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Frequently Asked Questions

What To Do If You Disagree With Your Assessment

http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/complain/howtofile/index.htm

Fair Assessments - A Guide for Property Owners

http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/fairassessments.htm http://www.orps.state.ny.us/reassess/index.cfm

Property Taxpayers "Bill of Rights" http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/taxbrgts.htm

http://www.orps.state.ny.us/home/tri index.cfm

How Market Value Estimates are Determined http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/mv_estimates.htm

Assessment Standards & Valuation of Real Property http://www.orps.state.ny.us/home/varp_index.cfm

Valuation Standards in New York State http://www.orps.state.ny.us/assessor/valuation/index.htm

Common Myths & Misunderstandings http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/myths.htm

Real Property Tax - Step by Step http://www.orps.state.ny.us/primer/index.htm

Assessment Education Videos http://www.orps.state.ny.us/video/index.cfm

Other Reference Sites http://www.orps.state.ny.us/home/rs_index.cfm#ref

Other Information

Find Information about your Town http://www.orps.state.ny.us/MuniPro/

Annual Reassessment Program http://www.orps.state.ny.us/reassess/seguide.pdf

Job of the Assessor http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/assessjo.htm

The Property Tax Cycle http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/rptcal.pdf

How the Real Property Tax Works http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/taxworks.htm

Level of Assessment Determination http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/ownershandbook.htm

Property Exemptions

STAR Exemption - Info & Amount http://www.orps.state.ny.us/star/index.cfm

Veterans Options
Application

http://www.orps.state.ny.us/pamphlet/exempt/vets.htm
http://www.orps.state.ny.us/ref/forms/pdf/rp458a.pdf

Other Property Exemptions http://www.orps.state.nv.us/home/tpe_index.cfm

Forms & Publications http://www.orps.state.ny.us/home/fpp_index.cfm