

SENIOR AND VETERAN TAX WORK OFF PROGRAM

Eligibility:

The Senior and Veteran Tax Work Off Program is open to:

- Seniors sixty (60) years of age, as of July 1st of the current fiscal year
- Veterans with a service-related disability

who own, occupy, and pay real estate taxes to the Town of Chester. Participants will be credited at the rate of minimum wage for each hour they work up to \$750. Participants are not guaranteed that they will receive enough hours to reach max amount.

Guidelines:

- There are no income or asset guidelines to be eligible
- Only one work off exemption may be granted per household. Work off hours may be split between household members who also meet eligibility requirements
- Participants cannot receive work off hours in a department they are currently on the payroll for.
- Participant should not assume they will be rehired. They need to reapply.
- Veterans must supply proof from VA of disability.
- Hours worked will be tracked and logged by the department head in which the hours are worked.
- The town will accept a max of Ten (10) applicants each fiscal year.
- The Assessor's office will accept applications starting in the month of December.
- Program runs January 15th to November 30th.

Adopted by the Board of Selectman 9/26, 2022.

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