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Cook County Assessor Residential Property Tax Appeals Period Open July 29-September 1

July 29, 2020 – Residents can appeal their Cook County property taxes at the Township of Schaumburg from July 29 – September 1, 2020. The Township is open during the Cook County Assessor 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 developed several appointment options for residents to complete appeals. They are:

1. **Email** Victor Morales at vmorales@schaumburgtownship.org your home pin number, phone number, email and home address. An email confirmation will be sent to your email address as soon as we file your appeal electronically. ***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. A **virtual appointment** can be scheduled to be completed over the phone. You'll need a pin number, phone number, email and home address. An email confirmation will be sent to your email address. Schedule a virtual appointment with the Assessor's Office at 847-884-0030 ext 3020.
3. **In-person appointments** are also available and can be made by calling the Assessor's Office at 847-884-0030. 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.

"Our staff continue to be available to residents to answer questions and complete appeals. While residents are used to coming to the building to appeal, we hope they will take advantage of our virtual options this year," said Township of Schaumburg Assessor John R. Lawson.

Due to COVID-19, emailing and virtual appointments are strongly encouraged, though walk-in appointments are available. 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.