



Charles E. Hackney
Manatee County Property Appraiser

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Dear Homeowner,

One of my functions as Manatee County's Property Appraiser is to ensure that all eligible taxpayers get the full benefit of those exemptions to which they are entitled. This mailing is to provide you with the form necessary to file for renewal of the Low Income Senior Exemption.

The Sworn Statement of Household Adjusted Gross Income Form (**EX501SR**) must be completed and returned either by mail or in person to our office located at 915 4th Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida **no later than March 2, 2009**. Instructions are as follow:

- Section 1** Confirm the parcel identification number for the property.
- Section 2** Confirm the name and mailing address of the persons applying for the Low Income Senior Exemption.
- Section 3** Confirm the address of the property if different from Section 2.
- Section 4A** Print the applicant's name as well as the name of each person who lives on the property. **DO NOT** include renters or boarders. If more than 3 persons reside on the property, complete and attach an additional sheet listing each person.
- Section 4B** Each household member must indicate their marital status as:
M = Married, S = Single, D = Divorced, or W = Widow or Widower.
- Section 4C** Each household member must indicate if they file a Federal income tax return by checking either the "YES" or "NO" box.
- Section 4D** Fill in each household member's date of birth using the month (1 through 12), day, and year in the boxes provided.
- Section 4E** Fill in the Social Security number for each household member.
- Section 5** The applicant signs and attests that the total adjusted gross income of all persons residing at the above address described in Section 2 of this affidavit, excluding renters and boarders for the year 2008 does not exceed \$25,873. The applicant's phone number should also be included. **Note: Please submit your application by the March 2nd deadline regardless of when your income data will be calculated. It can be amended at a later date by calling our office.**

If there are any questions please contact our office at 941.748.8208.

Sincerely,

Charles E. Hackney
Property Appraiser



Low Income Senior Exemption Application for Persons Age 65 and Older

Renewal Application Year - 2009

March 2nd Filing Deadline

SECTION 1
PARCEL ID:

SECTION 2 APPLICANT NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS:

SECTION 3 PROPERTY ADDRESS:

SECTION 4A HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS	B Marital Status	C Do you file a Federal Income Tax return?	D Date of Birth	E Social Security Number
Print name(s) in blanks below Applicant 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Applicant 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Applicant 3	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

SECTION 5 AFFIRMATION

I hereby certify that the total adjusted gross income of all persons residing at the above address described in Section 2 of this affidavit, excluding renters and boarders, for the year 2008 does not exceed \$25,873. I understand that Section 196.131(2), Florida Statutes, provides that any person who knowingly and willfully gives false information for the purpose of claiming any exemption is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable by a term of imprisonment not exceeding 1 year or a fine not exceeding \$5,000, or both. Further, under penalty of perjury, I declare that the information provided herein is correct.

Applicant 1 - Signature

Applicant 2 - Signature

Applicant 3 - Signature

(_____) _____ - _____
Daytime Phone Date

REVIEWED BY _____

THIS AFFIDAVIT MUST BE SIGNED AND RETURNED TO THE MANATEE COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER'S OFFICE ON OR BEFORE MARCH 2, 2009 REGARDLESS OF WHEN