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Cook County Board of Review Residential Property Tax Appeals Period Open November 16 – December 15, 2020

November 16, 2020 – Residents can appeal their Cook County property taxes with the Board of Review at the Township of Schaumburg from November 16 – December 15, 2020. The Township is open during the appeals period to assist residents Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30 - 5 pm and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 - 6:30 pm. For the safety of residents and staff during the COVID-19 pandemic, the Township has two options for appeals:

- <u>Email</u> Victor Morales at vmorales@schaumburgtownship.org your home pin number, phone number, email and home address. *This is the fastest and most convenient way - no visit to the office is required*. Emails must be received at least one hour before closing on the last day of appeals.
- 2. <u>Walk-in appointments</u> are also available but emailing your appeal information is strongly encouraged. Please note that we ask residents to wear a mask while in the building and practice social distancing. You'll need to bring your pin number, phone number, email and home address.

"This appeals year has presented many challenges due to the COVID-19 pandemic, but our staff have worked tirelessly to ensure all residents will be assisted in a safe and timely manner," said Township of Schaumburg Assessor John R. Lawson. "While we know many residents prefer in-person appointments, we highly encourage taking advantage of our email option to limit person-to-person community contact."

For the first time, this year there will not be a Property Tax Appeals Seminar. However, residents can go to the Township website to learn the process. Any questions can be directed to the Township of Schaumburg Assessor's Office at 847-884-0030. Additional information can be found at: schaumburgtownship.org/departments/assessors-office/.

About the Township of Schaumburg:

The Township of Schaumburg serves over 140,000 residents in the villages of Elk Grove, Hanover Park, Hoffman Estates, Rolling Meadows, Roselle, Schaumburg and Streamwood, Illinois. Visit our website (schaumburgtownship.org), Facebook (@SchaumburgTownship) and Twitter (@SchaumburgTwp) to learn up-to-date information about our services and how we meet the community's needs.