Legal Notice TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

Homeowners, who were 65 or older or totally disabled on or before December 31, 2020 and are full-time residents, may be eligible for tax relief. To qualify for the State benefit your income must be no more than \$37,600 if unmarried and \$45,800 if married including Social Security. For the Local benefit your income must be \$16,000 or under not including Social Security. Applications must be received by May 15th, 2021 if you are applying for the first time.

If you are already receiving the benefit and it's your year to apply you DO NOT have to submit your forms because of the ongoing situation you will continue to receive the benefit.

If you **rent** and are **65 or older a surviving spouse or totally disabled** on or before December 31, 2020 and are full-time residents, you may be eligible for tax relief. To qualify for the State Renters program your income must be no more than \$37,600 if unmarried and \$45,800 if married including social security. The application period is April 1st to October 1st, 2021.

If you are a <u>Veteran</u> or surviving spouse of a Veteran and would like to apply for benefits you must file your proof of honorable discharge with the Town Clerk's office <u>by September 30</u>, <u>2021</u>.

If you are a Veteran or surviving spouse and your income is between \$37,600 if single or \$45,800 if married (not including your Veteran's disability payments) you may qualify for an Additional Veteran's Exemption.

If you are a <u>V.A.</u> designated <u>Disabled Veteran</u> you may qualify for other programs. Please speak to the Assessor about the various Veterans programs. We appreciate your service and want to make sure you are receiving the full benefit you are entitled to.

If you know of a resident of Bridgewater who is an <u>Active-Duty Serviceman</u> with a Motor vehicle please contact our office, as they may qualify for a total tax exemption of their vehicle.

Applications for the various programs listed above are available on line at our town web site bridgewater-ct.gov or in our Assessor's office.

If you have any questions, we can be reached Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 8am to 12:30pm and Tuesday 8am to 3:30pm. Our phone number is (860) 355-9379 or e-mail me at dpinter@bridgewater-ct.gov.

Sincerely, Denise C. Pinter Assessor RECEIVED FOR RECORD BRIDGEWATER TOWN CLERK

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