July 1, 2022

RE: Real Estate Tax Exemption for the Blind (Clause 37A)

Dear Taxpayer,

According to our records, you have previously received or inquired about the Real Estate Tax Exemption for the Blind. This exemption is allowed once evidence of status, ownership, domicile, and occupancy have been verified.

In order to process this exemption for Fiscal Year 2023, please complete the enclosed application. Please attach a copy of a current “Certificate of Legal Blindness” from the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind dated July 1, 2022 or later.

If you return a complete application to the Assessor’s Office by August 31, 2022 we will be able to include the exemption on your first half tax bill for FY2023. Applications will still be accepted until April 1, 2023, however, the exemption may not be processed in time to appear on your first half bill.

Please contact the Assessors’ Office at (508) 896-3701 ext. 1137 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

James M. Gallagher, MAA
Deputy Assessor