

TOWN OF PEPPERELL

PROPERTY TAX WORK OFF PROGRAM

Program Goals

- *Assist senior citizens with property tax bills
- *Increase involvement of senior citizens in municipal government

Eligibility Requirements

- *Age 60+
- *Own and occupy the property for which Pepperell taxes are paid for a minimum of ten years
- * Ownership of property is limited to one primary residence, no secondary homes.
- * Only one application allowed per household.
- * Financial guidelines: single person gross income not to exceed \$35,000 per year, married couple gross income not to exceed \$50,000. Proof of income is required

Selection Process

- *Applicant must meet eligibility requirements and be chosen by lottery
- *Applicant must have appropriate skills for position
- *Applicant and department head must both agree it is an appropriate match

Benefit Limits

- *Maximum benefit of \$600 per fiscal year per household

- *Hourly compensation, up to \$600 maximum, based upon current state minimum wage

General Program Information

- *Program year will run August, 2010 to May 31, 2011
- * Applications will be available at the Council on Aging on June 15 with the deadline being July 31.
- *Applicants must re-apply annually to continue in program; acceptance is not guaranteed
- *Participants are exempt from state taxes but are not exempt from federal, social security, or Medicare taxes
- *Participating in this program will not affect any local exemptions you may be eligible for
- *If you qualify for the state Circuit Breaker Credit, the amount you may be eligible for could be affected by participation in this program

- *Credit for work performed Between August, 2010 and May 31 2011 will be credited to the February and or May 2011 tax bill

How to Apply

- *Pepperell Council on Aging
37 Nashua Road
Pepperell, MA 01463
978-433-0326

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