached proof of income. You may not file your homeowner's application until your income tax forms have been completed.

If you are not required to file an income tax return, all proof of income is required plus your social security form(s) are required in order to complete the application.

Respectfully,

Darryl L. Del Grosso, CCMA II  
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